RESERVED entries submitted by Wednesday October 8, 2025
All Prize Fees Returned 100%

**USBC Certified Tournament** 

# 2025–2026 ANNUAL LADIES TOURNAMENT



Make Checks Payable to: Upstate SC USBC

Mail Entries & Fees to: Upstate SC USBC 501 Garrison Rd Simpsonville, SC 29681

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# \*\*\* LADIES ONLY TOURNAMENT \*\*\* \*\*\*\* DOUBLES FORMAT \*\*\*\*\*

# SATURDAY OCTOBER 18, 2025 11 AM & 2 PM SUNDAY OCTOBER 19, 2025 12 PM & 3 PM

(\*We have 16 lanes available each squad, and they will be assigned in the order in which I receive the entries)

## RESERVED Entry Closing Date: Midnight Wednesday October 8, 2025



TEAM ENTRY FEE					
Bowling Prize Fee Expense <b>Total</b>	\$ 19.00 \$ 3.00	(14.00 per player) (9.50 per player) (1.50 per player) (25.00 per player)			



#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\* WRITE 1ST AND 2ND CHOICE OF PREFERRED SQUAD TIMES \*\*\*\*\*\*

Choice	Day (Sat/Sun)	Time
1st		
2nd		

List Team Members According to Line-Up	USBC Member#	2024 - 25 Winter Average	2024 - 25 Summer Average
1.			
2.			

Captain's Name	Email Address (*** Required ***)	
Address	Cell Phone:	
City, St, Zip	Other Phone:	
Captain Signature	** All Reserved Confirmations will be sent through EMAIL **	



Official Use Only	Notes:	Date Received	Entry #
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#### 2025 - 2026 ANNUAL LADIES TOURNAMENT RULES

- 1. This tournament is USBC certified and will be governed by USBC and Upstate USBC Association rules. The tournament is open to all females who are USBC members for the 2025-26 season prior to the beginning of tournament competition. Entrants identified as *Professional* will be limited to one (1) on a 2-member team. Professional bowlers without a certified USBC average per rule 3 below will not be allowed to enter. Gender will be determined by the bow ler's assigned gender at birth.
- 2. Reserved entries are to be submitted by midnight October 8, 2025 (postmarked by October 8, 2025). All entries must be filled out completely and <u>full payment must accompany the entry</u>. For entries that are submitted through e-mail, payment arrangements must be made before entry is accepted. Incomplete entries will not be processed. Checks failing to clear on the first deposit will be returned and the check amount along with a \$35.00 service fee must then be resubmitted by cash, Cashier's Check or Money Order.
- 3. Individual Handicap for the Ladies Tournament will be 90% of the difference between the entering average and 230 based on 3 games. The entering average used will be:
  - a. Highest USBC certified average of 21 games or more in the 2024-2025 winter season.
  - b. Bowlers having no 2024-2025 **winter** average will use their highest USBC certified average of 21 games or more in the 2024-2025 **summer** season.
  - c. Bowlers having no average from <u>a</u> or <u>b</u> may use their highest current 2025-2026 USBC certified average of 21 games or more as of Saturday October 18, 2025 (including games rolled Friday October 17, 2025). Using this average will require a written verification from their league secretary.
  - d. Bowlers having none of the above will bowl scratch.
  - e. Ten Pin rule does not apply in this tournament.
  - f. If a bowler has had an average in any of the three(3) previous seasons (winter or summer) that is 15 pins or higher than their entering average from either 3a, 3b or 3c, their entering average may be adjusted to that higher average.
- 4. Prize fund will be 100% distributed to winners. Prizes will be distributed on a 1:6 ratio.
- 5. Rule 319-c Average Adjustments (Rerating), 319-d Reporting Prior Prize Winnings, and Rule 319-e Average Adjustment for Entry in the USBC rulebook will apply. Pacers are not permitted (Rule 323). Please note that the prize winnings amount reporting threshold in rule 319-d has changed from previous years.
- 6. It is the bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of the average used. Failure to use the proper average, or make a correction prior to competition in the first game of a series, may disqualify the score if the submitted average is lower than their actual average, or tournament standing will be based on the submitted average if it is higher.
- 7. Multiple entries will be accepted but the same pair in Doubles may not place more that once on the prize list.
- 8. There will be no refund of any entry fees after the tournament entry has been processed.
- 9. All entrants must check-in at least 30-minutes prior to the scheduled squad time. Substitutions may be made at this time. Line-up will not be changed prior to the squad; the substitute will bowl in the original lineup position of the bowler being replaced. The substitute does not reimburse the original entrant the entry fee and is entitled to any prize won.

### 10. Dress Code

- a. No hats or head coverings of any type will be worn unless bowler has a statement of medical necessity.
- b. No tank tops, gym shorts, halter tops, short-shorts or T-shirts with offensive printing will be permitted.
- c. All decisions of proper attire will remain with the on-site Tournament Manager.
- 11. Cell phones & other electronic communication devices **MUST BE** set to silent during competition. No flash photography is permitted during competition. Food & drink is not permitted in the bowlers pit area.
- 12. Squad choice & lane assignments are dictated by the date entry is received.
- 13. USBC rules will govern any rules not covered here. The tournament Site manager will make all decisions regarding tournament rules during the tournament.