

# INAUGURAL **G** GREATER CALUMET AREA **A**



**PICK YOUR DIVISION!**  
Prize fees returned 100%

**3 SUNDAYS! FEB. 12, 19 and 26**

9 A.M. Team Event

1P.M. Singles and Doubles

**PLAZA LANES:** 8101 Kennedy Avenue, Highland, IN 46322 219.923.3800

**\$1,000** **GUARANTEED**  
1st place Team  
POA & Actual

**\$500** **GUARANTEED**  
1st place Doubles  
POA, Actual,  
Ladies POA, & Ladies  
Actual

**\$250** **GUARANTEED**  
1st place Singles  
POA, Actual,  
Ladies POA, & Ladies  
Actual

Make checks payable to: GCA USBC

Lanes stripped and oiled prior to Team and Singles/Doubles Events!  
Side pots and brackets!

For information: 219.923.7240

Multiple entries allowed based on availability!  
You decide which divisions you enter!

Mail entries to the Greater Calumet Area USBC, 8133 Kennedy Avenue, Highland, IN 46322

**ENTRY FEES:**

**Entry fee must accompany entry! Reserve entry for guaranteed times!**

Entry fee is \$20 per person per event per division.  
Lineage: \$10.00  
Prize fund: \$8.50  
Expenses: \$1.50

Please circle choices

Team (9AM)	Feb. 12	Feb. 19	Feb. 26
Singles/Doubles (1 PM)	Feb. 12	Feb. 19	Feb. 26

Optional All-Events fee is \$5 each for Actual, Pins Over Average, Ladies Actual and Ladies Pins Over Average

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Captain: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Team lineup**

**Optional All-Events**

PLEASE PRINT

Last Name, First Name	Sanction ID #	Average	Actual	POA	Actual	POA	Ladies Actual	Ladies POA
1								
2								
3								
4								

Team Total Fee: \_\_\_\_\_

**Singles/Doubles**

Team 1	Average	Actual	POA	Ladies Actual	Ladies POA
1					
2					
Team 2					
1					
2					

**Note:**

Enter additional divisions for \$10 per person per event.

Singles/Doubles Total Fee: \_\_\_\_\_

## TOURNAMENT RULES

### ELIGIBILITY:

USBC rules shall govern this tournament. The following bowlers are eligible to compete:

Bowlers with a GCA USBC BA, CA USBC WBA, or Lake Suburban USBC WBA average from 2010-11 of 21 games or more in one league and a GCA USBC average in the 2011-12 season with 21 games or more in one league at the time of bowling. If no GCA USBC BA, CA USBC WBA, or Lake Suburban USBC WBA average from 2010-11, a bowler must have a GCA USBC 2011-12 average with 33 games or more in one league at the time of bowling.

### 2. PARTICIPATION:

Bowlers may compete more than once in each event with the following provisions:

- a. No "Doubles Only" or "Singles Only" entries will be accepted.
- b. Four-person Team event: No more than two bowlers on one team can place more than once in each prize list. No more than two bowlers on one team may bowl a second or third team event together.
- c. Doubles and Singles events: No same two bowlers can place more than once in each prize list for doubles and no more than one bowler may place more than once in each prize list for singles. No Doubles-only or Singles-only participation allowed. Doubles teams may participate only once.

### 3. ENTRY OPTIONS:

The Team, Doubles, Ladies Doubles, Singles, Ladies Singles and Optional All-Events events will be conducted on a "Pins Over Average" or "Actual" basis.

- a. Bowlers will be allowed to select to enter either the "Pins Over Average" or "Actual" tournament. Bowlers who wish to participate in both events at the same time of bowling must pay an additional \$10 per person per event fee. In the Team and Doubles events, all team members must pay for the same division they enter.
- b. The All-Events division is optional with an entry fee of \$5 per person "Pins Over Average", \$5 per person "Actual," \$5 per person "Ladies Pins Over Average", and \$5 per person "Ladies Actual" which is placed 100 percent in that All-Events prize fund. Re-entry into the Optional All-Events will be allowed. Bowlers must pay the "All-Events" entry fee before they bowl the first game of that 9 game series.

