

### **Annual Tournament Rules:**

1. The Iowa Senior Bowling Committee requires that all entrants be members of an Iowa local association or to have been a resident of the state of Iowa for at least 30 days prior to the time they are scheduled to compete in the tournament. The tournament is open to all male bowlers 50 years of age or more as of December 31 the year of the Tournament. Entrants will compete in the age class according to their age at the end of the calendar year in the Singles and All Events. Age is required for all entrants on the entry form.
2. Entrants may bowl twice in the Team Event, but at least 2 members must be different. Bowlers may bowl multiple times in Doubles, must change partners and may only cash once in the top 10 of their respective age division singles events. The first doubles and singles scores will be used for All-events.
3. Bowlers must present USBC card and must be current USBC members.
4. Bowlers must check in 30 minutes before scheduled time to bowl. Substitutes must check in 1 hour prior to bowling.
5. In the event of any ties for plaques, duplicate awards will be issued.
6. USBC rules will govern this tournament. All scores qualifying for USBC awards must be reported to the manager.
7. USBC tournament Rule 319-E [tournament average adjustment] is **Waived**
8. USBC tournament Rule 319-D [report of previous tournament winnings] is **Waived**
9. USBC tournament Rule 319-A item 2[report of current average 10-pins higher than last season is **Waived**
10. **Entering average:**  
Previous season highest USBC league average of 21 or more games. If no average last year, use highest current USBC league average at the time of entry of 21 or more games need to provide a current league standing sheet to have average verified. Bowlers without last year or current season average of 21 games or more must use 150. Failure to use the correct average may disqualify the score if submitted average is lower than correct average, thereby resulting in a lower classification or more handicap. All averages will be verified on Bowl.com.
11. Use of abrasives on the bowling ball surface once competition begins is prohibited.
12. All Substitute bowler averages will be verified prior to prize money being awarded.
13. All bowling balls must be on an approved USBC List.
14. Handicap is 90% of 220 for all bowlers between the ages of 50-89, Handicap is 100% of 220 for all bowlers age is 90 and above.