



# Florida State USBC 85th Open Championship Tournament

## Hosted by First Coast USBC

### TEAM

**Batt Family Fun Center**  
1838 Cassat Ave.  
Jacksonville, FL 32210  
(904) 389-2360



### DBLS/SGLS

**Bowl America Mandarin**  
10333 San Jose Blvd.  
Jacksonville, FL 32257  
(904) 268-1511

## April 20-21 Resume May 4th thru June 30, 2019

Entries Close March 24, 2019

\$20,000 added to prize from the former Florida State BA, (\$10,000 each).

<i>TEAM</i>		Handicap Entry Fees	<i>DBLS/SGLS</i>	
Prize Fee	\$12.00	\$25.00 per Person	Prize Fee	\$12.00
Linage/Exp.	\$13.00	(per event)	Linage/Exp.	\$13.00
	\$25.00	\$5.00 All Events		\$25.00

**All events optional \$4.50, Expense Fee \$.50 = \$5.00 each**  
**Optional scratch team, doubles and singles prize fund available.**

**Pay Ratio:** at least 1 for each 8 entries for handicap,  
1 out of 10 entries for scratch and 1 out of 10 for all events.

**Handicap based on 90% of 240 scratch.**

Bowler may only bowl once in Doubles and Singles events.

Multiple participation is allowed in TEAM event ONLY.

Official website of FSUSBC: [floridastateusbc.com](http://floridastateusbc.com)  
Director Email: [tournamentbob@aol.com](mailto:tournamentbob@aol.com)



## INSTRUCTIONS

1. ALL ENTRIES must be typed or printed in ink.
2. Full Name of ALL entrants must be shown (First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name).
3. When a bowler is entered on more than one entry form, the entries must be submitted together to assure that they will be scheduled on the same weekend. Crossed entries not submitted together will not be scheduled together, and may be scheduled on different weekends.
4. **NO PERSONAL CHECKS.** Certified Check or Money Orders Payable to: Florida State USBC Assoc. - **Do not send cash!!**
5. You MUST enter both Double and Singles if entered in either.
6. Dress code will be enforced!

**DRESS CODE: Bowlers must wear a shirt with a butterfly type collar or acceptable mock collar, half sleeve, casual slacks, trousers. Any shorts, skirts, skorts must come to the knee. During participation bowlers are NOT permitted to wear: headgear, ear buds or sweats. All clothing must be neat, clean and in good condition. Violators will NOT be allowed to participate in that event. Tournament management reserves the right to make all final decisions on the dress code.**

## TOURNAMENT RULES

1. The Florida State Open Championship Tournament is conducted under the authority of and certified by the United States Bowling Congress and all applicable USBC Rules will govern this Tournament. All participants **must be members** of the USBC and will be required to **show proof of current USBC membership.**
2. The handicap shall be computed on an individual basis of ninety percent (90%) of the difference of an entrants **ENTERING AVERAGE** (see rule 3), as reported from Association records and/or bowl.com and two hundred and forty (240), provided they have bowled a **minimum of twenty-one (21) games.**
3. **ENTERING AVERAGE:**
  - a **2017-18** seasons highest USBC winter league average of 21 or more games.
  - b **If no** winter average, use 2018 summer average of 21 or more games.
  - c **If no** winter or summer average last year, use highest current season USBC average as of Jan. 1, 2019 for 21 or more games.
  - d **Bowlers with none of the above averages must bowl scratch.**
  - e **ENTERING AVERAGES MUST BE ADJUSTED AT THE TIME OF BOWLING IF:**
    - f The current league average of 21 or more games exceeds the entering average by 10 or more pins. Tournament average of 21 or more games for previous 12 months exceeds entering average by 15 or more pins.
    - f Sport league averages will be adjusted in accordance with USBC Rule 201c.
    - g If you are reporting an average from a **CHALLENGE or LIKE LANE CONDITION**, you must report it at the time of entry. Failure to do so may result in disqualification.
4. A right-handed bowler with an established right-handed average must bowl right-handed. Similarly, a left-handed bowler with an established left-handed average must bowl left-handed. A bowler with both a right-handed and left-handed average must use his/her highest average. If a bowler wants to use the opposite hand than the entering average was established with, he/she must notify USBC prior to bowling for average relief.
5. **It is each bowlers responsibility to verify the accuracy of their own average in this tournament, whether originally submitted by the bowler, the team captain or others. Failure to use the correct average may disqualify the score if submitted average is lower than correct average, thereby resulting in a lower classification or more handicap. Prize winning will be based on the submitted average, if it is higher than the correct average. (Rule 319a, item 3). **IF A BOWLER HAS BEEN RERATED OR REFUSED A RERATE IN THE PAST 10 YEARS, IT MUST BE REPORTED AT TIME OF ENTRY.****
6. Reporting of previous tournament winnings will not apply (Rule 319d)
7. There will be at least one cash prize awarded for each eight entries in each event, except all events which is one in ten. The winners in the team, doubles, singles and all events, both handicap and scratch, will be awarded plaques.
8. Entries close at midnight, March 24, 2019. Entry fee will be \$25 per person, per event. All events (optional) \$5.00.
9. Substitutes, along with team captain must present themselves at the tournament office at least 45 minutes before scheduled to bowl.
10. Entrants may bowl only ONCE in doubles and singles (bowlers must enter both doubles and singles if entered in either.) **MULTIPLE PARTICIPATION IS ALLOWED IN TEAM EVENT ONLY.** Must change minimum of 2 bowlers.
11. **NO CHANGES IN TEAM OR DOUBLES ORDER OF BOWLING WILL BE PERMITTED AFTER SCHEDULE IS POSTED.**
12. **ENTRY BLANKS MUST BE COMPLETED SHOWING ALL DATA REQUIRED.**
13. Preference will be given as entries are received. Bowlers residing less than 75 miles from Tournament site will be scheduled after those residing further away. Preference of time should be designated on entry blank.
14. The Tournament Manager provides the OFFICIAL scorekeepers. Print out sheets are official.
15. The **Team Captain** has the responsibility of notifying all bowlers of the schedule assignment. All substitutions should be reported by the **Team Captain.** Any prize money won will be mailed to the **Team Captain** for distribution to the team members.
16. No More than two (2) current PBA members allowed per team and no more than (1) current PBA member allowed on a doubles team.

