#### **ALLENTOWN AREA USBC**

# JUNIOR GOLD QUALIFIER



U15 U17 U20 Divisions

SUNDAY APRIL 14, 2019

11:00 AM

Registration Fee \$50.00

Checks Accepted
Cash Only Day of Event

### HAJA ROSE BOWL

801 N. 15th Street Allentown, PA 18103 Tel. 610/437-4606

Check-in
1 Hour prior
To Competition

WALK-INS WELCOME

(based on lane availability)



Detroit July 13-20,2019

Mail entries to:

AAUSBC Junior Gold, c/o Scott Robinson 4527 Phillip St. Whitehall, PA 18052

Name		
Address		
City	State Zip	)
Email		
Phone	Birthdate/	
USBC ID #	Last 4 SS	_
Circle Division Male Female	U20 U17 U15	
Junior Gold Spots awarded Per division ratios	Jr. Gold Entry Fee Jr. Gold Membership	<u>\$50.00</u>
1:6—U15—DoB 8/1/03—7/31/06 1:8—U17—DoB 8/1/01—7/31/03 1:8—U20—DoB 8/1/98—7/31/01	U20, U17, U15 (\$30.00) U12 (\$10.00)	
Not a Junior Gold Member yet? We'll take your membership	Total	\$

Checks payable to AAUSBC

app on site!

## ALLENTOWN AREA USBC JUNIOR GOLD QUALIFIER RULES AND FORMAT

This tournament is certified by the United States Bowling Congress (USBC) and shall be governed by its rules. Rule 400 will apply.

The tournament is open to any 2018/2019 USBC certified youth bowler, however priority will be given to those bowlers who have not yet qualified for Junior Gold. <u>Bowlers must be Junior Gold members in order to qualify.</u> Bowlers may apply for membership on-site prior to the start of competition. Membership costs: U20, U17, U15-\$30.00

All honor awards shot during this event will be eligible for regular honor awards. Oil pattern will be publicized at the tournament site.

If the tournament is delayed due to power outages/breakdown, USBC rule #321 will apply.

The tournament is subject to cancellation if the minimum participation levels are not satisfied. Cancellation will take place at least 24 hours prior.

#### **Entry Information**

Entry fee is \$50.00 per bowlers. Advance reservations are recommended. Walk-ins will be accepted based on lane availability. Checks should be made payable to: AAUSBC (Allentown Area USBC). Any returned checks will be charged a \$30.00 service charge. Cash only will be accepted on the day of the tournament.

Check-in will open 1 hour prior to the start of the event. Registered bowlers should arrive no later than 30 minutes prior to the start of the event. Walk-in entries will close 15 minutes prior to the start of the event.

#### Competition and Scoring

Bowlers will bowl a 4-game block, moving one pair of lanes to the right after each game.

A bowler arriving late will receive a zero for each frame missed.

Each bowler is responsible for recording his/her own scores after each game on the recap sheet. Scoresheets must be totaled and signed by the participant and turned into the tournament desk.

All scoring corrections must be made by a tournament official or designee.

Ties will be broken immediately after scores are tallied and results announced by a 9th-10th frame roll-off until an advancer is determined. Bowlers who are part of a tie score situation and leave the center before the results are announced will automatically forfeit the roll-off.

Incorrect scoresheets will be corrected by the tournament staff, however, scores found to be written down incorrectly will result in the bowler accepting the score if it is lower than the actual score bowled or disqualified if the score is higher than the actual score bowled.

All disputes must be raised by the participants. Disputes from parents, coaches and guests will not be heard at any time.

#### **Awards**

Awards will be paid out as entries into the Junior Gold Championships and will be awarded on a 1:8 ratio (U20/U17), 1:6 ratio (U15) and 1:4 ratio (U12) or major fraction thereof, providing the minimum number of bowlers required to participate accounts for at least one (1) per division. Paid entry recipients will be required to provide their own transportation, housing, meals and expenses to attend the Junior Gold Championships.

#### **Dress Code**

Bowlers must wear a bowling shirt with a collared, V-neck, rib-lined or banded neckline. Mock collars must be a minimum of three-quarters of one inch. NO T-SHIRTS OR SHIRTS WITH ANY ALCOHOL OR TOBACCO ADVERTISING ARE ALLOWED. Male participants are required to wear slacks. Slacks must not contain drawstring waists or elastic bottoms. Slacks must have a zipper and a button to be eligible. Female participants are required to wear slacks, skirts, capris, skorts or walking shorts. All skirts, capris, skorts or walking shorts must be below the competitor's fingertips when they are hanging loosely at their side. *JEANS AND YOGA PANTS ARE NOT PERMITTED*. Bowlers are expected to be professional in appearance reflecting the high caliber of scratch tournament bowling anticipated. Failure to adhere to the dress code may result in disqualification. Modifications to the dress code may be made per the discretion of the tournament staff. *Bowlers MUST be in tournament attire at the time of check-in.* 

#### Conduct

Smoking, consumption of alcoholic beverages (regardless of age), chewing tobacco or using any non-prescription controlled substances is prohibited at all times while competition is taking place. Violators shall be disqualified. Anyone caught during the course of the event with any controlled substances (illegal drugs, etc.) will be disqualified and reported to the authorities.

All bowlers must remain poised during competition. Improper language, obscene gestures and any other disruptive behavior will not be tolerated. Disqualification may result at the discretion of the Tournament Director(s).

Any damage to bowling center equipment by a bowler will result in disqualification from the event. The bowler will also be responsible for paying the establishment for any damages caused.

No use of electronics in the bowler area or while bowling during competition. This includes CD Players, MP3 Players, cell phones, as well as hand-held video games. Devices that have a calculator function may be used only to tally scores. Fans are permitted.

There will be no altering of the surface of the bowling ball once the event scoring has begun. The bowler may only use a dry towel to wipe off their ball. If the surface of a ball has been altered, the ball will be removed from competition.

The use of powder or easy slide on the soles of shoes will not be permitted. If a bowler is found violating this rule, a warning will be issued. Disregard of the warning will result in disqualification.

In consideration of the Tournament Directors and Allentown Area USBC, conducting the Tournament releases said Tournament Director and the Allentown Area USBC from any and all liability for any injury or accident involving entrant as a result of entrant participating therein.

All matters not covered by the rules and specifications herein shall be covered by the USBC playing rules and specifications.

#### SEND ENTRIES AND PAYMENT TO:

AAUSBC Junior Gold Qualifier Scott Robinson, Tournament Director 4527 Phillip Street Whitehall, PA 18052 (VIPERgts97@aol.com) 484/330-1024 (evenings only)