

CITRUS BELT USBC MASTERS RULES

1. This tournament is open to all current Citrus Belt USBC members in good standing. USBC MEMBERSHIP CARDS WILL NOT BE SOLD ON SITE.
2. DATES: Qualifying - August 2nd, 2025; Finals - August 3rd, 2025. Entry closing date: July 28, 2025.
3. The tournament will be held at CANYON LANES; 49750 Seminole Dr., Cabazon, CA 92230
4. QUALIFYING: Five games moving pairs after each game. Highest scratch series will determine those advancing to the finals. 8-12 bowlers advance to finals based on entries. If a tie occurs for the last spot, a one game roll-off will be bowled until the tie is broken.
5. FINALS: Finalists will bowl scratch in a double match play elimination bracket until a champion is determined. Winners bracket are 2 game total pin fall matches, loser bracket are 1 game matches. Bowlers will be seeded according to their overall total pin standings. Any ties for seeded positions will be broken with the highest final game of qualifying to determine the higher seeded position. If a tie still exists, the higher preceding game will determine the higher seed. Ten minutes of practice to start of Round 1. Bowler on odd lane will bowl first frame, then alternate with opponent, bowling 2 frames each until the game is completed. If a tie occurs, additional 9th and 10th frames will be bowled until the tie is broken. Two practice balls on each lane starting with Round 2.
6. ENTRY FEE: \$100 per person. \$4 per game for lineage. \$5 per entry for Citrus Belt fee. Make checks payable to Citrus Belt USBC. Any returned payments must be paid in cash or money order on-site plus a \$35 penalty fee prior to the start of competition. Bowlers wishing to bowl together for qualifying must submit entries together with ONE payment.
7. Bowlers must check in at least ONE HOUR prior to scheduled squad time with VALID IDENTIFICATION.
8. All bowlers must check-in wearing proper and presentable attire. REQUIRED DRESS CODE: Bowling jersey with name on back. Slacks, shorts or skorts acceptable. The tournament chairman shall determine the validity of any complaints.
9. ONLY A DRY TOWEL FOR CLEANING MAY BE USED DURING COMPETITION. ELIMINATION OF BALANCE HOLES: Bowlers may have up to five holes for gripping purposes and all holes must be used on every delivery. If only fingers are used, the thumb hole must be plugged and an "X" marked for the palm position. Any bowling ball that does not meet USBC specifications will subject the bowler to disqualification of all tournament scores. We reserve the option to do random spot checks and we may be reported to check equipment by another bowler. Visit BOWL.com to download the Non-conforming Bowling Ball List.
10. Oil patterns will be determined by Tournament Management.
11. Bowlers arriving late shall begin play with the frame they start on arrival. Missed frames shall be credited with a zero. Frames may not be made-up. Bowlers not present to bowl when it's their turn will be credited with a zero for that frame.
12. In the event a bowler cannot finish their series, zero points will be scored the remaining frames.
13. No refunds 14 days prior to the tournament unless there is an emergency approved at the discretion of Tournament Director
14. This tournament is certified by USBC. The Tournament Director shall be the authority to interpret USBC and tournament rules, policies and procedures in deciding disputes. If necessary, the tournament director shall consult with the Citrus Belt USBC board of directors.
15. An appeal or protest involving eligibility or playing rules must be filed in writing with the Tournament Director and the USBC before tournament prizes are paid. The decision of USBC is final and binding on all involved parties. Any violation of tournament rules is cause for disqualification, loss of entry fee, forfeit of all prize monies and possible suspension of USBC membership

	30 Entries 8 Finalist	40 Entries 8 Finalist	50 Entries 12 Finalist	60 Entries 12 Finalist
1 st	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1100
2 nd	\$460	\$650	\$700	\$750
3 rd	\$230	\$325	\$350	\$450
4 th	\$230	\$325	\$350	\$450
5 th	\$100	\$150	\$170	\$250
6 th	\$100	\$150	\$170	\$250
7 th	\$100	\$150	\$170	\$250
8 th	\$100	\$150	\$170	\$250
9 th			\$100	\$120
10 th			\$100	\$120
11 th			\$100	\$120
12 th			\$100	\$120