

STATE GAMES OF OREGON BOWLING COMPETITION

RULES FOR DIRECT ENTRY -- 2014

**** GENERAL RULES**

1. Eligibility: Open to all league and non-league bowlers who are residents of the State of Oregon or participate in league play in Oregon.
2. Direct Entry into the State Games of Oregon is available to those participants who missed In-League and In-Tournament Qualifying events or failed to qualify in those events.
2. USBC certified. Non-certified bowlers may participate by paying the participation fee.
3. Qualify by paying direct entry fees as specified.
4. Format: singles, 3 game series. Divisions based on age and gender, scratch or handicap. Age as of January 1st.
5. Handicap divisions: 90% of 225.
6. Averages: Use highest average as of February 1st, minimum 12 games, otherwise use 12 game minimum average at time of qualifying. If no average, use zero in handicap division or bowl in the scratch division. Failure to use the correct average may disqualify score if submitted average is lower than correct average. Handicap shall be based on submitted average if it is higher than correct average. Correction in averages will be permitted up to the completion of the first game in a series. ***Average verification must be provided by the participant.***
7. USBC rule #319d and rule #319e are waived for this event.
8. Advancement: The minimum 50% in each division at the regional finals will advance to the state finals.

**** REGIONAL EVENT: June 7th & 8th, 2014**

1. Regional entries close one hour prior to the last squad on June 8th, 2014
2. Cost: \$30.00 per event.

Send completed entry form and fees to: State Games - Bowling, 12770 SW Walker Rd., Beaverton, OR 97005

Make checks payable to **STATE GAMES OF OREGON**. Do not send cash in the mail.

3. Locations:

Regional Site	Squad Times – Saturday June 7 th			Squad Times – Sunday June 8 th		
North Bend (North Bend Lanes)	10am	1pm		10am	1pm	
Salem (Town & Country Lanes)	10am	1pm		10am	1pm	
Beaverton (Sunset Lanes)	10am	12:30pm	3pm	10am	12:30pm	3pm

4. Advancement ratio: Minimum 50% in each division will advance to the state finals.

**** STATE FINALS: July 12th & 13th, 2014, Park Lanes, Hillsboro, Oregon**

1. Cost: No cost for finals (included in the house and regional qualifying).
2. Bowl only once in each division in which you qualified.
4. Awards: In each division -- 1st place -- Gold Medal, 2nd place -- Silver Medal, 3rd place -- Bronze Medal.
5. Ties at the state finals will be awarded duplicate medals.
6. Medal winners qualify to compete in the State Games of America in 2015.
7. Scholarships will be awarded in the Youth Divisions at the State Finals.

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