Classic Scratch Tournament
Sunset Lanes
Moorhead, MN

Sunday, December 13, 2026 - 9:00AM Start

BOWLER INFORMATION NAME:	ADDRESS:	USBC ID #

Tournament Rules: **USBC Certified**

1. This is a singles tournament open to all certified Fargo-Moorhead USBC members.
2. The entry fee for the tournament will be $75.00 per bowler. ($17.50 – Lineage, $5.00 – Expenses, $52.50 – Prize Fund).
3. All competition will be SCRATCH.
4. The format will be as follows:
    - **Round 1:** Bowlers will bowl 4 games (changing a pair of lanes after each game moving to the right) with two oil patterns (short and long on each pair), with 10 minutes of warm-up prior to the start. The top 24 bowlers based on scratch series will advance to Round 2.
    - **Round 2:** Lanes will be re-oiled with one of the oil patterns from Round 1, selected prior to the beginning of competition via coin flip. Pins will not carry-over from Round 1. Bowlers will bowl 3 games (changing a pair of lanes after each game moving to the right), with 5 minutes of warm-up prior to the start. The top 12 bowlers based on scratch series will advance to Round 3.
    - **Round 3:** Pins will not carry over from Rounds 1 & 2. Bowlers will bowl 3 games. The top 5 bowlers based on scratch game will advance to the stepladder round.
    - **Stepladder Round:** 5th place bowler will bowl the 4th place bowler in a one game elimination match. The winner will advance to bowl the 3rd place bowler in a one game elimination match. The winner will advance to bowl the 2nd place bowler in a one game elimination match. The winner of that match will take on the 1st place bowler. There will be a lane for warm-ups for advancers to the stepladder round. The higher seed will have choice of lane before the match begins.
5. All ties will be broken with a 9th and 10th frame roll-off.
6. Bowlers will be placed for Round 1 by drawing for lane assignments.
7. All entries and fees shall be in the tournament office on or before the day of the tournament.
8. Rule 319 is waived for this tournament.
9. The FM USBC Board of Directors shall decide any questions not covered by the tournament rules.

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