

Senior Men's Singles Bylaws 2025-2026

1. League will be sanctioned by USBC and will abide by their rules. USBC dues are paid from league fees. Any bowler not completing a 16-week half will be required to reimburse the league for the \$22 sanction card fee.
2. To be eligible, a bowler must be male and be at least 50 years of age.
3. Handicap shall be 90% of 230 per game.
4. Average used for first 4 weeks of bowling (12 games) will be as follows:
 - a. Last season's average in this league, if none,
 - b. Highest book average, if none,
 - c. Determined after 3 games of first week.Beginning with the 5th week of individual bowling, his current league average will be used.
5. Standings will be based upon 7 points per match system; 2 points for each game and 1 point for total pins.
6. The cost to bowl will be \$15.00 per week; \$11.75 bowling fees and \$3.25 prize fees. Secretarial services are provided by Suburban Bowlerama as a part of bowling fees. Prize fees are due whether a match is bowled or not. Pay in full option is \$480.00, payable by 2nd week of bowling.
7. League will bowl on Tuesdays at 10:30 am, with practice at 10:20 am. Please play one ball at a time during practice. League will commence August 26, 2025, and end on April 7, 2026, a 32-week season. League will **not** bowl December 30, 2025.
8. Make-up is permitted, but must be pre-bowled, except in the case of an emergency, whereby 2 post bowl matches per cycle are permitted. **Unopposed bowling is permitted but must be accompanied by a printout of scores** or center employee verification, a forfeit of points will be the result. Notification of opponent and/or center is required for all make-ups. Any make-up must be completed prior to the start of the next scheduled match.
9. Substitution is not permitted.
10. In the case of bowling unopposed, i.e., opponent failed to pre-bowl and is not bowling at the scheduled time, or in the event of a bye, the bowler must equal or exceed his average minus 10 pins, not including handicap, to win the point. Any bowler who fails to complete a scheduled match can receive no points.
11. The league will be divided into 2 divisions of equal numbers, or as close to equal numbers as possible. Divisions will be determined by the bowler's team number. League will bowl two 16-week cycles.
12. There will be no roll-offs. First place prize money per half, per division will be added to the prize fund. If a tie occurs for first place, prize money will be split evenly between the bowlers.
13. Bowler will be awarded only the highest individual award, (i.e., average, series, game).

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REVISED DURING 8/8/2025 MEETING