



Capital District
Youth Scholarship Tour

Join us for the 2017 CDYST Invitational

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At Least \$600 to be added to the Scholarship Fund

Saturday, April 22, 2017 9:30 AM

**Hi-Way Recreation
115 Main Ave.
Wynantskill, NY 12198
(518) 283 - 6622**

Two USBC Sport-Compliant Patterns of Unknown Length Will Be Used

Tournament Open to 2016 - 2017 CDYST Members Only

Two Three-Game Blocks on Each Pattern / Optional Junior Gold Qualifier

Field Capped at 60 Members / Reservations Strongly Recommended

\$35 Entry Fee

See reverse for tournament rules and entry form. For more information, contact tournament directors Mark Taylor and Steve Fawcett. Call **518-765-0267** or e-mail us at **CDYSTinfo@aol.com**. We are also online and on **Facebook!**

2017 CDYST Invitational Rules

USBC Cert. Number: 05132

Tournament Directors: Mark Taylor and Steve Fawcett

- 1) This is a scratch singles tournament, with boys and girls competing for separate proportional scholarship funds. **The field is limited to 60 bowlers.** Fully-paid entries will be accepted on a first come, first-served basis to reserve a spot. If necessary, a waiting list will be created. Walk-in entries will only be permitted if space permits.
- 2) The entry fee is \$35 with the following breakdown: \$14 lineage; \$19 scholarship fund; \$2 expenses.
- 3) This tournament will begin promptly at 9:30 am on Saturday April 22, 2017. However, we ask that bowlers arrive at least 45 minutes early to check in and receive their lane assignments. **If a bowler who has reserved their entry has not arrived within 15 minutes of the tournament starting time, we reserve the right to pass their spot to a member on the waiting list, if one exists, or to a walk-in.**
- 4) Tardy bowlers must begin with the frame being bowled. No pins will be credited for frames missed.
- 5) All competitors will bowl two three-game blocks on different USBC Sport-compliant patterns with no information posted in advance. The first block will be contested on one pattern. The lanes will then be reconditioned using a different pattern and the second block will begin. The lane graphs will be made available once the tournament has concluded.
- 6) At the completion of six games, the top six bowlers, regardless of division, will advance to the finals. The finals format will be as follows: the fourth-, fifth-, and sixth-seeded bowlers will bowl one game, with the highest scoring bowler advancing; the fifth and sixth place bowlers will be determined based on their seven-game total pinfall. The advancing bowler will bowl one game against the second- and third-seeded bowlers, with the highest scoring bowler advancing; the third and fourth place bowlers will be determined by adding their score from Match 2 to their six-game qualifying total. The Championship Match will be between the top-seeded bowler and the winner of Match 2. The winner will be awarded a plaque in recognition of being the tournament champion.
- 7) If a player bowls on the wrong lane or out of turn and does not roll a strike, they will shoot the spare and that is their frame. If they roll a strike, the ball will not count and they will bowl in the correct order on the correct lane.
- 8) No ball surface adjustments may be made after the start of competition for each block is announced. If a bowler is found to have made a ball surface adjustment after competition once a block begins, they will receive 0 pinfall for any frames the ball was used; and the ball will be removed from competition for that block (and the finals if the ball was altered during the second block).
- 9) A minimum of 1 in 4 bowlers in each division will earn a scholarship prize. Scholarship prizes will be determined at the completion of the finals. If only one bowler from a division qualifies for the finals, they will automatically earn the top prize in their division.
- 10) All scholarship money will be held by and distributed in accordance with the USBC SMART Program.
- 11) Entry into the Junior Gold qualifier is optional for all competitors and will cost an additional \$50. If a bowler is not USBC Junior Gold-certified and they wish to enter the qualifier, they must certify on site; the cost is an additional \$30. Each bowler's six-game total pinfall will be used and the number of Junior Gold spots awarded will be contingent upon the number of entries; 1 in 4 bowlers who enter will earn their entry into the Junior Gold tournament.
- 12) **All bowlers must wear a collared or mock-collar shirt with no exceptions.** Please refer to the CDYST Code of Conduct, which addresses acceptable attire and behavior. It is available online, at the tournament site, or via e-mail.
- 13) All rules not specifically addressed herein will be subject to the USBC Rulebook. For matters not directly addressed in the USBC Rulebook, the tournament directors' decision is final.
- 14) The CDYST Invitational will count towards eligibility into the 2017 CDYST Masters. Bowler of the Year points will be awarded in accordance with the guidelines set forth for all regular season tournaments and will be awarded as if there was a single division.



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2017 CDYST INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM

Member Name: _____

To reserve your spot, please mail entry form and \$35 payment to:

**Capital District Youth Scholarship Tour
21 Crow Ridge Road.
Voorheesville, NY 12186**