

# Rochester Youth Leaders

PRESENTS....



## The JBT Team Tournament

Open to ANY certified YOUTH bowler!

**1<sup>st</sup> PLACE Guaranteed...\$1000 SMART SCHOLARSHIP**  
(per TEAM) in BOTH DIVISIONS

SMART Scholarships for additional places will be determined by number of entries

### HANDICAP & MIXED HANDICAP/SCRATCH DIVISIONS

(Combined Team Average)

Bowl 2 games regular bowling, then 4 games baker. After 6 games, the top 4 teams in each division will be seeded into a mini bracket

Cost will be \$160.00 per team

**Doug Kent's Rose Bowl Lanes**

725 West Miller Street, Newark, NY 14513



Sunday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> 9am start Check-in at 8:15am

Early Registration Recommended (Use QR Code)

Name	USBC No	2024 – 2025 Highest Average



# The JBT Team Tournament Rules

1. JBT Tournaments are open to ALL junior bowlers not yet age 18 as of August 1, 2024.
2. Bowlers will use their highest 2024-25 average (min 8 games). If a bowler has not reached an 8-game average for the current season, he/she will use their highest book average. Once a bowler reaches 8 games within the JBT tournaments, a JBT average will be used in each tournament.
  - a. **“Handicap 1”** Division is combined team average with a 760 and below. The calculated average per baker game is a quarter of the combined team average. Handicap 1 is 90% of 190 with a maximum handicap of 70 pins per game for the baker games. The calculated team average during “regular” games, is the combined team average. Handicap 1 for the “regular” games is 90% of 760 with a maximum handicap of 280 pins per game.
  - b. **“Mixed Scratch / Handicap”** Division is any combined team averaging 761 or higher must bowl in the Handicap 2 division. The calculated average per game for the baker games is a quarter of the combined team average. Handicap 2 is 90% of 215 with a maximum of 21 pins per game. The calculated team average during “regular” games, is the combined team average. Handicap 2 for the “regular” games is 90% of 860 with a maximum handicap of 84 pins per game.
3. Bowlers in the Handicap Division must provide either a list of current leagues or verification (displaying average as of 1 week prior to tournament or last season bowled if not updated 1 week prior) from all leagues currently bowled during check-in. **Any bowler that does not provide written verification must bowl the Mixed handicap/scratch division with an average of 215.** The tournament director reserves the right to re-rate any bowler.
4. Dress Code: collared shirts or mock collared shirts, slacks, jeans (like-new and/or blue jeans), yoga/leggings style pants, plaids, cargo pants, dress shorts/skirts/skort, athletic shorts of appropriate length all permitted. No hats, no sweatpants and none of the above with holes, overly worn/ripped, soiled, etc., will be permitted.
5. Foul language, display of temper, or abuse of bowling center equipment will NOT be tolerated and WILL result in immediate disqualification from the tournament. NO REFUNDS.
6. No cell phones, electronic devices, earbuds (pods) or headphones permitted in the Settee area.
7. Each tournament will accept entries on a 1<sup>st</sup> come 1<sup>st</sup> serve basis.
8. Score changes may only be made by a Rochester Youth Leader or tournament official.
9. Any bowler may choose to bowl in the mixed handicap/scratch division regardless of their average.
10. All rules not covered within will be governed by the rules of the USBC.
11. With an entry fee paid, each bowler acknowledges the JBT Tournament Rules. This acknowledges a mutual understanding of provided rules and serves as a WARNING. If a bowler is in violation of any rules, he/she will be immediately disqualified for the current event unless he/she can rectify the situation before the start of the tournament. If the situation can't be corrected, the bowler will not bowl in the current event. Depending on the severity of the violation, further repercussions may result.

## **TOURNAMENT FORMAT:**

- All teams will bowl 2 full regular games, moving lanes after each game. 4 Baker games, switching lanes after the odd game, moving lanes after the even games.
- After qualifying, the top 4 teams will be seeded into a mini bracket
- The 1st and 4th seeds will bowl and the 2nd and 3rd seeds will bowl against each other. The match will be a best of three games match, where the first team to win 2 games will win.
- The winning teams will bowl a best of 5 match where the first team to win 3 games will win.
- Baker competition:
  - o All four players will be assigned a position for the first game. The first bowler will bowl frames 1, 5 and 9, the second bowler will bowl frames 2, 6 and ten, the third player will bowl frames 3 and 7 and the fourth will bowl frames 4 and 8.
  - o Teams must alternate starting bowler for each baker game.
  - o Lineups can be changed at the beginning of each baker game but the rotation must be the same in the second half of the game as the first. As an example – the first four frames dictate the bowlers in the last six in the same rotation.

