

Lilac City Tournament, Inc. presents



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The 34th Annual

Lilac No-Tap Tournament

A "Fun" Handicap Tournament
for Men, Women, & Mixed!

SINGLES EVENT

\$3000.00

1st Place Guaranteed!!

2nd Place- \$1500.00

Men & Women
Compete for
Same Prize List!

DOUBLES EVENT

\$2000.00

1st Place Guaranteed!!

2nd Place- \$1000.00

Men, Women, &
Mixed Doubles
Compete for Same
Prize List!

Don't Forget To Enter

The Lilac City Tournament!
Over Half a Million in Prizes!

Team Event at
AMF Gates Lanes!

Doubles and Singles at
AMF Terrace Garden Lanes



God Bless
Our Troops

Our No-Tap is Hosted Alongside
The Lilac Team Event At:

AMF Gates Lanes
645 Spencerport Road
Rochester, NY 14606

9=X

Squad Leaders!
Bring 32 or more bowlers
and receive a **FREE ENTRY!**

9=X

ENTRY FEES

	<u>Singles</u>	<u>Doubles</u>
Prize Fee	\$19.50	\$39.00
Bowling	\$ 6.75	\$13.50
Expenses	<u>\$ 5.75</u>	<u>\$11.50</u>
TOTAL	\$32.00	\$64.00

HANDICAP

90%
OF 220
NO
MINUS

Tournament Dates:

Starts April 10, 2010 - Ends July 11, 2010

Mail Entries to: Lilac No-Tap Tournament
645 Spencerport Road
Rochester, NY 14606

For Reservations call:

1-585-247-2590 or 1-800-36-LILAC

Rochester, NY - Home Of The Lilac City Tournament!

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Group Leader: _____

For Office Use Only
-Do Not Write in this Space -
 Amt. Paid: _____
 Bal Due: _____

Mail Completed Form and Payment To:
 Lilac No-Tap Tournament
 645 Spencerport Road
 Rochester, NY 14606
 1-585-247-2590 or 1-800-36-LILAC
 Fax: 1-585-247-8999

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-Do Not Write in this Space -
 Reg ID: _____
 Date Rec'd: _____ Conf: _____

- ALL EVENTS HELD AT AMF GATES LANES -

SINGLES ENTRIES ONLY

Team ID: _____ 1st Choice Day/Time: _____ 2nd Choice Day/Time: _____

Bowler Name Print or Type All Information	Sex M/F	Street Address/City/State/Zip	USBC / CTF Number	AVERAGES		Leave Blank
				07-08	08-09	
1) _____ SS# _____		_____				

Team ID: _____

Bowler Name Print or Type All Information	Sex M/F	Street Address/City/State/Zip	USBC / CTF Number	AVERAGES		Leave Blank
				07-08	08-09	
1) _____ SS# _____		_____				

DOUBLES ENTRY ONLY

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT FULL NAMES IN THE ORDER YOU WISH TO BOWL

Team ID: _____ 1st Choice Day/Time: _____ 2nd Choice Day/Time: _____

Bowler Name Print or Type in Bowling Order	Sex M/F	Street Address/City/State/Zip	USBC / CTF Number	AVERAGES		Leave Blank
				07-08	08-09	
1) _____ SS# _____		_____				
2) _____ SS# _____		_____				

Payment Information:

- All CANADIAN entries must submit entry fees in US Currency. No Canadian Personal checks.
- Post dated and/or starter checks will not be accepted.
- Only certified check, money order, credit card, or cash will be accepted at time of bowling.
- \$30.00 fee on all returned checks. (See Rule 7)

Tournament Dates and Squad Times

Runs April 10 through July 11, 2010

Fridays:

April 16, 30, May 7, 14, 21, 28, June 11, 18, July 9
 ~ 6:30, 8:00pm ~
 April 23 ~ 4:30, 6:30, 8:00pm
 June 4 ~ 5:00, 6:30, 8:00pm
 June 25 ~ 2:00, 3:30, 5:00, 6:30, 8:00pm

Sundays:

