

Tuesday Trio Summer 2024 LEAGUE BYLAWS

This league is called the Tuesday Trio (Summer 2024)

This league will consist of 23 teams of 3 adult bowlers per team of any mix.

1. Schedule

League will start on 05/21/2024 and bowl for 11 weeks.

There will be no days we don't bowl. There will be 1 position round scheduled on July 30th.

Final week of league will be on 07/30/2024.

Practice will start at 6:20p.m. Bowling will start at 6:30p.m.

2. Management

The management of this league shall be vested in the Board of Directors, which shall consist of League Officers, Zachary LeQuieu, and team captains.

Officers:

Secretary: Tanya Ramirez

President: Matt Massa

Vice President: Robert Dismuke

3. Fees

The amount to be paid by each member each night shall be \$20, broken down as follows:

Lineage: \$12.15

Sec/Treas: \$1 (to be paid at the end of the league) Prize Fund: \$6.85

The bowling fees for the last 2 weeks of the schedule shall be paid by each member before completion of the 9th week. On Week 9, you will pay \$60 if you have been paying \$20 per week up to this point. Failure to pay remaining league fees will result in bowler being declared ineligible and vacant score/handicap will be used. NO SUBS will be allowed in the last 2 weeks of the league schedule unless added to roster prior to the last 2 weeks.

Each team shall turn in team envelopes to the Secretary no later than the end of the 1st game. Please make sure this is the first thing you do when you arrive at the bowling center. Please make time to stop by your local bank as the bowling center will only accept CASH and CHECK payments. CHECKS should be endorsed to "AMF PIN PALACE LANES".

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A bowler who is behind more than 2 weeks in payments will not be allowed to bowl and a vacancy score will be used until all monies are made up. NO EXCEPTIONS. If bowler bowls knowing they are behind more than 2 weeks in arrears, they will subject their team to forfeiting 1 point per night per week until league fees are current. Fees will be determined to be current once the team envelope has been turned into Zachary LeQuieu/Tanya Ramirez and has been verified league fees have been made current.

IMPORTANT: Bowlers who are on the team roster and are scheduled to bowl are responsible for paying fees (\$20). Fees must be paid by the bowler scheduled to bowl regardless of whether the bowler is present, blind, or uses a substitute. It is the responsibility of the Team Captain to ensure that all team members are current on league fees.

4. League Funds

An In-Center Banking account shall be opened with AMF Pin Palace Lanes in the name of this League, in which league funds will be deposited weekly. President shall audit the league account at least once a month.

5. Sanction

The league will be sanctioned by the USBC. Sanction Fees are a yearly fee and require yearly renewal. If you have not paid a sanction Fee since July 2023 you will need to renew your membership.

If anyone bowls and is not Active or current with USBC, the game will be forfeited. You may sign up and pay directly with Zach or Tanya.

You can also pay online <https://bowl.com/about-us/join-now>.

Sanction Fees: Men: \$25 Women: \$25

6. Prizes

Prior to the start of the schedule, the president shall appoint a committee of at least 3 members to draw up a prize list. The prize fund list must be approved by the Board of Directors and Distributed to each time captain within 5 weeks after the startup of the season.

7. Averages

A series of 3 games must be bowled to establish an individual average.

8. Handicaps

Handicap will be based on 90% of the difference between the bowler's average and a scratch score of 220.

9. Team Rosters

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Team Captains will turn in team rosters of team members to Zachary/Tanya prior to the start of the schedule. Rosters will be limited to 6 players per team.

A bowler withdrawing from the league must give 2 weeks' notice to their Team Captain and Zachary/Tanya and is responsible for paying the bowling fees for those weeks.

New bowlers cannot be added to the team roster in the final 2 weeks of the schedule without unanimous approval of all team captains.

10. Substitutes

Substitutes will be allowed in this league and must be a USBC member.

Men may sub for women, and women may sub for men.

No SUBS will be allowed in the last 2 weeks of the league schedule. Only members of your team are eligible to bowl unless they have not paid their last two weeks league fees on the night of Week 9.

11. Legal Line-ups

A minimum Legal line Up includes at least 1 member from the team roster. 1 player must be present at the start of each game to constitute a legal line-up.

12. Tardy Players

A bowler who arrives late may enter the first game provided the first ball of the 4th frame has not been bowled. Missed frames may be made up. Bowlers must be present before the start of the second game or the third game to bowl.

13. Forfeitures

When a game is declared forfeited, the team present shall bowl as though the game was contested. When a team fails to have a minimum legal line-up, the opposing team must bowl within 10 pins of their current average to win team points.

Any subs who bowl and are not a USBC member, the game is declared a forfeit.

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14. Absentee and Vacancy Score

Teams without a bowler shall use a 120-vacancy score with a 90 pin handicap. Once a bowler has established an average, the absentee score shall be the bowler's average plus their handicap minus 10 pins.

15. Pre-bowled or Post-bowled Games

All Pre/Post Bowls must be approved by an officer before bowling. Availability is limited and at the mercy of the bowling center, limited spots are available. The entire team must be present for the pre or post (one can't post/pre bowl and the other bowl during league). Any games bowled without approval from an officer may get forfeited.

16. Points System

A total of eight (8) points may be won per night: one (2) point for each of three games bowled and won, plus one (2) point for total pins plus handicap in the series.

17. Roll-Offs/Play offs

To determine the winner of any play off for 1st place or any trophy position a 3-game series shall be bowled under the same conditions governing the league play during the regular season. An extra 10th frame shall be bowled in the event of a tie at the end of the play-off series.

18. Bowler's Area

Children will NOT be allowed in the bowling area.

19. Conduct

Bowlers are expected to adhere to conduct not detrimental to the league. Any action a bowler does that is considered detrimental will receive a warning. (e.g. loud profanity, kicking the ball return, punching console, etc.) Any action thereafter and the bowler will be asked to leave for the evening. Please always be friendly and courteous. Be kind to staff and other guests.

20. For rules not covered herein, the league will abide by the USBC rulebook. (thumb hole)

21. The Official League rules will be held by Zachary Lequieu and the bowling center.