



"YOUTH FEST"

**9-PIN "NO-TAP"
YOUTH DOUBLES TOURNAMENT**



SUNDAY, APRIL 19th, 2026

CHECK-IN BEGINS: 10:00 A.M. / TOURNAMENT BEGINS: 11:00 A.M.

**MVP LANES
3810 LAKE AVENUE
Fort Wayne, Indiana 46805**

**ENTRY FEE: \$50.00 PER TEAM
BOWLING LINEAGE: \$18.00
SCHOLARSHIP FUND \$20.00
EXPENSES: \$12.00**

**SCHOLARSHIP MONEY
WILL BE AWARDED ON A
1:5 PRIZE RATIO
GURANTEED TO RETURN
100% OF PRIZE FUND**

TOURNAMENT FORMAT

3 GAMES OF YOUTH 9-PIN "NO TAP" DOUBLES (ANY COMBO OF YOUTH BOWLERS)
TEAM HANDICAP BASED OFF OF 85% OF 420 (420 & OVER WILL BE CONSIDERED SCRATCH)

WALK-INS WELCOME BUT MUST REGISTER NO LATER THAN :30 MINUTES PRIOR TO START OF COMPETITION.

**EACH BOWLER WILL RECEIVE COMPLIMENTARY
TWO HOT DOGS & ONE POP & OTHER DOOR PRIZE GIVEAWAYS!!!**

BOWLER'S INFORMATION

BOWLER #1:		USBC I.D.:
ADDRESS:		24/25 AVG:
CITY:	STATE:	ZIP:
BOWLER #2:		USBC I.D.:
ADDRESS:		24/25 AVG:
CITY:	STATE:	ZIP:
CONTACT EMAIL (ADULT):		

EARLY ENTRY DEADLINE: THURSDAY, APRIL 16th, 2026

CHECKS PAYABLE: Fort Wayne Metro USBC

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FORT WAYNE METRO USBC – “YOUTHFEST” RULES

1 – ELIGIBILITY: This is a Doubles Tournament that is open to ANY combination of USBC YOUTH sanctioned bowlers. All bowlers must present proof of USBC membership if not a member of Fort Wayne Metro USBC (USBC I.D. Number denoted on entry form).

2 – FORMAT: The tournament will consist of THREE (3) games of 9-Pin “No Tap” (NO TAP = ALL 9-pin counts on the first ball are scored as strikes. All other leaves are scored as usual) Doubles competition.

3 – AVEAGES / HANDICAPPING: Entrants will use their highest USBC sanctioned league average from the 2024/2025 season (MINIMUM 9 GAMES). If there is no 24/25 yearbook average, entrants will use their highest current average as of Wednesday, April 15th, 2026 with a MINIMUM of 9 games in competition. Handicap will be based on 85% of 420 TEAM average. 420 & ABOVE will be considered scratch.

4 – ENTRY SUBMISSION: Bowlers are responsible for verifying their averages upon submission, whether submitted by the bowler or other competitor. If the submitted average is lower than required and results in a lower classification / more handicap, the bowler’s scores can be disqualified. If the submitted average is higher than required, prize winnings will be based on the submitted average. Entry fees must accompany physical entry form upon submission. PAYMENTS (CHECK/MONEY ORDER) MADE PAYABLE TO **Fort Wayne Metro USBC, P.O. BOX 11645, Fort Wayne, Indiana 46859**. **EARLY ENTRY DEADLINE: Thursday, April 16th, 2026 – 3:00 P.M.**

5 – PRIZE FUND DISTRIBUTION: All prize money will be returned 100% in the prize list. Prizes/Scholarships shall be awarded based on a 1:5 ratio. All monies will be awarded to the SMART Fund/Account in the bowler’s name.

6 – ON LANE ETIQUETTE / GENERAL CONDUCT: NO electronic devices on the lanes while bowling (**PERSONAL COMMUNICATIONS DEVICES USED FOR LIVE STREAMING ARE PROHIBITED IN BOWLING CENTER! NO EXCEPTIONS**). NO food/drink will be permitted in the bowler’s area. NO alcohol consumption will be permitted by adults behind the youth bowler’s lanes. NO smoking/vaping permitted on premises or by bowlers during competition. **ALL OTHER YOUTH CONDUCT AND GENERAL PLAYING RULES WILL DEFAULT BACK TO THE 2025-2026 USBC NATIONAL RULEBOOK (Reference Rule 17d – PAGE 18).** **Violation of tournament rules will carry the penalty of disqualification with no refund.**

7 - USBC COMPLIANCE: ALL OTHER STANDARD USBC RULES WILL BE IN EFFECT. VIOLATION OF TOURNAMENT RULES CAN CARRY PENALTY OF DISQUALIFICATION WITH NO REFUND. (**USBC Rule 303 aka “Right to refuse entry” will be in effect**).