April 11, 18, 25, May 2, 16, 23, 30, June 6, 13, 20, 27
 ~ 9:30, 11:00am, 12:30, 2:00pm ~
 May 9 ~ 12:30, 2:00pm
 July 11 ~ 11:00am, 1:30pm

Saturdays:

April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 8, July 10 ~ 12:30, 2:00, 3:30, 5:00pm
 May 15, 29, June 5, 19 ~ 9:30, 11:00am, 12:30, 2:00, 4:30, 6:00pm
 May 22, June 12 ~ 9:30, 11:00am, 12:30, 2:00, 4:30, 6:00, 7:30, 9:00pm

No BOWLING THE WEEKEND
 OF JULY 2ND - 4TH
 (JULY 4TH WEEKEND)

THE WEEKEND OF JUNE 25 - 27TH
 THERE ARE SQUADS FRIDAY AND SUNDAY ONLY
 - No SQUADS SATURDAY, JUNE 26TH -

RESERVATIONS ARE SUGGESTED AS SQUADS WITH NO RESERVATIONS MAY BE CANCELLED.
 _____ A MINIMUM OF 4 BOWLERS IS REQUIRED TO RUN A SQUAD _____




SPECIAL SQUADS MAY BE ARRANGED THROUGH THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR.

Captain's Information - Must be Completed for Doubles.

Name: _____
 Signature: _____
 Address: _____
 City/State: _____ Zip: _____
 Phone # Day: _____ Evening: _____
 Email Address: _____
 Local USBC/CTF Assoc: _____
 Assoc. Phone #: _____

Complete for Authorization of Credit Card

Name on Card: _____
 Card No.: _____
 Type of Card: M/C Visa Discover
 Exp. Date: _____
 Signature: _____

LILAC NO-TAP TOURNAMENT RULES

Bowlers: Please read carefully! Failure to abide by any of the following rules may result in your disqualification.

GENERAL:

- 1) All USBC Rules not specified here will be in effect.
- 2) Photographs will be taken of bowlers placing in the Top 5 of each event. You will be notified by your scoring attendant should this be required. Refusal or failure to have photo taken will result in disqualification.
- 3) All bowlers are required to be USBC Certified. USBC Membership Cards must be shown at check-in. Non-certified bowlers and bowlers certified or sanctioned outside of the USBC may enter by purchasing an associate membership from USBC for \$21. (An optional Participation Fee of \$5 may be paid to enter the Lilac City No-Tap Tournament ONLY. NOTE: This will NOT cover any other tournament entered!)
- 4) Any bowler entering the Lilac No-Tap who is not eligible as to USBC Membership shall forfeit any claims to refunds and/or prize money, and all associated scores of said bowler disqualified.
- 5) PRIZES: All guarantees as listed on the front of tournament entry application will be paid as well as at least one (1) prize for every ten (10) entries. All prize fees will be returned 100%.
- 6) Post dated and/or starter checks will not be accepted for payment of entry fees. *Only certified checks, money order, charge card, or cash will be accepted at time of bowling.*
- 7) RETURNED CHECKS WILL BE CHARGED A \$30 FEE AND IF NOT PAID IN FULL BY JULY 11, 2010 WILL RESULT IN THE DISQUALIFICATION OF ALL SCORES FOR THE INDIVIDUAL, DOUBLES, AND GROUP ASSOCIATED WITH SAID CHECK.
- 8) Entries close prior to the start of the last squad listed on July 11, 2010. POSITIVELY NO REFUNDS AFTER THE FINAL SQUAD HAS BEGUN.

BOWLER ELIGIBILITY:

- 9) This tournament is open to all USBC Certified Members following these guidelines:
 - a) Singles is one event where Men and Women compete for the same prize fund.
 - b) Doubles Teams may be Men, Women, or Mixed, all competing for the same prize fund.
 - c) Two first year bowlers* are not allowed to bowl together in Doubles.
 - d) PROFESSIONAL BOWLERS** ARE NOT ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE.
 - e) NON-USBC: Special consideration will be given to bowlers certified and/or sanctioned outside of the USBC. However, all bowlers must submit entry forms to our office at least TWO WEEKS prior to bowling. In addition, a copy of each bowler's *personal current league history*, signed by their league secretary, must accompany all entry forms. Walk-ins will not be allowed. Call if clarification is needed.
- 10) Unmarried high school students under the age of 18 must furnish the tournament with a signed parental consent form at least 1 week prior to participating. In the event they are bowling with the parent or legal guardian, the form may be filled out at the time of bowling. Failure to do so will disqualify all scores and prize money associated with the bowler.

