8th Annual Ed Calcote Memorial Scholarship Tournament and Premiere Junior Gold Youth Qualifying Event

Sponsored by

Texas State USBC Youth Leaders Association

Bowlero Euless

1901 W. Airport Freeway
Euless, TX 76040
817/540-0303
March 15 & 16, 2025

**** This tournament is held on the same weekend as the Texas State Pepsi ****
**** Championship Finals. Be sure to schedule and bowl both tournaments. ****

Entry Fees: $45.00 (Scratch and Handicap 126 Avg. & Up), or $40.00 (Handicap 125 Avg.& Below

(Pre-Entry Cashiers Check or Money Order Payable to TSUSBC)

USBC CERTIFIED
OPEN TO ALL

USBC YOUTH MEMBERS

Squad Times

Saturday, March 15
9:00 AM, 2:00 PM
Sunday, March 16
9:00 AM, 2:00 PM

Optional Premiere Junior Gold Event – U12, U15, U18 Divisions!!! U12 Fee- $25, U15 Fee- $37.50 U18 - $50.00 (6 Game Blocks) Advancement Ratio 1:4! – Bowlers May Enter Jr Gold Only Once!

Texas State. USBC Assoc. Is Adding $10 Per Entry, Up To $3000, To the Scholarship Fund For This Tournament!

Mail Entries to: Kay Smith – 4569 Dilly Shaw Tap Rd. Bryan, Texas 77808

Entries close 1 hour before squad time.
Early entry is recommended.
Walk-ins accepted subject to lane availability.

DATE & TIME: 1st choice_____

DATE & TIME: 2nd choice_____

Name: _____

Address:_____ City:_____ Zip: _____

Telephone:_____ Graduation Year:_____ USBC ID#: _____

E-mail:_____

Please print the e-mail address LEGIBLY – e-mail required if entry confirmation desired

Gender: Boy____Girl____ Average: _____ (must supply proof of average in Handicap Divisions! – see Tournament Rule 4)
BirthDate_____

Choose One Division:
_____Scratch No Avg verification Required (Entry Fee $45) Eligible for Jr. Gold
_____Handicap 126 Average & Above (Entry Fee $45) Avg verification required Eligible for Jr. Gold See rule 4 and 11
_____Handicap 125 Average & Below (Entry Fee $40) Avg verification required (Handicap 125 and Below not eligible for Junior Gold)

Junior Gold (optional):___ U12 (B'day 8/1/14 or later___U15 (B'day 8/1/09 to 7/31/12) ____U18 (B'day 8/1/06-7-31-2009 (JG Memberships must be purchased on line at bowl.com before entering tournament)

TOURNAMENT RULES

1: The 8th Annual Ed Calcote Memorial Tournament sponsored by the Texas State Youth Leaders will be held on March 15 & 16 2025 at Bowlero Euless, 1904 W. Airport Frwy, Euless, TX 76040. Squad times will be 9:00 AM and 2:00 PM on Saturday March 15, 2025 and 9:00 AM and 2:00 PM on Sunday March 16, 2025.

2: Entrants must be a current USBC Certified youth bowler.

3: This tournament will be bowled on a Sport Shot compliant lane condition.

4: **ALL BOWLERS MUST SUPPLY PROOF OF AVERAGE!!!** Handicap will be 100% of 200.
(a) Entrants must use the highest USBC certified league average of 15 games or more from the previous fall league as listed on Bowl.com.
(b) If No bowl.com average, the bowler will use their highest USBC certified league average of 15 games or more as of January 1st of the current year. A January1st standing sheet must be stapled to the entry form
(c) If a certified "sport" league average is the youth's only average, it will be adjusted per the USBC sport adjustment chart to determine the average to be used
(d) If no a, b, or c exist the bowler can use a current average of 9 games or more or past verifiable average whichever is higher (tournament director's decision is final),
e). If no a,b,c,or d, the bowler will use a 200 average

5: Entry closing date is 1 hour before squad time. To ensure participation, entrant should mail the entry by February 26, 2024. Entries received after that date will be accepted on a lane available basis only.

6: Bowlers may participate in multiple squads or multiple divisions, but can place only once (the highest placement) in the tournament prize list. Each entry requires a separate entry form.

7: There will be six (6) divisions: Scratch Boys and Girls, Handicap average 125 and under Boys and Girls, and Handicap average 126 and over Boys and Girls.

8: Handicap for the handicap divisions will be based on 100% of the difference between the bowler's average and 200 per game.

9: The entry fees for the Scholarship Tournament are $40.00 for the Handicap 125 and Below Division (4 game block) Lineage $15.00 Prize $23.00, Expense $2.00 or $45.00 for the Scratch and 126 and Above Handicap Divisions (6 game block). Lineage is $22.50, Prize $20.50, expense $2.00
Mail CASHIERS CHECKS or MONEY ORDERS (**NO PERSONAL CHECKS**) PAYABLE TO THE **TSUSBC**. Scholarships will be awarded on a ratio of at least 1 for every 10 entries. Scholarship fee will be returned 100% to the bowlers in the form of scholarships. All Scholarships will be held by the USBC SMART Program in the TSYL account #9087

10: A. Entrants in the 125 and Under Handicap Division of the Scholarship Tournament will bowl four (4) games, the three highest games will count toward the bowlers' series with the low game not counting.
B. Entrants in the Scratch and 126 and Up Handicap Divisions of the Scholarship Tournament will bowl six (6) games. The five highest games will count toward the bowlers' series with the low game not counting.

11: The Junior Gold event is optional and participants **MUST** also bowl in the Scholarship Tournament. The additional entry fees for the Junior Gold event are $25.00 for U12, $37.50 for U15 or $50.00 for U18**. Entrant must show proof of Junior Gold membership or have purchased membership (U12 $10.00; U15, U18 $30.00) on line at bowl.com**. The optional Junior Gold portion will use the six (6) game scratch score. **Bowlers participating in the 125 and Under Division of the Scholarship Tournament are not eligible for participation in the Junior Gold event**. The qualifiers span both days of the tournament. Bowlers may only enter the Junior Gold event once. The high place boy and girl Junior Gold entrant in each division (subject to 4 girls and 4 boys minimum for separate divisions) will receive an entry into the 2025 National Junior Gold Championships**. If less than 4 boys or 4 girls the division will be combined**. Other entries will be awarded on a ratio of 1 in 4. U12 and U15 entrants MUST bowl in the U12 and U15 divisions at JG Nationals – to bowl up, bowler must fill out the appropriate waiver form and compete in the higher division. JG EARP rules apply. Highest scratch score boy and girl from each division across both days will receive expense subsidy. See complete JG rules at tournament. If necessary, tiebreaker for positions awarded shall be determined by highest game(s) scratch bowled in the JG qualifying squad

12: Only bowlers, tournament officials and center employees shall be permitted in the settee area.

13. PROPER ATTIRE MUST BE WORN. Participants can wear long pants/jean and girls can wear skorts, however **NO SHORTS OR SPANDEX. No holes in pants or shirts**. (Pants must have a zipper or button). Bowling shirts are preferred but all shirts must have sleeves and be long enough to tuck in. No alcohol, gaming, tobacco, sexual or profane advertisements will be allowed on any attire or equipment. No holes in pants or shirts. No hats or caps in bowler's area. Decisions on attire will be made by a tournament official.

14: The Tournament Director and State Youth Leaders Board of Directors shall determine all matters not covered by these rules. This tournament will be certified by the USBC and all USBC rules will apply.

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