

The Rochester NY USBC

presents the



John Nevada Memorial 24th Annual Scratch

Senior Masters Championship Tournament

(Age 50 and over – proof of age required)

USBC Certified

February 8 & 9, 2020

AMF DEWEY GARDENS

4470 Dewey Ave Rochester, NY 14612 865-0470



Champion receives Senior Masters Championship Ring,

Paid Entry to the NYS Senior Masters Tournament & Champion's Crystal Pin

Early Entries Must Be Paid in Full by Wednesday, February 5, 2020

Early Entry Fee \$70

Pay 1:4 Ratio

*****After February 5, 2020 Entry Fee is \$90 CASH ONLY*****

New

Format:

4 Game Qualifier

2 Divisions: 50-59, 60 & above

Number of Qualifiers from each division based on percentage.

Total of 16 Qualifiers.

Saturday, February 8th

Qualifying Round

1:00 PM

(Check-in begins at 12:00 PM)

Sunday, February 9th

Match Play Rounds

10:00 AM

(Check-in begins at 9:30 AM)

For reservations or information, call the Rochester NY USBC Office (323-1710).

Mail completed entries with check to

Rochester NY USBC, 745 Titus Avenue Annex, Rochester, NY 14617 Fax: 323-1942

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Age: _____

Download additional entry forms and rules @ WWW.ROCHESTERNYUSBC.ORG

Senior Masters Tournament Rules

USBC rules not specified here will be in effect.

Eligibility: With the exception of Past Champions of the Rochester NY USBC Association Senior Masters and Hall of Fame (HOF) members meeting the age criteria, only current members of the Rochester NY USBC Association with a minimum of 21 games bowled in the current bowling season in the same league and at least 50 years old as of the starting date of this tournament will be eligible to bowl. All previous Senior Masters Champions and HOF members are eligible to bowl as long as they have a valid USBC membership card and have paid the Rochester NY USBC Association membership dues. Both of these may be purchased onsite. Bowlers will be required to show their USBC membership card and proof of age upon request.

Format: This is a scratch tournament. There will be one **4 game qualifying round** moving lanes after each game. **Seeding** for match play will be based on qualifying scores. Based on the number of bowlers in each division, the number of bowlers making the cut, will be calculated on a percentage basis for a total of 16 bowlers. In case of a tie for the last seed, a one game roll-off will be held to break the tie (if a tie still exists, a 9th and 10th frame roll-off will be held). In the event of a tie, the bowler with the highest qualifying game will be seeded higher. **Match play** will consist of single game matches with double elimination (bowlers being eliminated only after losing 2 matches). Ties in match play games will be broken with a 9th and 10th frame roll-off. Each participant will verify their opponent's score.

Administration: The Tournament Director will resolve all disputes during the tournament.

Tardy Bowlers: Any individual failing to appear on the lanes when scheduled to bowl shall receive 0 for each frame missed. Tardy bowlers may begin bowling in the current frame when they are ready to bowl.

DRESS CODE: Proper bowling attire is required. **NO hats, NO shorts, NO t-shirts.** Shirts must have sleeves and collars. Bowling ball company shirts with mock or banded collars of at least 1" in height will also be allowed. If any questions, the Tournament Director will make the final decision. **If you have questions, please reach out to the Tournament Director prior to the tournament.**

USBC Rule 12: USBC Rule 12 will be in effect and enforced. Individuals in violation of the rule will be given (1) warning. If the violation continues, the bowler will be disqualified and their entry fee will be forfeited. USBC Rule 12 states: "The application of any foreign substance on any part of the approach that detracts from the possibility of other players having normal conditions is prohibited. This includes, but is not limited to, talcum powder, pumice and resin on shoes, and/or soft rubber soles or heels that rub off on the approach."

Check-in Procedure: All entrants are asked to report 30 minutes prior to the qualifying round. Bowlers may be required to present their **USBC certification card** and/or **proof of age**.

Re-Rack Rule: A maximum of 2 re-racks per game will be allowed. Additional re-racks must be requested and will be awarded at the discretion of the Tournament Director.

Entry Fee Distribution: Prize fee will be returned 100%. Prizes will be awarded 1 for every 4 entries. A Prize check, Championship Ring, entry to the NYS Senior Masters Tournament and a Champion's Crystal Pin will be presented to the Senior Masters Champion.

Entry Fee Allocation: Entry fees will be allocated as follows (\$30.00 charge on all returned checks):

Prize Fee:	\$51.00
Bowling Expense:	\$12.00
Tournament Expense:	<u>\$ 7.00</u>
	\$70.00 (Late Entry Fee additional \$20.00 – will be added to prize fund)