

**29<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL LOUISIANA STATE  
WOMEN'S SENIOR BOWLING TOURNAMENT  
(USBC Sanctioned)**

**Dates: January 21 & 28, 2012 and February 4, 11 & 25, 2012  
Petro Bowl – Lake Charles, Louisiana  
Entries Close: February 25, 2012 – 2:00 pm  
Handicap: 100% OF 200**

**ALL PRIZE FEES RETURNED 100%**

**PRIZE RATIO: 1:8**

**CURRENT AVERAGE CLOSING DATE IS DECEMBER 31, 2011**

**MAIL-O-GRAPHIC TOURNAMENT**

<b>DOUBLES &amp; SINGLES</b> (YOU MUST ENTER BOTH)			<i>CHECK THOSE PAYING OPTIONAL ALL EVENTS FEES</i>		
<i>Date of Birth</i>	<i>Class</i>	<i>Bowler's Name (Last Name First)</i>	↓	<i>Avg.</i>	<i>HDCP</i>

Your first Doubles & Singles scores bowled in the 2012 LA State USBC WBA Championship Tournament will be the scores used for the Senior Tournament. You may enter only once.

State Tournament Doubles & Singles Date & Time: \_\_\_\_\_

**AGE CLASSIFICATION/DIVISIONS**

**Tournament Dates:**

- CLASS "A" (Division 1) Super Seniors 75 & Over**
- CLASS "B" (Division 2) 70-74**
- CLASS "C" (Division 3) 65-59**
- CLASS "D" (Division 4) 60-64**
- CLASS "E" (Division 5) 55-59**
- CLASS "F" (Division 6) 50-54**

January 21, 28; February 4, 11 & 25, 2012  
10:00 am or 2:00 pm

**ALL FEES MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY**

**BOWLING FEES.....\$ 0.00**  
**PRIZE MONEY..... 10.00**  
**TOURNAMENT EXPENSE ......50**  
**Total Per Event .....\$ 10.50**

Mail Entries to:  
 Susie Brown, Tournament Manager  
 10643 Ranchwood Drive  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70815

You may enter the senior tournament at the state tournament site provided you are already entered in the state championship tournament.

**OPTIONAL ALL EVENTS HANDICAP .....\$ 4.00**

**Singles and Doubles.....\$21.00**  
**If you enter Optional All Events Add.....4.00**  
**TOTAL Singles, Doubles & All Events.....\$25.00**

**FOR OFFICE USE ONLY**

Total Amount Paid: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Received by: \_\_\_\_\_

## SENIOR TOURNAMENT RULES

1. This will be a Mail-O-Graphic Tournament and scores will be used from the Doubles & Singles events that you bowl in the 2012 Louisiana State USBC WBA Championship Tournament. To be eligible to enter the 2012 Louisiana State USBC WBA 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Senior Tournament, an entrant must be at least 50 years of age at the time of participation in the 2012 Louisiana State USBC WBA Championship tournament and must be a member of USBC and the Louisiana State USBC WBA. Entrant need not belong to a Senior League to be eligible for entry into this tournament.
2. This is a three game singles and three game doubles handicap event. Handicap will be 100% of 200. Singles competition will be with separate divisions for each of the six age classifications as follows: Class "A" (Division 1) Super Seniors Ages 75 and over; Class "B" (Division 2) Ages 70-74; Class "C" (Division 3) Ages 65-69; Class "D" (Division 4) Ages 60-64; Class "E" (Division 5) Ages 55-59 and Class "F" (Division 6) Ages 50-54. There will be only one division in the doubles event and doubles partners need not be in the same class or age bracket. An entrant shall be permitted to bowl only once in either event. Please note that Division 6 participants do not qualify for the National Senior Tournament.
3. Entrants must use highest 2010-11 USBC book average (regular or sport) of 21 games or more. If no book average, entrant must use 2011 summer league average (regular or sport) of 21 games or more. If no book or summer average, an entrant shall use her highest current league average (regular or sport) for 21 games or more as of December 31, 2011. Current averages must be verified by the league secretary. Games may have been bowled as a regular member or substitute. All others will use scratch average of 200. USBC Rule 319a2 (10 pins increase provision) will be waived. Rule 319d (prize winnings must be reported) will be waived. USBC rule 319c (Re-rating) will be waived. USBC Rule 319e (average adjustments) will be waived.
4. It shall be entrant's responsibility to verify the accuracy of her age and average. Failure to use the correct average shall disqualify score if submitted average is lower than correct average thereby resulting in more handicap. Prize winnings will be based on the submitted average if it is higher than correct average.
5. Substitutes will be allowed. The all-events fees will be transferred provided the original entrant paid the all events fees with the original entry.
6. All entrants must report one-half hour before scheduled time of bowling for presentation of USBC card and lane assignments.
7. Your first Doubles & Singles event will count as your senior tournament scores. Entrants in the doubles event must enter the singles event and vice-versa. You must bowl both doubles and singles to be eligible for all-events. Both doubles partners do not have to be bowling on the same squad or weekend to compete.
8. All prize money, including optional all-events, will be returned 100% on a ratio of at least one prize for every eight (8) entries. Cash awards will be distributed within 30 days after the completion of the tournament.
9. The first place handicap all-events winner in each Class (6 games) will be entered in the USBC National Senior Championship Tournament at the entrants expense. They shall represent the State of Louisiana in their respective class. If the state champion in any class is unable or declines to attend the national event, Louisiana USBC WBA has the option to send the second place finisher. In case of a tie, the highest three game series with handicap (either doubles or singles, whichever comes first) will be used to break the tie.
10. A bowler arriving late may bowl, but her score will begin in the frame being bowled.
11. In the event a bowler cannot finish her series, zero pins will be scored for the remaining frames.
12. The Senior Tournament Committee will rule on anything not covered by these rules or USBC Tournament Rules.