

Southern Tier USBC

43rd Annual Scholarship Youth Doubles Championship

Certified by USBC

October 24-25, 2026

BOWLING FEE: \$24.00

AWARDS FEE: \$16.00

PER TEAM: \$40.00

**90% Handicap of 420 or
Scratch**

**Entries Close on Sunday
Last Squad**

DATES/TIMES:

October 24, 2026, Saturday

1:00 PM & 3:00 PM

October 25, 2026, Sunday

1:00 PM & 3:00 PM

ALL SQUADS BOWL AT:

Ripics Carousel Lanes

137 Laurel Ave

Binghamton, NY, 13905

USBC Certified Youth bowlers only!

PREFERRED DATE & TIME:

1st _____

2nd _____

SELECT ONE DIVISION BELOW:

300 and under _____

301 and over _____

Scratch _____

Team Name: _____

Home Lanes: _____

Bowler #1 _____

Telephone _____

USBC# _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Age (as of 8/1/2026) _____

Birth Date _____

Average (Rule #3) _____

Bowler #2 _____

Telephone _____

USBC# _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Age (as of 8/1/2026) _____

Birth Date _____

Average (Rule #3) _____

League coach or official's name _____

League coach or official's signature _____

**Do not send cash – Make all
checks or money orders payable to
Southern Tier USBC**

**Or, please supply current league standing sheet with highest
average as of the start of the tournament.**

Mail to: Southern Tier USBC
213 N Jensen Rd
Vestal, New York 13850
Phone: (607) 352-3160

Scholarships awarded to winners of each division based on total entries.

ST-USBC will add money to the scholarship fund for the tournament.

Youth Doubles Scholarship Tournament

Rules and Information

1. Eligibility

1. Open to all youth bowlers who are currently members of the Southern Tier USBC.
2. Tournament is certified by the USBC.
3. USBC Rules will govern all bowling and will be enforced by the Tournament Directors

2. Three Divisions:

1. This is a Doubles Tournament with two bowlers making up a Doubles Team.
2. There will be three (3) divisions. Teams 300 and under and 301 and over and scratch
3. This will be a unisex tournament, either male & female, male & male, or female & female.
4. Handicap will be based on 90% of the difference to 440 total average for a team.
5. All entry forms must be signed by the Youth Bowlers League Coach or official to verify the bowlers correct entering average and/or provide League Average sheets (see rule #3)

3. Entering Averages:

1. You must use your highest current USBC certified average as of the start of the tournament, consisting of at least 12 games. Non-certified school averages are not acceptable.
2. Any bowler without a current USBC certified average for at least 12 games may use their highest USBC certified average of at least 21 games from the previous season.
3. USBC bowlers without an acceptable average may enter in the scratch division using a scratch average based on their respective USBC age group: Bantam (ages 8 and under) – 125; Preps (ages 9-11) – 150; Junior (ages 12-14) – 180; Major/Senior (ages 15 and up) – 200.
4. No averages will be corrected downward once the tournament begins.

4. Awards and Prizes

1. Scholarships will be awarded to the first-place team in all three divisions. Additional scholarships will be awarded on a ratio of one set for every 8 teams (as a minimum) in each division.
2. All award fees will be returned 100%.
3. Scholarships will be entered into SMART.
5. **Multiple Entry:** Bowlers may enter this tournament more than once, but not with the same partner. Bowlers may also enter in a different division (Under 300, Over 300, or Scratch).
6. All Bowlers must report to the lanes at least 30 minutes prior to their squad time. Please be on time. No changes in the line-up will be allowed without the approval of the tournament Director(s).
7. Tardy bowlers must begin the event in the frame being bowled at the time of their arrival. No pins will be counted for any frames missed. Absolutely no absent or blind scores will be allowed.
8. No Tournament entry fee will be refunded, unless approved by the tournament director(s).
9. The tournament committee reserves the right to reclassify bowlers, settle all disputes and make all final decisions (according to the USBC rules, unless an appeal is made in accordance with rule 705).
10. Violation of any tournament rule or falsification on any entry form may result in a disqualification of the bowler and/or team, with no entry fee returned.
11. USBC code of conduct is enforced. No refreshments are allowed in the bowling settee area.
12. All bowlers must have their current year USBC membership card.
13. Closing date for entries is the beginning of the final squad.
14. Entry fee must be paid in full when entry form is submitted. Do not mail cash. Make checks and money orders payable to Southern Tier USBC, 213 N Jensen Rd, Vestal, NY 13850.
15. Lanes will be stripped and oiled before every squad.
16. A maximum of six (6) bowlers will be assigned per pair of lanes.