

IOWA STATE MIXED TOURNAMENT RULES

1. All entrants must be members of the Iowa State USBC WBA or the Iowa State USBC BA for the current season.
2. The tournament rules shall be governed by the USBC General Playing Rules and Certified Tournament rules.
 - USBC Rule 319a-2 (10 pin rule) will not apply
 - USBC Rule 319a-3 (bowlers responsibility for correct average) will apply
 - USBC Rule 319d (previous prize winnings) will not apply
 - USBC Rule 319e (average adjustment for entry) will apply
3. Multiple participation will be allowed in the Team event with at least two (2) different team members on each entry. Multiple participation will be allowed in the Doubles event as long as one (1) team member is different on each entry. All substitutes must be gender specific. The first team and doubles score will be the score used for All Events.
4. No entry fees will be refunded after fifteen (15) days from the closing date or fifteen (15) days from the date of confirmation. Rescheduling of any event may be made at the discretion of the Tournament Director. Refunds for overpayment of fees will not be issued for less than \$5.00.
5. All references to averages shall apply to averages established in any USBC certified leagues and associations in the following order:
 - (a) Entrants must use their highest average of not less than twenty-one (21) games in any league at the end of the previous season. This includes summer average of at least twenty-one (21) games.
 - (b) Any member who did not have an established average the previous season shall use their highest average of not less than twelve (12) games in one league including league play of October 18 of the current season.
 - (c) If no 12-game average as of October 18, the bowler will use their highest average of at least twelve (12) games as of their first date of tournament participation.
 - (d) If a bowler does not meet any of the previously listed average requirements, they may enter the tournament with a 240 average.
6. The Iowa State Mixed Tournament will be handicapped at 100% of a 240 base. Prize ratio will be one out of every five entries (1:5) for Team and Doubles, and one out of every ten entries (1:10) for All Events.
7. Championship awards shall be presented to the Team, Doubles, and All Events champions in each division. If a tie for first place occurs in any event, co-champions will be declared. Prize money will be combined and divided equally, and duplicate awards will be presented.
8. Misconduct, offensive behavior or attire will not be permitted. An offending entrant(s) may be prevented from beginning or continuing to bowl. They shall forfeit those games and shall be dismissed from the bowling establishment. The decision of the Iowa State USBC WBA Tournament Director, President, any Board member, or the Tournament Director's assistants shall be final in these matters.
9. Pacers will not be allowed in this tournament.

Disclaimer: The entrants whose names appear hereon, or their authorized replacements, hereby agree that the Iowa State USBC Women's Bowling Association, Inc., its officers and agents, shall be liable to the extent of returning entry fees if and when these entrants shall be prevented from bowling any event in the tournament through the delay, unexpected yet necessary schedule changes, or premature termination of the tournament which may be brought about by war, national emergency or emergencies of causes relating thereto or resulting there from, fires, strikes, lockouts, labor difficulties or other causes beyond the control of the Iowa State USBC Women's Bowling Association, Inc.