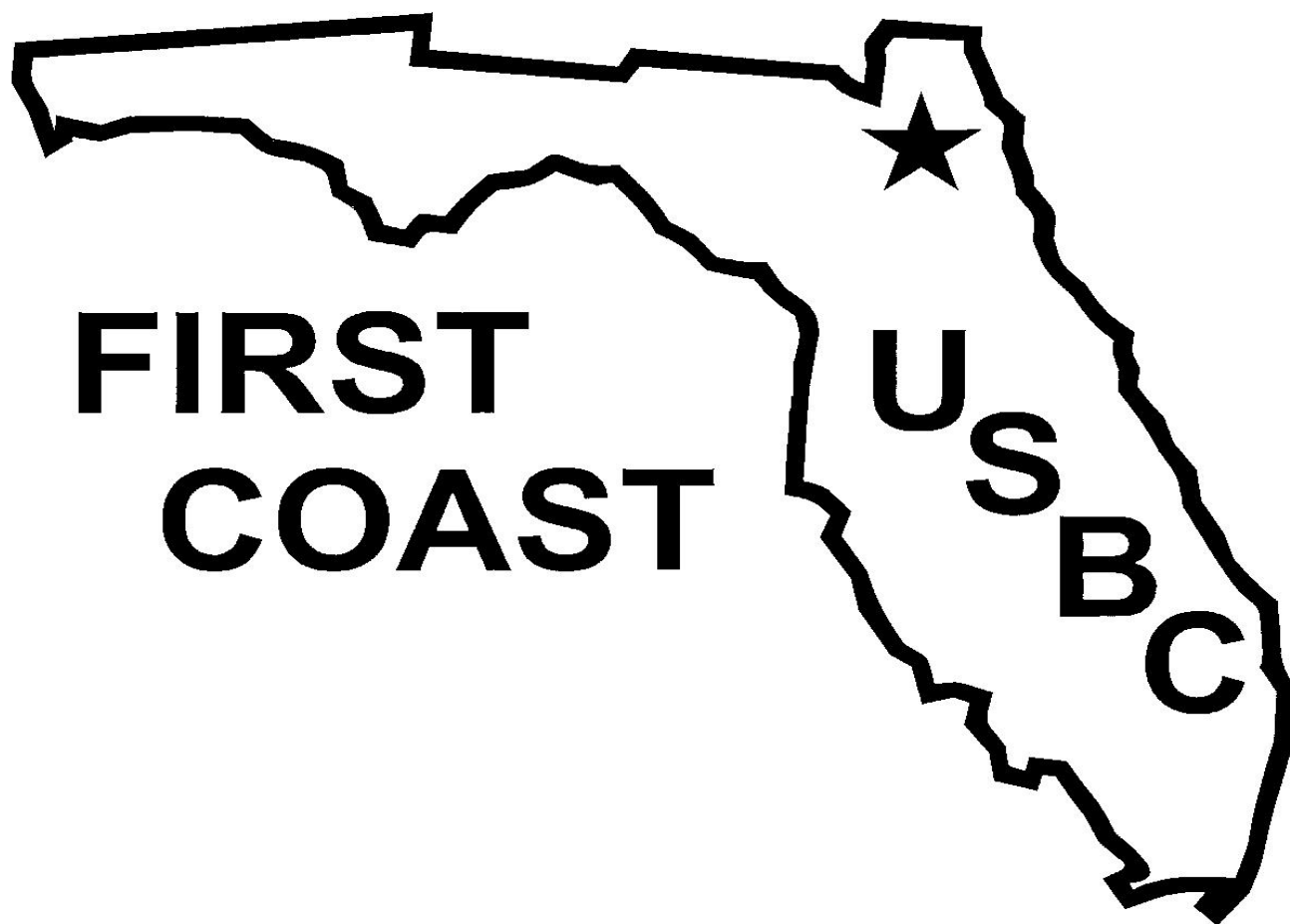


# 21ST ANNUAL OPEN CITY TOURNAMENT



FCUSBC Has Added \$2000 to Prize Fund

Will be Accepting Credit Cards

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ENTRIES CLOSE February 23, 2026

