



# 39<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL PIKES PEAK USBC MASTER'S TOURNAMENT



QUALIFYING ROUNDS – SATURDAY, 8:30AM, MARCH 3, 2012 at  
BRUNSWICK ZONE CIRCLE, 999 N. Circle Dr., COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80909 and  
BEAR CREEK LANES, 1232 South 21<sup>st</sup> Street, COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80904  
**(Entries close 8:00am, March 3rd, 2012) (Limited to 144 Entries)**

FINALS – SUNDAY, MARCH 4, 2012 at BEAR CREEK LANES  
**Lane conditions will feature the 2012 USBC Masters Shot**

I desire to enter the 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Pikes Peak USBC Master's Championship Tournament and enclose \$125.00 to cover the following:

Bowling Fee	\$34.00
Tournament Expense Fee	\$3.00
Prize Fund	<u>\$88.00</u>
Total Entry Fee	\$125.00

In consideration for the right to bowl in this tournament, I agree to the following conditions:

1. To abide by all the rules and regulations of the United States Bowling Congress, and such special rules as published for this Master's Championship Tournament.
2. The Pikes Peak USBC Association shall not be liable to refund my entry fee if I do not take part in this tournament through no fault or negligence of the Association.
3. Entries are non-transferable. If a bowler cannot appear, replacements shall be taken from the standby list.
4. The only sums to which I shall be entitled for bowling in this tournament are those prizes or awards that may be won by me in this tournament. Should I not be able to go to the 2013 USBC Master's Tournament representing the Pikes Peak USBC, the USBC Master's Entry shall go to the next position eligible to compete.
5. No tank tops, cutoffs or headgear shall be allowed; shirts must have a collar. Failure to adhere to this rule will result in DISQUALIFICATION and FORFEITURE of entry fees.

(Please complete all spaces below)

(Same day entry must be cash or money order only)

USBC Membership No. \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (evenings) \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (day) \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Starting Center: \_\_\_\_\_

File Entry & Remittance with:  
Pikes Peak USBC Association  
c/o Lary Hoskins  
2680 Sunbird Drive  
Colorado Springs, CO 80918

Office Use:

Entry # \_\_\_\_\_ FEES \_\_\_\_\_

Reservations may be sent electronically to:  
[lary925@hotmail.com](mailto:lary925@hotmail.com)  
or by calling Lary Hoskins, (719) 531-6173  
Cell (719) 271-3799

FOR A COMPLETE COPY OF THE SPECIFIC RULES GO TO: [Springsbowling.com](http://Springsbowling.com)

Please include e-mail address so your confirmation can be returned via the internet

## **PIKES PEAK USBC MASTER'S CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT GENERAL RULES, REGULATIONS AND INFORMATION**

1. This is an individual tournament, open to all USBC members.
2. Entry costs will be \$125.00. There will be at least one prize for each 6 entries.
3. Qualifying rounds will take place at two bowling centers (Brunswick Zone Circle and Bear Creek Lanes) on Saturday, 8:30am, March 3, 2012. Contestants may request a "Starting Center" on their entry form and every attempt will be made to honor this request. Qualifying rounds determine the final field of bowlers who will begin match play competition on Sunday, March 4, 2012. The number of bowlers qualifying for the final match play will be determined by the total number of entries. (Maximum of 16.)
4. Qualifying competition consists of bowling 12 games across 24 lanes. The first squad time is 8:30am, when 6 games are bowled across 12 lanes in accordance with lane and establishment assignments. Contestants then travel to the other bowling center for the second squad time of 1:00pm, where an additional 6 games will be bowled across 12 lanes in accordance with lane and establishment assignments.
5. A tardy bowler may be replaced by a bowler from the standby list, if available. If the tardy bowler appears and still wants to participate, he may do so by accepting zero score for the frames already bowled.
6. Lane assignment will be determined by the Pikes Peak USBC Association. Total pins will determine who qualifies for match play.
7. Bowlers will be allowed ten minutes practice on each of their starting lanes.
8. Upon completion of the qualifying rounds, if a tie exists for the final position needed to complete the match play field, one complete game will be immediately bowled. If a tie still exists after this additional game, one extra frame will be bowled until the tie is broken. The extra frame will be bowled on the same lane on which each participant finished the additional game. The bowler on the odd lane will bowl first, but instead of completing the frame, the contestants will alternate shots until the match is decided. Failure of any contestant to remain available in case of a tie will constitute forfeiture.
9. Every ball used in qualifying must be listed on the qualifying score sheets. All bowling balls used by the entrants may be weighed. Any illegal ball will be cause for DISQUALIFICATION and FORFEITURE of entry fees.
10. Finals will begin at 8:30am, Sunday, March 4, 2012 at Bear Creek Lanes. (See FINALS rules below.)
11. The Champion will have their name engraved on the perpetual Master's trophy, and will receive a replica of the Master's trophy for their permanent possession. Winner will be seeded into the qualifying round of the 2013 Pikes Peak USBC Master's Championship Tournament.

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**FINALS**

1. Schedule arrangements: Roll call for the finals will be at 8:30am, Sunday, March 4, 2012. Pairing for the initial round of matches will be assigned by the Tournament Director. Only one player will be assigned to a lane. After the opening matches, pairing and lane assignments will be in accordance with the normal bracket system. This will be prominently displayed in the tournament building.
2. Bowlers will be given 10 minutes practice prior to the first match of the finals. Thereafter, all contestants will be allowed 2 practice deliveries on each lane on the pair to be used in the match. The order of bowling will be according to match play procedures with the bowler on the odd lane starting first. A bowler will finish his/her frame bowling prior to the next bowler starting their frames.
3. If a bowler is unable to appear for the first round of match play, the alternate will be given the opportunity to replace him in the schedule. Such alternates will be the next high bowler from the qualifying round. After the first round, **NO SUBSTITUTES WILL BE PERMITTED**. Nonappearance, regardless of cause, will constitute forfeiture of the match and the player present will bowl his games without opposition to advance to the succeeding round. If the forfeiture occurs in the winner's bracket, the absent player automatically goes to the proper position in the loser's bracket.
4. Each match in the finals will consist of three games, and total pins will determine the winner. Bowlers start the first game of a series on the lane assigned. Succeeding games will start on the lane where the tenth frame of the preceding game was bowled.
5. If a match in finals ends in a tie, a complete game on the same pair of lanes will be bowled to break the tie. Each bowler will start on the lane where he finished the match. As in all other games, the bowler on the odd lane will start the roll-off. If a tie exists after the fourth game, one extra frame will be bowled until the tie is broken. The extra frame will be bowled on the same lane on which each participant finished the fourth game. Bowler on the odd lane will shoot first, but instead of completing the frame, the contestants will alternate shots until the match is decided.
6. The double elimination method of competition requires a participant to lose twice before being eliminated. All players start in the winner's bracket. After losing one match, the bowler enters the loser's bracket. The undefeated survivor of the winner's bracket will be matched against the winner of the loser's bracket, whose record will show only one defeat. If the bowler from the winner's bracket wins the first match, that bowler will become the Champion. A victory for the bowler from the loser's bracket would tie the two finalists with one defeat each and require them to bowl a second match for the Championship.

**ENTRIES CLOSE 8:00am, MARCH 3, 2012**

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BRACKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE