

# 41<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS TOURNAMENT RULES

**1. Tournament Dates and Location.** The Champion of Champions Tournament will be conducted June 3<sup>rd</sup> and June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2011 at Eagle River Bowl, 12130 Regency Drive, Eagle River, Alaska.

**2. Tournament Sanction.** This is a USBC Sanctioned Tournament.

**3. Eligibility.** One team per league is authorized to participate in this Tournament. Entries are open to the Championship teams participating in leagues sanctioned through the Greater Anchorage USBC Association for the 2010-2011 season. If no one on the first place team elects to bowl in the tournament, the entry shall be available to the next place team from the league roster. **Members of this team have to be regular members from this league.** A regular member is defined as a member on the team rosters. (League substitutes are not considered as roster players).

**4. Divisions.** All teams will compete in a single division.

**5. Entries.** Teams shall consist of five players.

A. No entry will be returned after June 1st, 2011.

B. Schedules will not be mailed to individuals. Team Captains will be notified by email. Then it is the team captain's responsibility to inform the other team members.

C. Check-in must be completed no less than 30 minutes prior to squad times.

D. If the league schedule is not completed by entry closing date, it shall be the leagues responsibility to make the determination as to who will represent the League. The League may submit a blank entry (with check) with names to be added prior to the start of the Tournament.

E. If the league is not composed of (5) member teams, the team entering the Tournament may select any regular members from that league roster to bring the team to (5) five.

F. If a team must use a substitute, the sub must be a regular of a team on that league. Bowlers from the Sub List will not count.

**6. Entering Averages.** Bowlers shall use their average in the USBC league for which they are representing as of the final week of the league or May 26<sup>th</sup>, 2011 whichever comes first. **The appropriate league-standing sheet MUST be included with all entries.** Bowlers with less than 21 games in the league they are representing will use an average of 220. Rules 319a. 1-5 (including rule 319a. 2-10 pin increase in average rule), 319e (15-pin Tournament average), and 319d (reporting tournament prize winnings) are NOT applicable in this tournament.

**7. Handicap.** Handicap will be 100% of the bowler's average (as shown on the final standing sheet) and 220. All others will bowl scratch. Scoring errors may be corrected up to 24 hours following the completion of the Tournament.

**8. Prizes.**

A. Prize fees shall be returned 100% based on a ratio of at least 1 prize for each 10 entries.

B. Prizes are awarded on a handicap basis.

C. Prizes will be paid within 30 days of the completion of the Tournament.

**9. Lane Assignments.** Tournament Official will assign starting Lanes.

**10. Cost of Entry into the Champion of Champions Tournament.** Tournament fee will be \$75.00 per team. Break down will be as follows:

Prize Fee	\$ 17.25
Bowling Fee	\$56.25
Expense Fee	<u>\$ 1.50</u>
	\$75.00

**11. Tournament Management.** All bowling will be conducted in such a manner that it will strictly comply with all USBC General Playing rules. The decisions of the Tournament Committee shall be final unless an appeal is made in accordance with USBC Rule 329. Any protests affecting eligibility must be confirmed in writing to the Tournament Official, the local association, or to USBC headquarters before the tournament prize payments are paid out.

**41<sup>st</sup> Annual Champion of Champions Tournament**  
**Entry Form**  
**June 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>, 2011**  
**Eagle River Bowl**  
**Open to all League Champions for the 2010-2011 Winter Season**

League Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Team Captain: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address / ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

THE FINAL STANDING SHEET MUST BE INCLUDED WITH ALL ENTRIES!

PRIZE WINNINGS WILL BE MAILED WITHIN 30 DAYS OF TOURNAMENT COMPLETION.

<b>ENTRY FEE (ALL DIVISIONS)</b> <b>PRIZE FEE: \$17.25</b> <b>BOWLING FEE: \$56.25</b> <b>TOURNAMENT EXPENSE: \$1.50</b> <b>TOTAL ENTRY FEE: \$75.00</b>	<b>ENTRIES OPEN: April 12, 2011</b> <b>ENTRIES CLOSE: June 1, 2011</b> <b>All Prize Fees Returned 100%</b> <b>At least 1 in 10 entries will cash</b>
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Select the Date and Time Desired. Indicate choice by checking appropriate box.

Friday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> 6:30 PM

Saturday, June 4<sup>th</sup> 1:00 PM

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	Bowlers (in order of bowling)	Average	Phone Number
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			

Please make checks payable to: **GAUSBCA-Tournament**

Mail entries to: **Champion of Champions**, c/o GAUSBCA, P.O. Box 240266. Anchorage, AK 99524

**Do not mail entries to Eagle River Bowl!** For questions or change in line up, please email Association Manager at GAUSBCA@gci.net

**Tournament Director Use Only**

Date Received:	Entry Number:	Cash/Check:
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Tournament Director: Trancis Dees