### **Gloria McKenney Honorary** YOUTH SINGLES SCHOLARSHIP **BOWLING TOURNAMENT**

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14, 2018

at 12:00 noon (check-in at 11:30 am)

#### at PLUM HOLLOW LANES

21900 W. 9 Mile Road • Southfield, MI • 248-353-6540 www.bowldetroit.com

## Over \$900.00 in Scholarship Points Awarded

Additional Prizes: Plaques awarded to the 1st place in each Divison. Medals awarded to 2nd & 3rd place in each division. This is a Scholarship Points based event.

\*\* Due to lane availabilty, limited to 120 participants. \*\* All monies will be managed by USBC SMART and the Michigan Bowling Scholarship Fund.



#### **Handicap Divisions**

Boys 10 & Girls 10 and under

Boys 11-14

Girls 11-14

Boys 15 & over

Girls 15 and over

#### Elite Scratch Division

(No Handicap - Must Specify This Option)

Boys and Girls - Ages 14 & under

Boys - Ages 15 & older

Girls - Ages 15 & older

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NAME	Entry Fee
ADDRESS	\$18.00 per person by January 8
CITY ZIP	\$23.00 per person after January 8
PHONE ()	Entries will be accepted at Plum Hollow Lanes only.
EMAIL	At check-in, bowler <u>must</u> present a certification card from USBC or the receipt for a USBC application.  Entries will be accepted up to the day of the Tournament if space is available.
AGE AS OF JANUARY 1, 2018 Date of Birth	
CENTER YOU BOWL AT	
AVERAGE (2016/17) CURRENT AVERAGE	
GENDER BOY GIRL USBC ID#	
CHOICE OF DIVISION (circle one):	
HANDICAP: Boys & Girls 10 & under Boys 11-14 Boys 15	& older Girls 11-14 Girls 15 & over

Elite Division - Ages 15 & older: Male Female SCRATCH: Elite Division - Ages 14 and under

# Gloria McKenney Honorary YOUTH SINGLES SCHOLARSHIP BOWLING TOURNAMENT Rules

- 1. This Tournament is open to all USBC certified youth bowlers participating in a certified league (including the High School Bowling programs). All youth bowlers participating in this Tournament must present their USBC certification card or a receipt of payment of certification fees at check-in which begins ½ hour before Tournament start time Walk-ins will be accepted if space is available. Bowlers not ready to bowl at the start of the Tournament will not be permitted to compete. Participants bowling in an adult bowling league will not be allowed to participate in this event. All bowlers must be checked in at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the Tournament. High School bowlers not belonging to the USBC must submit an official average record if bowling in a Handicap Division.
- 2. Tournament Format: Youth will bowl 3 games on a pair of lanes. The top 3 positions based on total pins including handicap in the Handicap Divisons will bowl a single-game elimination stepladder final. Ties for any qualifying position will be broken by a scratch 9th and 10th frame roll-off. If a tie still exists, another 9th and 10th frame roll-off will determine the standings. No handicap pins will be used in the 9th & 10th frame tie breaker roll-offs regardless of tournament division. The top three Elite Division bowlers will also compete in a roll-off.
- 3. Participants can bowl in the Handicap or Scratch Division. Handicap will be 100% of the difference between the bowler's entering average and 220. There will be no maximum handicap for a participant and handicap will be used for the qualifying rounds and the stepladder finals in the Handicap Division. There will be no handicap in the scratch Elite Scratch Division.
- 4. Bowlers will use their 2016/17 USBC certified league season average with a minimum of 21 games. If the bowler does not have a 2016/17 USBC certified average, he/she will use their current USBC certified league average with a minimum of 12 games. Bowlers using a current league average must present a current league sheet as proof of average at the tournament. If a bowler's average cannot be verified or no average exists using the above criteria, the bowler will receive a "0" handicap.
- 5. This Tournament is for scholarship competition points only. Entry fee will be \$18.00 if paid by January 8, 2018. After January 8, 2018, the entry fee will be \$23.00. Bowlers who have pre-paid must bring their payment receipt to check-in as well as their certification card. The entry fee will be divided as follows:

Bowling \$10.00 Scholarship Contribution 6.00 Expenses 2.00 Total \$18.00

The additional \$5.00 fee for entries received after January 8, 2018 will be added to the Scholarship Fund.

Entry fee can be paid by check, cash, MasterCard or Visa. Checks should be made out to: VEI, Inc with Gloria McKenney Youth Tournament written on the notation line at the botton left of the check and can be mailed to Plum Hollow Lanes, 21900 W. 9 Mile Road, Southfield, MI 48075. Mailed entries will be accepted through January 4, 2017.

- 6. Bowlers will bowl in one of the following divisions: Boys & and girls ages 10 & under, Boys age 11-14, Boys age 15 & older Girls age 11-14, Girls age 15 and over, Boys Elite Scratch Division age 15 and older, Girls Elite Scratch Division age 15 and older Boys and Girls Elite Scratch Division age 14 and under. Age of participants is based on actual age as of January 1, 2018.
- 7. A minimum of \$900.00 in Scholarship contributions will be donated for this Tournament. Distribution points will be determined on the basis of participation. Points for performance will be awarded for bowling ability. In addition, first place will receive a plaque and 2nd & 3rd place will receive medals. This is a points based event. There are no specific dollars for placement.
- 8. Only bowlers, designated scorekeepers and Tournament Officials are allowed in the bowler's area during the Tournament. If a problem arises, all bowlers on the pair of lanes in question are to stop bowling and IMMEDIATELY call a Tournament Official. All score corrections and problems require a Tournament Official to be present. CHAIRS & TABLES CLOSEST TO THE LANES BELONG TO THE BOWLING ATHLETES.
- 9. A code of conduct will be posted for parents and bowlers to abide by. Failure to follow this code can be grounds for disqualification of the bowler from the Tournament.
- 10. Proper attire is required for participation in the Tournament. Jeans and tee-shirts (no offensive language permitted) are permitted. Baggy pants, jeans with holes, hats and short skirts are not permitted. In addition, no I-Pods, MP3's, cell phones or gaming are permitted during bowling.
- 11. Qualification for a potential scholarship is based upon the following items: Cumulative GPA at graduation, ACT/SAT scores, bowling achievement, and community service. A student must apply to the Michigan Bowling Scholarship committee providing the proper submitted documents. Once the committee has reviewed the qualifying criteria, a scholarship may be awarded. Points will be tracked on the Michigan Bowling Scholarship website. Further information is available from the tournament director.
- 12. Any rules not covered above will be determined by the Tournament Committee:

  Leteria Beck at lbeck@bowldetroit.com, Carmen Allen at 248-353-6540 or Moe Ammar 734-634-5207 or mammar@bowldetroit.com

This Tournament is dedicated to the friendship and accomplishments of the highly respected and loved Gloria McKenney who has for many years been a leader in the bowling community. Gloria's accomplishments on and off the lanes within leagues and within the T.N.B.A. has made Detroit bowling better.