2024/25 Youth Tournament Rules

- 1. All participants are required to be a member in good standing with USBC and be an active member in a Beaver Lake USBC youth league.
- 2. Handicap will be 100% of 200. Entrants shall use current average as of November 30, 2024. If a participant does not have 15 games as of November 30, 2024 but has a book average from last year he/she will use the book average. If a participant does not meet the above requirements, and wishes to enter, he/she shall enter with a 200 average and participate with no handicap. It shall be each bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of their entering average (USBC Rule 319E). Failure to use the proper average or make the necessary corrections may disqualify bowler without refund.
- 3. Check-in will open at 9:00 am on the day of the tournament. Individuals must show their USBC cards at check-in and be checked in no later than 15 minutes before start time.
- 4. Scores lost within a game will be re-bowled.
- There will be 4 divisions for Singles: U12 Boys, U12 Girls U18 Boys, U18 Girls Scholarship money will be distributed based on 1 for every 4 entries for each division.
- 6. In the event of a tie for any awarded place, the scholarship money will be combined and then divided between those place winners. IE: (two bowlers tie for 2nd place and 16 bowlers participated. Four places will be awarded scholarships and 2nd & 3rd places will be combined and divided evenly for the two bowlers that tied for 2nd place.)

- 7. No entry application will be accepted unless accompanied by entry fee. No entry fees can be returned after closing date.
- 8. In case of mechanical failure, contestants may be moved to the next available pair of lanes.
- 9. Offensive language or destruction of bowling alley equipment will not be tolerated. Tournament officials can disqualify any bowler for either reason.
- 10. No outside tournament practice will be allowed after the lanes are oiled for the squad.
- 11. The use of such substances as talcum powder, easy slide, pumice, rosin, etc., on shoes or fingers is not allowed in the pits. No tapping rosin in the thumb or finger holes of the bowling ball.
- 12. Prizes will be awarded within 30 days after tournament ends.
- 13. United States Bowling Congress (USBC) Rules and Regulations will govern the Tournament unless otherwise specified or noted above.
- 14. Entry Fee Breakdown as follows: \$10.50 Lineage, \$4.50 Scholarship Fund

Return entry with entry fee to Kurt Sij at the Rogers Bowling Center

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