WALKINS ARE WELCOME



**21<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT**  
of the  
**FIRST COAST BOWLING CONGRESS OF THE USBC**

**USBC CERTIFIED**  
**(USBC MEMBERSHIP CARD MUST BE PRESENTED AT CHECK-IN DESK)**

**TEAM EVENT**

Yulee Bowling & Amusement  
850822 US-17  
Yulee, FL 32097  
(904) 225-1077

**SINGLES AND DOUBLES**

Jax Lanes Bowling Center  
8720 Beach Blvd.  
Jacksonville, FL 32216  
(904) 641-2222

**TOURNAMENT DATES – February 28 – March 1, 2026**

**HANDICAP WILL BE 90% OF 230**

**First Coast USBC Donates \$2,000.00 to PRIZE FUND**

**ALL ADVANCE ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN MIDNIGHT FEBRUARY 23,2026**

ENTRY FEE: PER PERSON, PER EVENT	TEAM	DOUBLES	SINGLES	OPT. SCRATCH	HANDICAP ALL EVENTS*	SCRATCH ALL EVENTS*
PRIZE FUND: RETURNED 100%, RATIO 1 TO 10 ENTRIES	\$17.00	\$19.25	\$19.25	\$5.00 PER EVENT	\$5.00	\$5.00
BOWLING FEE	\$12.00	\$9.75	\$9.75	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOURNAMENT EXPENSE	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOTAL	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$30.00	N/A	N/A	N/A

**OPEN RE-ENTRIES ALLOWED BASED ON LANE AVAILABILITY**

**\*RE-ENTRIES ARE OPTIONAL\***

**\*\* BRACKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE -PLEASE SEE NEW RULE #5 UNDER AVERAGES\*\***

MAKE CHECKS OR MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO: FCUSBC  
ANY RETURNED CHECKS WILL DISQUALIFY ENTRY (ALL  
BOWLERS).

MAIL ENTRIES TO:  
P.O. Box 26345  
Jacksonville, FL 32226  
PHONE:(904) 879-1622

**Now Accepting Credit Cards** – If you choose the Credit Card Option you must fill out Entry form and Email to [FirstCoastUSBCTournaments@gmail.com](mailto:FirstCoastUSBCTournaments@gmail.com)

Your Tournament Entry will not be accepted until entry is paid in full. There will be a one-time Processing Fee of \$5.00 per Bowler per transaction. Once Entry is PIF, Entry will be sent to Tournament Office

**TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: FCUSBC Tournament Committee**

**There is an optional scratch event within the open tournament for an additional fee of \$5.00 per person per event (\$5.00 for Singles, \$10.00 for Doubles, & \$20.00 for Team)**

## **GENERAL TOURNAMENT RULES**

1. This tournament is certified by the USBC and shall abide by all tournament rules and regulations of the United States Bowling Congress. Current USBC membership or proof of membership must be presented at the check-in desk for all entrants.
2. The Association Manager will assign lanes for all entries.
3. All non youth members of the First Coast Bowling Congress are eligible to enter. Non-members living within the jurisdiction of this Association and who are not affiliated with another Association may enter by paying an unattached membership fee of \$25.00.
4. Cash prizes shall be awarded on a handicap basis, except those events listed as scratch events. There will be one prize for each 10 entries, or major fraction thereof, in each event of the tournament. Prize money will be returned 100%. In case of ties for first place, CO-CHAMPIONS will be declared, and cash prizes for the affected positions shall be combined and evenly divided. In all other cases, the prize money will be combined and evenly divided.
5. No entry fee shall be refunded after the schedule has been accepted and posted. Acts of God and situations beyond the control of the tournament committee excepted.
6. Tardy bowlers will start in the frame being bowled with a zero (0) given for each frame missed. Pacers will not be permitted.
7. Protests concerning eligibility or general playing rules shall be made in writing to the tournament director or an Association Officer within 24 hours after completion of that squad. The decision of the Tournament Director shall be final unless an appeal is made in accordance with USBC rule 329.
8. **USBC Rule 319A, B, and C is in effect for this tournament.** Misrepresentation will result in Disqualification.
9. Only one re-rack per game allowed per bowler.
10. Single and Doubles event will be bowled on the same pair of lanes. You must bowl in both Singles and Doubles. Doubles will be rolled first.
11. Entries received after the deadline will be considered a re-entry/walk-in.
12. There is an optional scratch event in the Open Tournament for \$5.00 per person per event and will pay 1 out of 10 entries.
13. Only bowlers, officials, and scorekeepers will be allowed in the bowling circle.
14. Extremely boisterous and disruptive behavior shall provide the basis for disqualifying an individual from continued participation in the tournament and removal from the bowling center.

