**NASSBT TOURNAMENT RULES**

1. **REQUIREMENTS** – You must be at least 60 years of age for males and 50 years of age for females.

2. **FEES** – The cost of each event is $100. $5.00 from each entry will be applied to the December year-end prize fund. Decembers entry fee will be $125. A $25.00 annual membership fee is due by your ***fourth*** tournament.

3. **YEAR END TOURNAMENT QUALIFICATION** –To be eligible you must bowl in a minimum of **4** tournaments during the year, which must include **1** summer tournament in (June, July or August).

4. **QUALIFYING FORMAT** – This tournament consists of 5 games of qualifying, moving pairs of lanes after each game. Should a tie occur after 5 games of qualifying, a 9th & 10th frame roll-off will determine the winner. If another tie occurs, the process will be repeated until a winner emerges.

5. **SCORING CHANGES** – Only by Tournament Director or Center staff member. All participants will be responsible for their own re-cap sheets. All scores must be verified by another bowler crossing on your pair of lanes; and submitting them to the tournament office. Any incorrect scores recorded on your re-cap will be subject to disqualification.

6. **DRESS CODE** – **REQUIRED** to wear a shirt with your name on the back; dress slacks, dress shorts, capris, skirts or skorts. ***NO*** hats or headbands.

7. **EQUIPMENT** – All bowling equipment must meet USBC regulations.

8. **APPRECIATION** – Show respect to each host center. Any issues with lane conditions or the center in general, will be addressed to the Tournament Director.

9. **RE-RACKS** – Only 2 re-racks are allowed per game, more than that requires director’s approval.

10. **CHECK IN** - Saturday tournaments start check in at 8:30 am. Sunday tournaments start check-in at 9:30 am. Late entries will receive **ZERO** for any frames missed.

11. **LANE ASSIGNMENTS** – Will be drawn at the time of check-in. A member meeting will be conducted 15 minutes prior to start time in a designated area. Practice will be allowed for 15 minutes prior to scoring. Ample practice time will be allowed before each match of the finals.

12. **ACCEPTANCE** – NASSBT reserves the right to accept or reject anyone from membership in their organization or participating as a non-member.

13. **RULES** – Governed by USBC rules. The Tournament Director has final say on all disputes & interpretation.

14. **QUALIFYING** – A one out of four ratio for qualifying will be used in this tournament.

15. **ELIGIBILITY – \* *NO*** NATIONAL OR SENIOR PBA TOUR TITLEHOLDERS ARE ELIGIBLE.

**RULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE**