



# Carson Country USBC

## 2024 Annual City Open Championship

Tournament Dates: January 27-28, 2024

HomeGrown Bowl  
4600 Snyder Ave.  
Carson City, Nevada 89701  
(775) 883-2606

50/50 and  
Brackets will be  
run during this  
tournament

**Entries Close on January 25, 2024 – No Walk-ins**

### Squad Times

Squad #1: Saturday, January 27, 2024, ..... 1:00 p.m.  
Squad #2: Saturday, January 27, 2024, ..... 4:00 p.m.  
Squad #3: Sunday, January 28, 2024, ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Squad #4: Sunday, January 28, 2024, ..... 1:00 p.m.



### Entry Fee Per Person Per Event

Lineage.....	\$10.00
Prize fund.....	\$19.00
Expenses .....	\$1.00
Total .....	\$30.00

**Complete Payment of All Entry Fees is Due at the Time the Entry Form is Submitted**

Optional All-Events (Payout is 1 in 10)

Handicap - \$5.00

Scratch - \$5.00

Please deposit your entries in the Association Boxes located at your bowling center or mail them to Elaine Agnason, CCUSBC Association Manager, 759 Bluerock Rd, Gardnerville, NV 89460 (775-901-2996) or go online to [www.ccusbcnv.com](http://www.ccusbcnv.com) and use our fillable entry form.

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### Tournament Rules



1. This tournament is open to all current USBC members, in good standing. Members not sanctioned with Carson Country USBC may enter by paying the appropriate (national, state and/or local) membership dues.
2. The entry fee for this tournament is \$30.00 (lineage of \$10.00, expenses of \$1.00 and prize fund of \$19.00) per person per event (team, doubles, and singles). The optional all-events will be \$5.00 handicap and \$5.00 scratch. Entry fees may be paid via cash, check, money order or credit card (online only). Make checks payable to CCUSBC. Entrant is responsible for returned checks; a \$40.00 collection fee will be charged. If a check is returned, the entrant will be required to pay the entry fee and bank fees via cash prior to squad time or entry will be voided. Registration for this tournament ends on January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024.
3. Entrants must use their highest USBC sanctioned league average, regardless of whether bowled as a regular member or a substitute. **Note that USBC Rule 319a (ten-pin rule) will apply.** Averages will be accepted in the following order:
  - a. Highest winter 2022-23 book average.
  - b. Highest summer 2023 book average.
  - c. Highest 2021-22 book average:
  - d. Highest current league average of at least 21 games;
  - e. Entrants with no average will enter at 240.

**Averages will be adjusted according to USBC rules for all PBA Leagues and Sport/Challenge Shot Leagues or ANY league that changes patterns for their league throughout the season.**
4. Each entrant is responsible to verify the accuracy of age and average. If the submitted average is lower than required and results in more handicap, the bowler's score is disqualified. If the submitted average is higher than required, prize winnings will be based on the submitted average.
5. Handicap will be determined on a game basis, based on 90% of 240 (except all-events scratch) and applied to each bowler.
6. Entrants must check in no less than 30 minutes prior to squad time for lane assignments and presentation of USBC card. For the team event, team captains should check their team in with all members' USBC cards. Any participant arriving after the game has started will be allowed to bowl and the score will count beginning in the frame then being bowled. No score will be given for the frames missed. The Tournament Manager must be advised of substitutions at least one hour before the scheduled bowling time.
7. All prize money will be returned 100%, in the event collected, on a ratio of 1 out of 4, except all events, which will be 1 out of 10, or major portion thereof. Prize checks will be distributed within 30 days after the tournament closes (except when USBC has authorized delay in payment pending the settlement of any claim or protest that affects position standings).
8. In case of ties for cash prizes, money for the places tied will be divided accordingly.
9. The tournament shall consist of a four-person team event (a team can consist of four women, four men or four mixed), a doubles event, a singles event and all-events. Anyone bowling singles must bowl doubles. Singles are bowled immediately following doubles; there will be no splitting squads. Anyone bowling doubles must bowl singles unless it is a doubles re-entry. Doubles/Singles are bowled in a 6-game block. If the doubles partner has not arrived and a substitute is not available, the present bowler will be permitted to bowl the games in the doubles event to qualify for all-events. Three consecutive games shall be bowled in each event and total pins shall decide the winner. The total of nine games bowled shall determine the all-events winners.
10. An entrant may participate in Team event two times; however, 3 or more bowlers on a team will be considered the same team and may not place more than once. An entrant may participate in the singles event one time. Doubles with different partners will be allowed two times. When a bowler competes more