### 4. AVERAGES:

Averages used for the Tournament are:

- a. Highest USBC sanctioned league average based on 21 games in one league for the immediate preceding season.
- b. If the USBC average on Feb. 12 is 10 or more pins higher than last year's average, that average must be used. It is the bowler's responsibility to report the correct average or face disqualification.
- c. If no average exists for the preceding year, the highest USBC sanctioned average of 33 games or more at the time of bowling must be used.
- d. No youth averages allowed.
- e. It is each bowler's responsibility to verify his/her average. Corrections in averages can be made up to completion of the first game of a series. Failure to do so may result in disqualification of scores bowled if the average submitted is lower than the actual average, or prize winnings may be based on submitted average if it is higher than the actual average.
- f. All participants will be governed by average adjustment requirements. (See USBC Rule 319C, D and E.)

### 5. ENTRY FEES:

c. The entry fee will be \$20 per person per event for the Team, Doubles, Ladies Doubles, Singles, and Ladies Singles events in Pins Over Average or Actual divisions. Those wishing to participate in multiple divisions at the same time of bowling will pay an extra \$10 per person per event. All entry fees must be paid in full prior to bowling.

### 6. PRIZES:

- a. TEAM – Prizes returned 100 percent. The ratio of prizes will be at least one prize for every six entries. Prize winners can qualify for the highest prize in all divisions entered. Guaranteed prize is \$1,000 in POA and Actual divisions.
  - b. DOUBLES – Prizes returned 100 percent. The ratio of prizes will be at least one prize for every eight entries. Prize winners can qualify for the highest prize in all divisions entered. Guaranteed prize is \$500 in POA and Actual divisions .
  - c. LADIES DOUBLES – Prizes returned 100 percent. The ratio of prizes will be at least one prize for every eight entries. Prize winners can qualify for the highest prize in all divisions entered. Guaranteed prize is \$500 in Ladies POA and Ladies Actual divisions.
  - d. SINGLES – Prizes returned 100 percent. The ratio of prizes will be at least one prize for every eight entries. Prize winners can qualify for the highest prize in all divisions entered. Guaranteed prize is \$250 in POA and Actual divisions.
  - e. LADIES SINGLES – Prizes returned 100 percent. The ratio of prizes will be at least one prize for every eight entries. Prize winners can qualify for the highest prize in all divisions entered. Guaranteed prize is \$250 in Ladies POA and Ladies Actual divisions.
  - f. OPTIONAL ALL-EVENTS – The Optional All-Events will be conducted in two events, Pins Over Average and Actual. Prizes returned 100 percent. The ratio of prizes will be at least one prize for every 10 entries. Prizes based solely on the number of entries in each division. Prize winners can qualify for the highest prize in all divisions entered.
  - g. LADIES OPTIONAL ALL-EVENTS – The Ladies Optional All-Events will be conducted in two events, Ladies Pins Over Average and Ladies Actual. Prizes returned 100 percent. The ratio of prizes will be at least one prize for every 10 entries. Prizes based solely on the number of entries in each division. Prize winners can qualify for the highest prize in all divisions entered.
7. Champions receive one free ticket to the 26th annual GCA USBC Hall of Fame and Awards Banquet and also receive GCA USBC plaques.
  8. All entries must be paid before bowling begins. All bowlers must display GCA USBC sanction cards at check-in. Guaranteed entries require \$5 per person per event non-refundable deposit.
  9. No practice games will be allowed on tournament lanes before tournament bowling begins.

**TO GUARANTEE TIMES, ADVANCE RESERVATIONS ARE NEEDED**

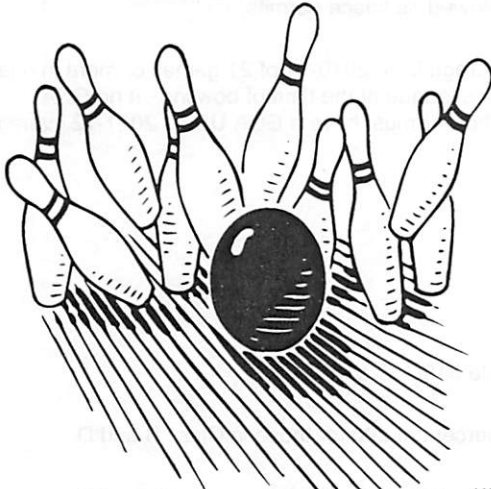
# GREATER CALUMET AREA



# \$25 ENTRY

## Win More!

- \$10 OPTIONAL Actual prize (non-title)
- 1:6 will cash
- 100% returned to bowlers



*For Reservations Call:*

**219-923-7240**

# INAUGURAL SENIOR Singles CHAMPIONSHIPS

LYNWOOD BOWL  
2581 Glenwood Lansing Rd  
Lynwood, IL 60411-1682  
708-895-6633

# \$200

*First Place  
Guaranteed  
All 4 Divisions*

## 4 Handicap Divisions

1 in 6 cash in each division

Lanes to be stripped and oiled prior to each squad.

