

2018 WYOMING STATE PEPSI-COLA YOUTH BOWLING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Camelanes, 100 W. 2nd St. Gillette, Wy 82716

State Tournament Date: March 3rd – 4th, 2018

******* \$2000.00 Added Scholarship Money *******

Entry Deadline (Postmarked) February 3rd, 2018

LOCAL IN –HOUSE QUALIFYING DATES: October 1, 2017 – January 31, 2018

ALL DIVISIONS ARE SCRATCH REGARDLESS OF AGE!

1. Tournament is certified by USBC and will be governed by USBC rules, Certification #04941. Entrant must be a Wyoming USBC Youth member to participate.
2. One time entry. If a bowler advances out of a league level in more than one state/province/zone, the bowler must declare one state/province/zone, to continue competing before the next competition level. Participation in any level of competition past the league level in more than one state/province/zone will result in automatic disqualification.
3. Advancement ratios from league to state are at least 1 for every 1 in all divisions.
4. Entries with payment must be postmarked by February 4, 2017. Late entries are at the discretion of the tournament director.
5. There will be 10 divisions based on the participant's date of birth: All divisions will have both a boys & girls division.
U8 – 8/1/09 or Later U10 – 8/1/07 – 7/31/09 U12 - 8/1/05 – 7/31/07 U15 – 8/1/02 – 7/31/05 U20 – 8/1/97 – 7/31/02
6. Format: U8, U10 and U12 will bowl a 3 game block to determine scholarship winners. Ages U15 and U20 will bowl a 6 game qualifier on Saturday, March 3rd. The top 6 in the U15 and U20 divisions will bowl 6 games on Sunday, March 4th. A sport oil pattern will be used for all competition. All qualifying scores are dropped from Saturdays qualifying. Total pins on Sunday will determine the winners.
7. Entry Fee:

	U8, U10 & U12	U15 & U20	
Linage/Expenses	\$ 18.00	\$ 39.00	
Awards	<u>\$ 12.00</u>	<u>\$ 21.00</u>	Awards/Scholarship monies are returned 100% to the bowlers.
Total	\$ 30.00	\$ 60.00	
8. Bowlers must wear appropriate attire. No alcohol or tobacco is allowed in the center by anyone during the youth competition.
9. Bowlers arriving late will begin play at that time. Their score will count beginning with the frame being bowled. Frames missed will be credited with a zero. A bowler that is not ready to bowl when it is his/her turn will be credited with a zero for that frame.
10. Only bowlers and tournament officials will be permitted in the settee area.
11. Ties will be broken for the U12, U15, & U20 divisions by a one game roll off. Should a tie still exist, an additional 9th and 10th frame will be bowled until the tie is broken.
12. Claims for errors in scoring or general playing rules must be made to the tournament director no later than the start of the next block or 30 minutes after completion of the tournament, whichever comes first. The tournament director will decide upon questionable errors. All other protest must be confirmed in writing to the tournament director within 72 hours or before the awards are given out. Each protest under this rule must be specific in itself.
13. Scholarship will be given with a ratio of at least 1 to 10 as per rule 308C in all divisions. A sweatshirt/jacket will be presented to the winners of each division at the Annual State Jamboree in September.
14. The first place winner in the U12, U15 and U20 divisions, both boys and girls, can, at their own expense advance to the 2018 Junior Gold Championships in Dallas, TX., July 14-21, 2018. Entry fee into this tournament is paid for by the Junior Gold Pepsi-Cola sponsorship. The advancers must be Junior Gold Program members, or be eligible and purchase a membership prior to the championships. Each athlete will be required to bring a parent, guardian, or coach to the event as his or her supervisor.
15. Advancers must agree to bowl in the Junior Gold Championships, or to do so, agree to waive all rights. If a division champion is unwilling/unable to become a USBC Junior Gold Program Member, then they will not advance to the Championships. The athlete will still retain the State Scholarship, but the berth to the championships will be awarded to the next eligible athlete. Replacements/alternates will incur all expenses.
16. Scholarships awarded will be governed by the National SMART Fund. www.bowl.com/SMART
17. Failure to abide by any rules and regulations may lead to disqualification from the event. All matters not covered by these rules and regulations will be determined by the Wyoming Pepsi USBC Youth Championship Tournament committee. The National Pepsi Youth Championship Tournament Committee reserves the right to accept or reject any participant. All decisions are final.
18. **Confirmation letters will not be mailed out but rather posted on the www.bowlwyo.com website.** It will be the bowlers responsibility to verify their qualifying date and time.

Website (available for schedule, standings or information) WWW.BOWLWYO.COM.

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DIVISIONS FOR STATE LEVEL

(Circle One Division)

MALE OR FEMALE

(Circle One)

AGE AS OF AUGUST 1, 2016

U8	Birthdate 8/1/09 or Later	M / F	Age _____
U10	Birthdate 8/1/07 – 7/31/09	M / F	Age _____
U12	Birthdate 8/1/05 – 7/31/07	M / F	Age _____
U15	Birthdate 8/1/02 – 7/31/05	M / F	Age _____
U20	Birthdate 8/1/97 – 7/31/02	M / F	Age _____

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Name _____

USBC Membership# _____ Center Representing _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ Home Phone # _____ Cell Phone # _____

Date of Birth _____ **Sweatshirt/Jacket Size:** YS YM YL YXL AS AM AL AXL AXXL

Parent or Guardian: I hereby give my permission for my son/daughter to participate in the 2017 Wyoming Pepsi Youth Bowling Championship with a guardian. I understand that I am/or the guardian traveling with my child is responsible for my child and his or her actions traveling to or from and also during this tournament. I also understand that misrepresentation of my child's age could result in disqualification and loss of any award and/or scholarship.

Parent or guardian signature

Mail entries to:

State Tournament Coordinator: Felicia Cummings Phone: 307-797-4368
1003 S. Cherry Email: eggert224@gmail.com
Casper, WY 82604

For state coordinator use only:

Date Received: _____ **Funds received: \$** _____