**TOURNAMENT MANAGEMENT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO RE-RATE ANY ENTRANT PRIOR TO BOWLING.  
IF THE ENTRANT REFUSES THE RE-RATE, ENTRY FEES WILL BE REFUNDED.**

**TO THE TOURNAMENT MANAGER:**

As Team Captain, I hereby, enter the above named team in the Florida State Bowling Tournament and will agree to abide by the tournament and playing rules of the United States Bowling Congress and The Florida State USBC.

*Individual bowler responsible for making sure their average is correct.*

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

TEAM NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**TEAM ENTRY**  
 Give us your email and  
 we will send your confirmation

**Team Event**  
 April 20-21, May 4-5, 11-12, 18-19, 25-26  
 June 1-2, 8-9, 15-16, 22-23, 29-30  
 Saturday Squads: 9a.m. - 1p.m.  
 Sunday Squads: 9a.m. - 1p.m.

**Batt Family Fun Center**  
 1838 Cassat Ave. | Jacksonville, FL 32210  
 (904) 389-2360

DATE TIME

1ST CHOICE \_\_\_\_\_

2ND CHOICE \_\_\_\_\_

#	Name National ID# SS#	Address City State Zip	Evening Phone Daytime Phone	2017-18 Entering Average	Handicap \$25 Ea.	Optional Scratch \$10 Ea.
1	----- ----- -----	----- ----- ----- -----	----- -----	-----	-----	-----
2	----- ----- -----	----- ----- ----- -----	----- -----	-----	-----	-----
3	----- ----- -----	----- ----- ----- -----	----- -----	-----	-----	-----
4	----- ----- -----	----- ----- ----- -----	----- -----	-----	-----	-----
5	----- ----- -----	----- ----- ----- -----	----- -----	-----	-----	-----

Optional team scratch prize fund is available (\$50.00 @ \$10 per bowler w/ \$9.50 prize fund \$.50 expense fee) and **ENTIRE** team must enter. Optional Team, Doubles or Singles scratch prize fund can only be entered if already entered in the handicap events.

Grand Total

\*\*\*125\*\*\*

\*\*\*50\*\*\*

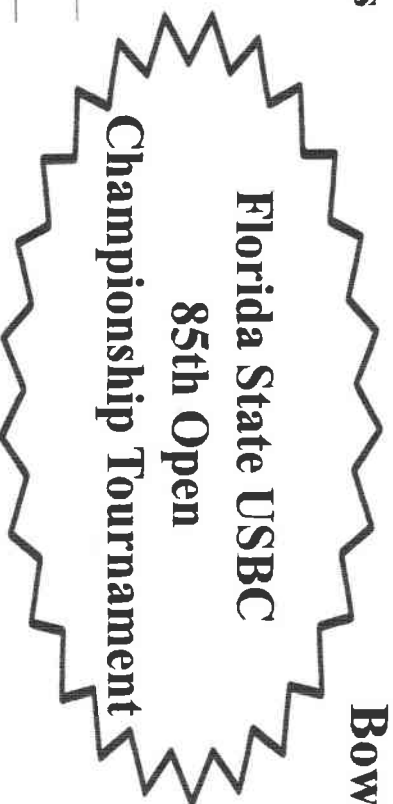
# Doubles & Singles Events

April 20-21, May 4-5, 11-12, 18-19, 25-26  
 June 1-2, 8-9, 15-16, 22-23, 29-30

Saturday Squads: 9a.m. - 2 p.m.  
 Sunday Squads: 9a.m. - 2 p.m.

# Bowl American Mandarin

10333 San Jose Blvd.  
 Jacksonville, FL 32257  
 (904) 268-1511



IST CHOICE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE TIME \_\_\_\_\_  
 2ND CHOICE \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*\* BOTH partners must enter  
 "optional scratch" doubles

#	Print bowlers name in the order they will bowl	**** Doubles		Singles		All Events		Total
		Handicap \$25 Ea.	Optional Scratch \$10 Ea..	Handicap \$25 Ea.	Optional Scratch \$10 Ea..	Optional Handicap \$5 Ea..	Optional Scratch \$5 Ea..	
1								
2								
1								
2								
1								
2								
<b>Totals</b>								

### Bowler #6 Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 National ID# \_\_\_\_\_ Average \_\_\_\_\_  
 SS# \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_  
 State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

**Tournament Director:**  
**Bob Peters**  
 4140 Fowler Street  
 Fort Myers, FL 33901  
 (239) 690-9951

Optional Doubles or Singles scratch prize fund can only be entered if already  
 entered in the handicap events at \$10.00 per event per bowler.