## **TEAM, DOUBLES, & SINGLES INSTRUCTIONS AND RULES**

Check in for all events will be at least 30 minutes prior to scheduled bowling time. All substitutions must be made 30 minutes prior to scheduled bowling times. When more than two players bowl together more than once, the team on which they compete is eligible for only one position prize. You may only cash once with the same partner in doubles and only once in the singles event. **When bowlers compete more than once in any event, the first score bowled in the event shall count towards the ALL EVENTS score.** Re-entries will be accepted at the tournament site, providing lanes are available.

### **AVERAGE RULES**

1. Average on which to base handicap shall be the highest listed 2024-2025 FCUSBC yearbook. If not in the FCUSBC yearbook, a bowler's current season average in the FCUSBC, minimum 21 games as of January 1, 2026, may be used. A bowler with no FCUSBC yearbook, may use a FCUSBC 2025 summer league average (minimum 21 games); providing such average is on file at the FCUSBC Association office.
2. An FCUSBC Youth affiliated Association yearbook average for 2024-2025 will be accepted as verified average for a bowler who is currently a member of the First Coast USBC.
3. Bowlers who have **just moved** to this area and have not established a First Coast USBC average may use a verified average from their previous Association, providing it was established in the immediate preceding season yearbook with 21 or more games bowled.
4. **THOSE WHO DO NOT HAVE ANY OF THE ABOVE AVERAGES MUST BOWL SCRATCH.**
5. **HANDICAP BRACKETS WILL BE LIMITED TO BOWLERS WITH 220 AVERAGE AND BELOW**

**\*\* SQUADS WILL START AT TIME STATED, WARM UP WILL START 10 MINUTES BEFORE SQUAD TIME \*\***

**BOWLER ENTRY NO.** \_\_\_\_\_

**TEAM EVENT**

Yulee Bowling & Amusement

9:00 AM AND 1:30 PM SATURDAY

9:00 AM AND 1:30 PM SUNDAY

**\*\* RETURN THIS PAGE ONLY \*\***

**EVENT CHOICES**

**SINGLES AND DOUBLES EVENT**

Jax Lanes Bowling Center

9:00 AM AND 1:30 PM SATURDAY

9:00 AM AND 1:30 PM SUNDAY

1<sup>ST</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ **TEAM** 2<sup>ND</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

1<sup>ST</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ **SINGLES and DOUBLES** 2<sup>ND</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

Team Name:			
	Bowler ID Number	LIST THE FULL NAME OF EACH PERSON IN THE ORDER THEY WILL BOWL	2024-2025 YEARBOOK
1			
2			
3			
4			

<b>TEAM CAPTAIN PLEASE FILL IN THIS INFORMATION</b>
TEAM CAPTAIN ( PLEASE PRINT NAME )
MAILING ADDRESS
CITY
STATE / ZIP CODE
( AREA CODE ) & PHONE NUMBER

AVG	SINGLES / DOUBLES ENTRIES ONLY	TEAM FEES		DOUBLES FEES		SINGLES FEES		ALL EVENTS		TOTAL		OFFICE USE ONLY
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	LEAD OFF											D
	ANCHOR											S
	LEAD OFF											AEH
	ANCHOR											AES
	<b>TOTAL FEES :</b>											

**TO THE TOURNAMENT MANAGER:**

As team Captain, I hereby enter the above-named team in the First Coast Bowling Congress Open City Championship Tournament and will agree to abide by the tournament and playing rules of the United States Bowling Congress and the First Coast Bowling Congress. The individual bowlers are responsible for ensuring their average is correct.

TEAM CAPTAIN'S SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_