

12<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
WESTERN NEW YORK QUEEN'S TOURNAMENT

Sponsored by  
Dunkirk Lakeshore USBC Association



Sunday, January 31, 2010, at 11 AM

**Lucky Lanes**

Bennett Rd. Fredonia, NY

(716) 673-1375

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES: January 23, 2010 (unless extended)

USBC Certified

Minimum \$250 prize for 1st place in each division

	<b>Division I</b> (200 & over average)	<b>Division II</b> (180 – 199 average)	<b>Division III</b> (179 & under average)
Prize Fund	\$28	\$18	\$13
Lineage and expenses	\$12	\$12	\$12
<b>Total entry fee</b>	<b>\$40</b>	<b>\$30</b>	<b>\$25</b>

This entry form must be filled out in full

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

2009 – 2010 USBC  
Certification Card # \_\_\_\_\_

Local association as per  
USBC Certification card \_\_\_\_\_

2008 – 2009 high book average  
(see Average Rule B on reverse) \_\_\_\_\_

League in  
which obtained \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle division you are entering (see eligibility requirements and rules)      Division I      Division II      Division III

I wish to enter this event and agree to abide by all rules and regulations set by the USBC and the Western New York Queen's Tournament Committee.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Entrant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Association Secretary

Make check payable to **WESTERN NEW YORK QUEEN'S TOURNAMENT**. Full entry fee must accompany entry form. If you wish to cross with another bowler(s), please submit forms together. Personal checks accepted but are subject to \$30 service charge if returned. Mail entry and fees to:

Priscilla Seybold  
Attn: WNY Queen's Tournament  
618 Washington Ave.  
Dunkirk, NY 14048

Please call Priscilla Seybold 716 366-7161 with any questions.



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## Average Verification Form

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(to be completed only if bowler has no book average)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Entry No. \_\_\_\_\_

Association \_\_\_\_\_ Closing date (January 23, 2010)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Average (minimum of 21 games) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of local President or Association Manager

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

**CUT AND BRING TOP OF THIS FORM WITH YOU TO THE TOURNAMENT.**

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### WESTERN NEW YORK QUEEN'S TOURNAMENT ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS AND RULES

This tournament is open only to USBC-CERTIFIED FEMALE MEMBERS in any of the following associations: Greater Buffalo, Dunkirk, Genesee Valley, Jamestown, Medina, Niagara Falls, Lockport, Olean, Salamanca, Tonawanda, and Wellsville. No Affiliate Memberships will be accepted at the tournament site. All USBC rules shall prevail in this tournament.

This tournament shall be conducted on a scratch basis with three (3) divisions: Division I consisting of averages of 200 and over, Division II consisting of averages from 180 – 199, and Division III consisting of averages of 179 and under. Bowlers whose averages qualify them for Division II or III may enter in a higher division, if desired. Bowlers whose averages qualify them for Division I may only enter Division I.

Entrants must report one (1) hour prior to their scheduled time. A tardy bowler may commence bowling with the frame then in progress and will receive zero (0) for the frames not bowled. Substitutes will be allowed if they meet all requirements. No pacers will be allowed.

#### AVERAGE

Entrant must use their highest '08 –'09 book average anywhere for 21 games or more in any association.

- (a) A bowler with no previous average must use their highest current USBC average for 21 games or more as of the entry closing date. Verification will be requested.
- (b) If no book average, verification must be obtained from the local Association Manager or President.
- (c) If you do not have a qualifying average, you must bowl in Division I.
- (d) Rules 319A-2, 319C, 319D, and 319E are waived. Rule 319a-3 will apply.

#### TIES

In the event of a tie, a complete 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>-frame roll-off will be bowled. If there is more than one squad of qualifying rounds, a practice lane will be made available to first-round qualifiers.

#### DISQUALIFICATIONS

An entrant, while participating in a scheduled event, may be disqualified for:

- an infraction of the rules
- wearing shorts or jeans
- conduct derogatory to the best interest of this tournament
- consuming beverages or food in the settee area
- use of a foreign substance, which comes into contact with approaches or lanes

Individuals shall forfeit entry fee, prize fund, and/or award.

#### FORMAT FOR EACH DIVISION

Each bowler will bowl four (4) games across eight (8) lanes.

The top five (5) qualifiers, based on a four (4)-game total, will advance.

Qualifiers 5 and 4 will bowl one (1) game with the winners bowling one (1) game against Qualifier 3.

The winner will bowl one (1) game against Qualifier 2.

The winner will bowl one (1) game against the high qualifier for the title.

#### LANE ASSIGNMENTS

No lane changes will be made after lane assignments have been made. Lane assignments will be made by division unless a request is made at the time of entry to bowl with another participant in a different division. The higher-average entrant will be moved to bowl with the lower-average division.

Official scorekeeper will be provided, as needed, under the supervision of the Tournament Director.

Prize ratio will be at least one (1) prize for every ten (10) entries.

Participants will be expected to be in proper bowling attire (examples: skirts, skorts, Bermudas, slacks). **(No shorts or jeans – subject to disqualification)**

The Tournament Director, along with the tournament committee, reserves the right to make final decisions if circumstances do not permit the application of any of the above rules. SEE RULE 304.

#### DISCLAIMER

Bowlers whose name appear on the official entry, or their authorized replacements, hereby agree that the Western New York Queen's and its agents shall be liable only to the extent of returning entry fees if and when entrants shall be prevented from bowling in the tournament through delay, unexpected but necessary schedule change, or premature termination of the tournament, which may be brought about by war, national emergency or cause relating thereto or resulting therefrom, fire, strikes, lockouts, labor difficulties, or other causes beyond the control of the Western New York Queen's Tournament.