AVERAGES: (NOTE: USBC Bowlers may obtain their average information by visiting www.bowl.com.)

- 11) All bowlers will enter using their HIGHEST USBC, CTF, or other Nationally certified or sanctioned average from the past three seasons (2007-08, 08-09, 09-10), minimum of 21 games. Current season average used will be "at time of bowling". In addition:
 - a) Collegiate, USBC Youth, Sanctioned or Certified Summer League, and uncertified or unsanctioned league averages do not satisfy entry requirements but must be reported and will be used should it be higher than other averages submitted.
 - b) All bowlers entering the Lilac City No-Tap Tournament must have a certified or sanctioned average from either the 2008-09 or 2009-10 season. If not, that bowler must bowl scratch in all events.
 - c) Any CURRENT SEASON AVERAGE of 15 games or more, but less than 21 games, that exceeds a bowler's entering average by 10 or more pins, must be reported for possible adjustment.
 - d) Any bowler who has averaged 10 or more pins higher than his/her entering average, in any of the past 10 seasons, must report this at time of registration for possible adjustment.
 - e) If any average is from a Sport League (also known as Tough Shot and PBA Experience), it must be reported as such, and will be adjusted as per the USBC conversion chart. Use of this average for entry may be denied.
 - f) DOUBLES: At least 1 bowler must have a current season average. (2009-10) In addition, at least 1 bowler must have Certified or Sanctioned averages in 2 of the past 3 seasons. If not, both bowlers must bowl scratch in Doubles.
 - g) Failure to report averages, that form the basis for the tournament director to accept, adjust, or deny entry, shall result in disqualification.
 - h) It is each bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of his/her average, whether originally submitted by the bowler, team captain, or other.
- 12) Use of CURRENT SEASON AVERAGE prior to either the end of the league season or the date that averages are submitted to your local association, requires that notarized verification of the stated average be submitted to our office by the last day of the tournament, if not at time of bowling. Average reported at first event will be used throughout the tournament.
- 13) Failure to use the proper average, or make a correction at the time of bowling, may disqualify any score. Prize winnings will be based on the average submitted if it is higher than the correct average. Average corrections must be submitted to the tournament office, in writing, within 7 days from the date of bowling.
- 14) Tournament Management has the right to adjust scores after bowling should verified average or other pertinent information become available that was not available at time of check-in.
- 15) The maximum average for handicap in this tournament is 220 for Singles, and 440 for Doubles.
- 16) The team captain's signature on the application verifies all information to be correct as submitted.

AVERAGE ADJUSTMENT:

- 17) All entrants are required to be familiar with USBC Rule 319E rerating requirements and comply with all requirements in each separate event.
 - a) In addition to tournament scores from the previous 12 month period, ALL scores from the previous (2009) Lilac City Tournament, Inc. events must be used in calculating a tournament average.
 - b) The tournament has the right to adjust, reject, or reclassify any entry without penalty prior to the time of bowling in each separate event.
- 18) Entry fee will be refunded if entrant(s) do not wish to participate after being notified of any adjustment. Only the singles or doubles set affected is eligible for a refund.

HANDICAP:

- 19) In all events, handicap will be based on 90% of the difference of the total average and the maximum average allowed in the event as stated in Rule 15. All entrants over the maximum average in each event may bowl SCRATCH.