than once in team and/or doubles events, the first scores bowled in team and doubles shall count toward the all-event score, which is the total of the team, doubles and singles scores.

11. A substitute will not be required to reimburse the original entrant the fee paid nor; shall the substitute be expected to give the entrant any prize money the substitute may win.
12. The lineup will be the same as shown on the entry form.
13. All recaps should be signed by the team captain for team event and by all bowlers for doubles/singles events. Each bowler is responsible to verify that his or her scores have been written correctly as all recaps are official records of scores bowled. If recaps are not signed, scores will be accepted as read.
14. Errors in scoring must be reported prior to the start of the next squad.
15. Disputes involving pin fall, fouls, etc., must be referred to a Tournament Official in the frame in question. Bowlers will not make corrections to the scoring units or recap sheets without a Tournament Official's approval.
16. Any protest affecting eligibility or playing rules must be submitted in writing to the Tournament Manager before the tournament prize payments are made. Recaps are official records of scores bowled.
17. A tournament entrant will not be allowed to re-bowl a game or series, except as authorized by the tournament management when the scores are irretrievably lost from an automatic scoring device.
18. Only bowlers and officials will be allowed in the playing area. No food or beverages will be allowed in the playing area. Only Tournament Officials will be allowed to program, correct and record scores.
19. Bowlers using loud or abusive language or conduct unbecoming of a bowler shall have one warning. If misconduct continues, bowler will be removed from the lanes. The bowler will forfeit any awards and prize money to that event.
20. Reasonable attire is required, and determination is at the discretion of the Tournament Management.
21. The tournament officials are authorized to remove a player for an infraction of USBC and/or CCUSBC rules and regulations that apply to this tournament.
22. Entries will be scheduled according to requests if possible and in the order received. The Tournament Manager, except for an emergency, will not change the schedule. The Tournament Manager will assign lanes for each event. Each event will be bowled on a single pair of lanes. Tournament Management will do its best to accommodate pairings requests if noted on entry form.
23. Should a squad have 8 bowlers or less, the Tournament Manager reserves the right to not hold that squad. Bowlers will be advised and asked to pick another squad, if available.
24. The oil pattern will be the house shot that has been used for a minimum of 2 weeks prior to the start of the tournament.
25. All USBC Rules not mentioned will apply. Tournament Management shall decide any questions not covered by the rules. **The decision of Tournament Management will be final unless appealed in accordance to USBC Rule 329.**



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Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

Team Captain \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Team to Bowl with (if possible) \_\_\_\_\_

### Team Entry (please check squad time)

☐ Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m.

☐ Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup> at 4 p.m.

☐ Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m.

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	List Entrants in Bowling Order (please print legibly)	USBC Sanction Card # (please print legibly)	Entering Average	Optional All-Events Handicap \$5	Optional All-Events Scratch \$5
1					
2					
3					
4					

### Doubles/Singles Entry (please check squad time)

☐ Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m.

☐ Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup> at 4 p.m.

☐ Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m.

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	List Entrants in Bowling Order (please print legibly)	USBC Sanction Card # (please print legibly)	Entering Average
1			
2			
1			
2			

### For Tournament Manager's Use Only

Date Received	Total Money Received	Entry #
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