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## **Wednesday Night Doubles** **League Rules 2010 – 2011**

### **Composition:**

The league will consist of two (2) person teams of which can be any combination of two males, two females or mixed. The league will run on the Pin-O-Rama 29 week schedule. The entering cap will be a total of 430 per team. Team numbers will be assigned based on the ending position of the previous season, new teams will be appended.

### **Point System And League Play:**

A three point system will be used; one point awarded for each game won. The league will consist of four quarters, each quarter will be 7 weeks long, and the week of each quarter will be a position round. The last week of bowling is week 29, which will consist of the roll-off and hi-low tournament, and NO points awarded that week. If the league has more than 24 teams then both sides of the center will be used.

### **Entering Averages:**

Bowler's entering this league will use last year's highest recorded book average for 21 games or more. High school, college, and junior averages will be used for 40 games or more. If no average for last year then we will go back one additional year. If still no average then Men take 190 and Women take 165 for the first 3 weeks of the season. If necessary, the league officers have the right to rerate any bowler based on previous averages older than two years.

### **Other Associations:**

Bowler's entering this league from any other association must have written verification of their averages. This may be from association secretary, leagues secretary, or certified coach.

### **Handicap:**

The league will use 90% of the difference of the team's average, the sum of both bowlers.

### **Absentee (Blind Score):**

Absent bowlers will take 100% of their average.

### **Postponements:**

There will be NO postponements, make-up games or otherwise. If a bowler is absent they will take 100% of their average.

### **Bye Team:**

When scheduled to bowl the bye team, at least one team member is required to be present and bowl. If both players are absent, they will receive no points for that week.

### **Captains Responsibilities:**

Team captains are responsible for attending all meetings, and collecting all team monies due. The captain is also responsible for turning in the dues envelope (NO LATER THEN THE END OF THE FIRST GAME TO THE TREASURER).

### **Arrears And All Monies:**

The League weekly dues will be \$20.00 per week. No individual or team may be behind more than 2 weeks, (\$40.00 or more). More then this will be considered in arrears and a league vote

may be called to remove said bowler or team from the league. If any individual has a problem please let the Treasurer, and or President know. Everything will be kept confidential. All bowlers will be responsible for a team sponsor fee of \$50.00. The last week of bowling (week 29) must be paid in advance. Also each member will pay \$5 for Hi-Low tournament. ALL MONIES ARE DUE BY WEEK 28. If any bowler owes money after week 28 a \$20.00 fine will be imposed and withheld from your prize winnings. Sanctions for this season are \$20.00 for the Men, \$17.00 for the Women, and \$27.00 for Women that want to sanction in both. These must be paid the first night and the first league you are bowling in. The secretary and treasurer's salary is \$300 each.

**Position Standings:**

Teams are listed each week by total wins. If any are tied then they are listed in order of total pins with handicap. If any teams are tied for any quarter a one game roll-off will break the tie. If still tied a 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> frame tiebreaker will be used until a winner is declared.

**Playoffs/Prize Positions:**

Five teams will advance to the stepladder finals, each quarter winner, and the team with the most overall wins. Teams will be seeded according to total points won. If there is a tie for any position then a one game roll-off will determine the winner. A 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> frame tiebreaker will be used if still tied. If any team wins two quarters then the next 2 highest wins will get the roll-off seeds. If any team should win three quarters then the next 3 highest wins will get the roll-off seeds. If one team should win all four quarters then they will be deemed League Champions and no roll-off will be run. The league officers will determine which lanes will be used for the roll-offs. Teams that lose their roll-off game will receive prize money based on where they finish in the league with their total wins. All teams will be placed by total wins. If there is a tie for any position then the money will be combined and divided by the number of bowlers. The team not showing on time for roll-off will use thier blind score. If you are in roll-offs you must bowl hi-low.

**Awards:**

To qualify for any league award a bowler must bowl 2/3 of the season. Individual and team awards will follow this priority: Scratch series, scratch game, handicap series, and handicap game. Any team or individual may only win 1 category by above priority.

**Substitutes:**

There will be NO substitutes in this league. Absent bowlers will take 100% of their average.

**Late Rule:**

If any person arrives after the beginning of the third frame, they will have to take an absent score for that game.

**Grandfather Rule:**

The league voted to Grandfather teams in; teams that are over the cap [430] at the end of the year are allowed to bowl again the following year. Also if that team should win the league and are over the cap they are allowed to come back as a team for the next bowling season. If they should win the league a second time, and are still over the cap [430] they will have to break apart after that year. If they are under the cap [430] then they can come back as a team again the following year unless they win the league for a second time.

**Extra Money Due**

\$50.00 for Sponsor Fee	Due by Week 10
\$18.00 Last Night of Bowling	Due by Week 20
\$5.00 for Hi-Low	Due by Week 28

Please visit <http://wnd.blackcrate.net/> for up to date standings and league information, also available are downloads for this year and the previous year[s].