**Tournament Dates: (circle preference)**

**2 p.m., Saturday, January 28th**

**9 a.m. and 12 p.m., Sunday, January 29th.**

Squad organizer: Bring 11 entries (prepaid), get 12th entry free

### DIVISIONS:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Class A: Those 50-59 years of age with average of 201 or more.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Class B: Those 50-59 years of age with average of 200 or under.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Class C: Those 60 and older with average of 201 or more.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Class D: Those 60 and older with average of 200 or under.

For those in Class A and C: handicap is based on 90 percent of 220.

For those in Class B and D: handicap is based on 90 percent of 200.

\*Open to all sanctioned male and female Greater Calumet Area USBC members 50 and older.

\*Highest 2010-11 or current average will be used.

\*Bowl four games. Best 3 will count for championship.

\*No more than 3 bowlers per lane.

\*Reserve your spot today! Don't wait. First come first served. Squads will have no more than 48 bowlers.

Call 219.923.7240 for reservations!

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

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

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

Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Highest 2010-2011 average: \_\_\_\_\_

## TOURNAMENT RULES

1. This is a singles tournament open to all male and female bowlers who sanctioned in a Greater Calumet Area USBC league, 50 years of age and over. The handicap-only tournament will feature four divisions based on age (2) and average (2). Bowler must present current years USBC membership card. No membership fees will be collected at the tournament site.

2. Entrants must have reached their 50<sup>th</sup> or 60<sup>th</sup> birthday on or before January 28, 2012. Age for tournament classification will be as of January 28, 2012. Entrants must have their birthdate on entry form.

3. The tournament will be a singles event with four (4) games bowled with highest three (3) game scores counting toward the championship. All games will be bowled on one pair of lanes. Multiple participation allowed as space permits.

4. Bowlers with a GCA USBC BA, CA USBC WBA, or Lake Suburban USBC WBA average from 2010-11 of 21 games or more in one league and a GCA USBC average in the 2011-12 season with 21 games or more in one league at the time of bowling. If no GCA USBC BA, CA USBC WBA, or Lake Suburban USBC WBA average from 2010-11, a bowler must have a GCA USBC 2011-12 average with 33 games or more in one league at the time of bowling.

Averages by class are divided as follows:

Class A: Those 50-59 years of age with average of 201 or more.

Class B: Those 50-59 years of age with average of 200 or less.

Class C: Those 60 and older with average of 201 or more.

Class D: Those 60 and older with average of 200 or less.

All participants will be governed by average adjustment requirements. (See USBC Rule 319C, D and E.)

5. Scores will be based on total pins with handicap in each division. Handicap is 90 percent of 200 for those in Class B and D. Handicap is 90 percent of 220 in Class A and C.

6. No previous prize winnings need be reported.

7. Failure to use correct average shall disqualify score and forfeit entry fees and prize winnings if submitted average is lower than the correct average. Prize winnings shall be based on the submitted average if it is higher than the correct average. Correction in average may be made in accordance with rule 319-A(4).

8. Cash prizes will be awarded for handicap series scores only. An optional non-title \$10 Actual prize will be offered for all classes combined; 1:6 will cash. Prize money returned 100 percent.

9. In case of a tie for first place, bowlers who tie will share the combined first and second place prizes and be declared co-champions of that particular class. Prizes will be paid on a 1:6 ratio.

10. Winners in all four divisions will receive one ticket to the Annual Greater Calumet Area USBC Hall of Fame and Awards Banquet where they will be honored.

11. All other USBC rules will apply.

12. USBC Rule 319-E (Tournament averages) will apply to all participants.

Decisions of the Tournament Director are final.

### *Fees*

*Prize fee: \$10.00*

*Expenses: \$3.00*

*Bowling fee: \$12.00*

*Total: \$25.00*

*Prize money returned 100 percent. Prize ratio 1:6 in each division*

***Walk-ins welcome! For reservations call: 219-923-7240.***