# SPRINGFIELD CLARK COUNTY USBC 5th ANNUAL SENIOR QUEENS TOURNAMENT

**USBC** Certified

### January 31st - February 1st, 2026 VICTORY LANES

#### A MINIMUM OF 8 ADVANCE ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED OR TOURNAMENT WILL BE CANCELLED

ENTRY FEE PER PERSON		MAIL YOUR ENTRY WITH CHECK TO:	Scan the QR code
BOWLING FEE	\$18.00	KIM MCGOWAN, TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR	below to register online today!
EXPENSE	\$1.00	312 E CASSILLY ST	
PRIZE FUND	\$21.00	SPRINGFIELD, OH 45505	27
TOTAL	\$40.00	PHONE #: 937-717-0773	
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## Make checks payable to Springfield Clark County USBC Advance Entries close January 24, 2026

Walk-in Entries Welcome Saturday (1/31) Until 2:45PM – Additional \$10.00 Fee

Qualifying: Saturday, January 31st at 3:30 PM - All entrants -3 games

Semi-finals: Sunday, February 1st at 9:00 AM -Top 50% -3 games

Step Ladder Finals: Sunday, February 1<sup>st</sup> – Immediately after Semi-Finals

### THIS TOURNAMENT WILL BE BOWLED ON A HOUSE SHOT

Name:	USBC #:	
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip;
Phone #:		

### SPRINGFIELD CLARK COUNTY SENIOR QUEENS TOURNAMENT RULES

- 1. This is a singles tournament open to any SCC female sanctioned member at least 50 years of age as of the date of the tournament. There is no qualifying average required. This is a scratch tournament. No handicap.
- 2. Squad Times:
  - a. **Qualifying Round:** All bowlers will roll 3 games across 6 lanes. Each succeeding game shall be started with each bowler moving one pair of lanes to her right across the tournament lanes. At the conclusion of the qualifying round the top 50% will move on to the semifinals on Sunday. If the cut produces an odd number of bowlers, then the next qualifier will be included in the semifinals. All bowlers must personally draw for their starting position at the conclusion of the qualifying rounds or be subject to disqualification. All pins from the qualifying rounds will be dropped and the semifinals will begin at 0.
  - b. <u>Semifinals:</u> Each bowler will bowl three games on each assigned pairs of lanes. The order of bowling will be with the bowler on the odd lane starting the match. The total pins for all 3 games will determine the seeded positions for the stepladder finals. In case of injury the first alternate will move into the last qualifying position. The alternate must be available until the conclusion of the semifinals to be eligible for any prize money. The number of bowlers in the stepladder finals will be based on the number of entries. A minimum of 1 in 4 entries will bowl in the stepladder finals. Guarantee of at least 3 bowlers in stepladder finals. Maximum of 5 bowlers to bowl in stepladder finals.
  - c. <u>Stepladder Finals:</u> To be bowled approximately 15 minutes after the announcement of the finalists. The finals will consist of one game matches. The upper seed will select her starting lane with the bowler on the left lane bowling first. Each match will be bowled on the same pair of lanes.
- 3. Entrants will be allowed 10 minutes of practice on the starting pair only for the Qualifying and Semifinal rounds. Each bowler will receive 2 practice balls on each lane prior to the start of the stepladder finals.
- 4. A player arriving late shall begin play and her score shall count beginning with the frame being bowled. Failure to appear, regardless of cause, will constitute forfeiture. Entrants should check in at least 30 minutes prior to scheduled starting time.
- 5. **Ties:** 
  - a. **Qualifying Round:** In case of a tie for the final position of the cut both players will move on to the semifinals.
  - b. **Semifinal Round and Step-Ladder Finals:** In the case of a tie for any of the stepladder final places, there shall be an immediate roll-off consisting of a complete 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> frame, bowled in single frames.
- 6. The application of any foreign substance on any part of the approach that detracts from the possibility of other players having normal conditions is prohibited. This includes but is not limited to such substances as talcum powder, resin, and pumice on shoes, also soft rubber soles or heels that rub off on the approach.
- 7. All players are required to wear appropriate attire. Sweatpants, spandex(anywhere), belly shirts, short shorts, and the like are not appropriate attire. No eating or drinking in the bowling area.
- 8. Only bowlers and tournament officials are allowed in the bowling area.
- 9. A prize list will be posted at the lanes at the time of bowling. Prize money will be paid at the conclusion of the tournament.
- 10. The tournament director will decide all other questions and issues.
- 11. The Senior Queens Tournament Committee shall have the power to hear and act on disputes, complaints or protests relating to the tournament. The decision of the committee is final unless an appeal is made to the SCC or USBC. All USBC rules and regulations shall govern this Tournament along with specific rules as drawn up by the Senior Queens Committee and/or the SCC Board of Directors.
- 12. The Springfield Clark County USBC will not be responsible for any injuries or illnesses resulting from the entrant bowling in this tournament.