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Tournament room rates ( based on double occupancy)  
Standard King- one night \$59, two nights \$55 per night  
Standard Double - one night \$72, two nights \$60 per night

Tournament managed by North Central, New Mexico, U.S.B.C. Inc. Bowling Association

**8th Annual "STRIKE IT RICH" Team Tournament**

**\$9,000** added prize money\*

\*\$4000 added to side pot & \$4000 added to tournament prize fund by the Santa Claran Hotel • Casino.  
\$1000 added to the side pot by the New Mexico Bowling Centers Association.

**TOTAL Estimated Prize fund of \$21,960 based on 96 team entries.**

## Team Qualifying April 21st & 22nd

Circle squad time you would like to bowl. Practice begins 10 minutes prior to each squad time:

**Saturday, April 21<sup>st</sup>**

9 A.M. 1 P.M. 5 P.M.

**Sunday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>**

8 A.M.

**TEAM FINALS: Top (16) teams bowl "Baker System" double elimination format on Sunday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> immediately after the last squad! (Approximately 11:30 A.M.) Lanes will be reconditioned after each squad.**

Entry line-up order can't be changed after entry is submitted; however, name changes are permitted prior to squad start time.

| TEAM NAME | Email Address<br>Required for participants to receive future tournament information. | U.S.B.C Sanction # | Highest Book Ave. 10/11 | Highest League Ave. as of 12/31/11 |
|-----------|--|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1         |  |                    |                         |                                    |
| 2         |  |                    |                         |                                    |
| 3         |  |                    |                         |                                    |
| 4         |  |                    |                         |                                    |
| 5         |  |                    |                         |                                    |

**Any combination of 5 sanctioned U.S.B.C. bowlers form a team.**

**Total Entry Fee  
\$200 per team.  
(\$40 per person)**

### TEAM SIDE-POT GUARANTEED!

#### Total verifiable entering team average

Teams entering the "STRIKE IT RICH" Tournament with a combined verifiable team average of 900 or less are automatically entered into the TEAM BONUS SIDE-POT at no additional cost to the team.

The top 5 team scores, whose entering verifiable team average is 900 or less, during the "STRIKE IT RICH" Tournament qualifying rounds will win their share of the TEAM BONUS SIDE-POT!

Winners' of the TEAM BONUS SIDE-POT are still eligible to roll off in the team finals on April 22<sup>nd</sup> if their score qualifies in the top 16 teams of qualifying on April 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Please note: The "STRIKE IT RICH" Tournament allows bowlers to enter the tournament using a scratch average of 220; however, these bowlers must use their highest verifiable average as outlined in the highlighted average rule of the "STRIKE IT RICH" Tournament rules to participate in the TEAM BONUS SIDE-POT.

**1st \$1500**  
**2nd \$1250**  
**3rd \$1000**  
**4th \$750**  
**5th \$500**

# 2012 Tournament Rules and Regulations

All participants must be members of the U.S.B.C. **Any combination of 5 sanctioned bowlers form a team.**

This tournament will be sanctioned and all rules and regulations of U.S.B.C. will govern this bowling event.

This tournament is a handicap team event with a three (3) game series to be bowled to determine the top sixteen (16) teams to move on to a two (2) game double elimination Baker System Format. Bowlers may bowl with only one (1) team at a time per series, but can bowl as many times as space allows on another team on another squad. In the event of a bowler or bowlers qualifying for more than one (1) team, the bowler will have the option of either bowling on all teams in which they have qualified or appoint a substitute bowler. Only subs that have bowled in this tournament can bowl in any qualifying matches of this tournament. The finals will be as follows; the #1 qualifier to bowl the #16 qualifier, and the #2 qualifier to bowl the #15 qualifier, and so on and so forth.

It is each bowler's responsibility to verify accuracy of his/her average. Failure to use the proper average or make corrections up to the completion of the first game of a series shall disqualify the score if submitted average is lower than actual average or base winnings on submitted average if it is higher.

The entering average used shall be a bowler's highest sanctioned 2010/2011 average or if no book average, use highest sanctioned league average as of December 31, 2011 (minimum of 12 games). If highest league average as of December 31, 2011 (minimum of 12 games) is 10 or more pins higher than the book average, then the league average as of December 31, 2011 shall be used. If no average exists under these conditions, bowlers will use a scratch average of 220. All averages will be verified with a bowler's local association before any qualifying money will be paid out. All bowlers must have a current sanction card at the time of the tournament and display card at the tournament desk. Sanction cards can be purchased at the tournament desk.

**NEW THIS YEAR!** Handicap will be based on 90% of 220 for each individual bowler.

Multiple entries are permitted if space is available. Individual bowlers may cash more than once, but not with the same 5 member team. At least 2 bowlers must be different.

No blind scores or pacers will be permitted. Tardy bowlers will start in the frame being bowled with zero (0) given for each frame missed. Subs may be used providing they qualify under the rules of the tournament. All bowlers or captains shall report to the tournament desk at least 30 minutes prior to the scheduled time to bowl.

The use of an ineligible bowler will result in disqualification and all fees will be forfeited. Entry line-up order can't be changed after entry is submitted; however, name changes are permitted prior to squad start time.

**All sixteen qualifying teams will be guaranteed to receive their share of the prize money.**

**There is no further cost to participate in the finals. It's each team's responsibility to check and see if they qualified for the finals.**

This tournament will be managed by the **North Central, New Mexico, U.S.B.C. INC. Bowling Association.** All score & roster changes must be done by tournament management officials not the bowling center. In the event of mechanical failure, it is hereby agreed that the bowlers affected shall be moved to the first available pair of lanes. In the event of protest, contact tournament management at once. Due to the format of the finals, errors in scoring must be reported & settled by the tournament management prior to the start of the next squad/round. Tournament management will staff the tournament check in center, handle all entry fees, sponsor checks, pay out expenses, score computations, sanctions, prize money distribution & issue any required 1099-MISC forms to tournament prize winners along with any other duties required to manage the tournament.

## WIN CASH & PRIZES!

All Tournament Participants 21 years or older are eligible to participate in a GREAT Casino Promotion just for you.

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## TOTAL ENTRY FEE PER TEAM IS \$200

Bowling lineage fee: \$50 per team.

North Central N.M.U.S.B.C. Bowling Association expense fee: \$15 per team.

Prize money fee: \$135 per team. **ALL PRIZE MONEY RETURNED 100%**

**Submitted entries will be returned for incomplete team information.**

**Complete team information is required to enter the tournament.**

Team Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to  
North Central, N.M.U.S.B.C.  
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Send entries to:  
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