DECLARATIONS:

- (for clarification, the word "Certified" replaces the word "Sanctioned" as per USBC)
- 20) All bowlers are required to report at time of registration:
 - a) All prize winnings of \$500 or more in a certified or uncertified event from the previous 24 months, prior to each separate event.
 - b) All scores bowled that were 100 pins or more over his/her average in a 3 game tournament (133 for 4 games, 166 for 5 games) from the previous 24 months, prior to each separate event.
 - c) Any current top 10 position in any tournament or event, certified or uncertified.
 - d) Any rerate or average adjustment, whether accepted or refused, and/or disqualification by any tournament (certified, uncertified, or TV show).
 - 21) Bowlers who fail to report any of the above prior to bowling may be disqualified, forfeiting all tournament fees and winnings. Declaration must be complete, in writing, in ink, signed and dated by the declaring bowler. (Forms are provided at Check-in and by request)
 - 22) When a bowler is requested to submit all tournament scores, he/she must reply in writing within 15 days of the request, whether or not they have scores or winnings to report.

TOURNAMENT PLAY:

- 23) A MINIMUM OF 4 BOWLERS is required to form a squad.
- 24) All bowlers must report to the tournament office one hour before scheduled bowling time to check in. All doubles partners must check in together and have all necessary information with them at this time.
LANES WILL BE ASSIGNED BY THE TOURNAMENT OFFICE.
- 25) The tournament office will try to even up all squads. In the event of circumstances beyond control, bowlers assigned lanes alone must bowl alone. Upon refusal to do so, no entry fee will be returned.
- 26) Three (3) games will be bowled across 6 lanes for each event.
- 27) No-Tap means you that you receive a STRIKE when you knock down nine (9) pins with your first ball. All other scoring is regulation.
- 28) A bowler or bowlers arriving late will be allowed to bowl, however scoring will start with the frame in which they are ready to bowl.
- 29) Substitutions prior to bowling will be allowed in Doubles event. All substitutions must be reported to the tournament office at least one hour prior to bowling.
- 30) When a substitute enters an event already in progress, (not allowed in Singles) the handicap will be based on the original bowler's average or the substitute's, whichever is higher. Substitutions will only be made in the event of injury.
- 31) All claims for an error in scoring must be made to a tournament official immediately. No changes in score will be made after the next bowler bowls.
- 32) If an automatic pinsetter or scorer has a breakdown, the tournament office has the right to move bowlers to other lanes and take whatever steps are necessary to continue play. In the case of irretrievable score loss, that game (not set) must be rebowled.
- 33) The tournament has the right to weigh any ball after bowling. If the ball is found to be illegal, this will disqualify the bowler, all scores, and no refunds will be made. Bowlers may have the surface and weight of the ball checked prior to bowling.
- 34) Premature termination of the tournament brought on by war, national emergency, or emergencies relating to fire, strikes, labor difficulties, or other reasons beyond the control of AMF Gates Lanes, or the Lilac No-Tap Tournament, shall cause the foregoing prize list to be prorated in accordance to the number of entrants who have bowled in the tournament at the time of termination.
- 35) The Tournament Director and/or Assigns have final say regarding all questions and/or disputes arising in the Lilac City Tournament.

MULTIPLE PARTICIPATION:

- 36) A bowler may compete 5 times in each event. A bowler may bowl twice with the same doubles partner. In doubles events, a bowler may cash only once with the highest score with the same partner, but as many times as scores indicate if you change. In singles, a bowler may only cash once, with his/her highest score.

DEFINITIONS:

*First Year Bowler: A Bowler who has never had a certified or sanctioned average in an adult league prior to the 2009-10 season or has not had a certified or sanctioned average in any of the past 5 seasons (05-06 thru 09-10) with the possible exception of 2009-10.

**Pro Bowler Rule: We consider our tournament an "Amateur Event" and therefore restrict the following. Members of any Professional Bowling Association, PBA Women's Series, any National or International Team members, former members whose memberships have not terminated more than three years prior to April 10, 2010, and former members who have won a professional title in the past 10 years. (2000-01 season to present) In addition, should we determine past performances as beyond that of what we consider "amateur", we reserve the right to deem a bowler as "Professional" strictly with regard to entry requirements for Lilac City Tournament, Inc. events. We suggest calling our office should you have questions or need further explanation.

Failure to abide by any of the above rules may result in your disqualification.

This Tournament is governed by the Laws of the State of New York. The venue for any cause of action shall be Monroe County.

