



## **The Elyria USBC Women's and Men's Bowling Association Hall of Fame Rules and Guidelines.**

Purpose: The purpose of the organization is to perpetuate the names of bowlers who have displayed outstanding ability in the game. They have also contributed through the general welfare and progress of the game in the Elyria USBC Bowling Association area.

Officers & Directors: The officers and the board of directors of the Elyria USBC Bowling Association shall have full control of the Hall of Fame. It shall supervise the Hall of Fame in such a manner as to assure a living, active organization serving the purpose for which it was created.

Permanent Nominating & Balloting Committee: A special committee or chairperson will be appointed by the president to receive the nominations and review the applications to ensure accuracy.

Nominees: Any member of the Elyria USBC bowling association may submit names of women or men nominees along with the ELYRIA USBC Hall of Fame application and their qualifications and achievements to the Hall of Fame Committee/Chairperson by the published deadline.

### Categories:

- Superior Performance – Men and Women (yearly)\*
- Meritorious Service – Men and Women (Even years) \*\*

\*Not more than two (2) women and three (3) men may be elected each year in the Superior Performance Category. Applicants will be ranked by point system noted on application. Top 2 women and top 3 men will be inducted.

\*\*Only one applicant will be eligible for induction per year, based on points.

Awards: Candidates elected to the EWBA Hall of Fame shall be presented awards as the annual awards banquet. Posthumous award presentation shall be made to the next of kin.

### Superior Performance Award:

The bowler should be a credit to the association, dependable and loyal to the association and conducts himself/herself at all times in the best interest of sportsmanship.

Men: Bowling achievements will receive points and the minimum points required to qualify are 100 with honor scores from within the Elyria USBC Association.

Women: Bowling achievements will receive points and the minimum points required to qualify are 40 with honor scores within the Elyria USBC Association.

**Meritorious: (TBD)**

To the man or woman bowler who has been a member past or present of the EWBA/Elyria USBC for at least 15 years. The Bowler will have served the Elyria USBC Association through league service, committee roles and board positions. The bowler should also have been a credit to the association. The member must achieve a minimum of 30 points to qualify for consideration as noted on the application.

**Expenses:**

The expense of operating the Elyria USBC Hall of Fame shall be borne by the Elyria USBC Bowling Association.

Applicants that did not receive the top score will be notified. They can resubmit the next year and add on any additional achievements.