



**Orange County USBC  
Presents  
BVL Tournament**



Hosted by Linbrook Bowl

201 Brookhurst Street, Anaheim, CA 92804

**Saturday, January 20 & Sunday, January 21, 2024  
9:30 AM & 1:00 PM**

USBC #: \_\_\_\_\_

If your membership isn't current, please visit [www.bowl.com](http://www.bowl.com) and click join now to renew.

Is your membership through Orange County? If no, request a transfer card. \$13 in state transfer fee.

Bowler Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Average: \_\_\_\_\_

Youth Parent or Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle: Adult: Male Female Youth: Boy Girl  
Divisions:  
Classic 201 and over Classic 185 and over  
A 180-200 A 160-184  
B 160-179 B 135-159  
C 140-159 C 110-134  
D 139 and under D 109 and under

	Entry Fee	Re-Entry
BVL Donation	23	18
Lineage	12	12
Expense	5	5
<b>Entry Total</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>35</b>
Optional Prize Funds	5	5
<b>Entry Total w/Optional</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>40</b>

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Squad Times: Saturday, 1/20/2024 9:30 AM 1:00 PM  
Sunday, 1/21/2024 9:30 AM 1:00 PM

Pre-registration closes  
**January 12, 2024**

Are you a past OCUSBC BVL winner? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, which year & division? \_\_\_\_\_

Checks Payable to ORANGE COUNTY USBC ASSOCIATION  
Mail to: PO Box 4396, Garden Grove, CA 92842  
Email Entry to: [assnmgr@ocusbc.org](mailto:assnmgr@ocusbc.org) & [ladine\\_bowling@att.net](mailto:ladine_bowling@att.net)  
OCUSBC BVL Chair: Ladine Jones 714/225-2409  
[ladine\\_bowling@att.net](mailto:ladine_bowling@att.net)

Fees Included:	1 <sup>st</sup> Time	Re-Bowl 1	Re-Bowl 2	Re-Bowl 3
Date _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Time _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Entry \$40 Re-Entry \$35	_____	_____	_____	_____
Optional Prize Fund \$5	_____	_____	_____	_____
OC Transfer Card \$13	_____	_____	_____	_____
Total _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
			Total Paid:	_____

BVL provides recreational and therapeutic programs and services to veterans at our nation's VA Medical Centers, Veterans Centers and State Homes. BVL picks up where government funding leaves off, providing the 'extras' that brighten spirits and boost morale. Annual grants fund a myriad of local activities, while BVL national programs, including the tours of the entertainment troupe "Re-Creation" and the BVL Veterans Bowling Tournament, generate a year's worth of enthusiasm. Thanks to BVL, music, the arts, recreation and sports are incorporated into the rehabilitation process speeding recovery and sending a message of care and remembrance to our country's heroes.



**TOURNAMENT RULES:**

1. **Eligibility:** All entrants must be members of Orange County USBC Association to be eligible for optional prize fund and to be a representative at California USBC Helen Duval Veterans Finals.
  - a. Participants are required to show their current USBC membership card (or receipt from league card purchased in) at time of check-in. Entrants failing to present current membership will be entered into scratch division until proof provided. Member will have no later than five (5) days to provide OCUSBC BVL Chairperson proof following participation in the tournament. Failure to return the verification within the designated time shall result in the disqualification of the bowler's scores.
  - b. Any person who bowls under an assumed name, under the name of another person scheduled to bowl in the tournament, or who is under suspension from USBC membership shall be disqualified. The individual shall forfeit his/her entry fee, all prize monies, and be subject to suspension from USBC membership.
  - c. **State Finals (Helen Duval Veterans tournament) has been modified into a handicap event with only four categories: Men, Women, Boys and Girls (one each)**
    - i. We will host a handicap 1 game roll off one week after tournament to designate the OC winner representatives.
2. **Entry Fee:** \$40.00 per person (Lineage \$12.00 Expense \$5.00 BVL \$23.00) \$35.00 for re-entry (Lineage \$12.00, Expense \$5.00 BVL \$18.00).
3. **Optional Prize Fund:** \$5.00 Prize fund will be returned 100% at least one (1) place for every ten (10) entries with a handicap of 90% of 230.
  - a. Check(s) will be mailed to adult winners
  - b. In lieu of prize fund, Youth bowler will receive scholarship deposited into S.M.A.R.T. account with USBC
  - c. Bowler(s) will be allowed to enter multiple times but can only place once in their division for scratch championship, and only cash once in the optional prize fund.
4. **Tournament Format:** Three (3) game singles scratch by division tournament, certified by USBC.
  - a. Any group wishing to bowl together please send entry forms in together in the same envelope. We cannot guarantee walk in groups lane availability to bowl together.
    - i. Champion in each division will receive a custom BVL shirt.
  - b. See tournament divisions on front page.
5. **Pre-Registration Closing Date:** January 12, 2024, or when squads are filled. On site entries accepted based on lane availability.
6. **Averages-Reporting Requirements:**
  - a. 2022-23 highest published average or composite (regardless of association) based on 21 games or more, or highest composite average of 21 games or more during the same period from bowl.com. Submit average verification from bowl.com with entries. If none,
  - b. 2023-24 highest current season average of 21 games or more. Verification (copy of league sheet) must accompany entry. Youth bowlers average of 15 games or more
  - c. If, at the time of bowling, an entrant has a current average of 21 games or more, that is 10 or more pins higher than the average determine in 6a then current average must be used.
  - d. If a certified "Sport" or "Challenge" league average is the bowler's only average, then it will be adjusted per the chart in the USBC rulebook to determine the correct entering average. USBC Rule 201a-c will apply
  - e. Bowlers are responsible for verifying their own average. Any falsification of the highest known average will result in immediate and final disqualification.
  - f. USBC Rules 319a-c will be in effect (except 319(a)(1)(b) & 319d-f).
7. **Late:** Any bowler arriving late will start game in the frame being bowled and will receive zero for any frames missed. No frames can be made up.
8. **Delay of Game:** If equipment failure on a pair of lanes would delay the progress of the series, a tournament official can authorize the completion of a game and series on another pair of certified lanes. The interrupted game and series must be resumed from the point of interruption. No practice will be allowed after being moved. USBC Rule 321 will be waived.
9. **Tie Score:** In the event of a tie score in any division a one game roll off must take place to determine the county representative. Bowler may only represent one association at the State finals.