



The Tiki Torch



Can you light up
The Competition?

Open Scratch Singles Tournament Series

USBC Certified – See Rule #3

Entry Fee - \$50 – See Rule #7

Scratch – No Handicap – See Rules #6 & 9

Sport Shot Pattern – See Rule #24

Events will be held on the 1st Sunday of each month from April to August at
1:00 pm – See Rules #2 and #17. The April and May Events must
average at least 20 Bowlers to continue the Tournament Series.

Reserved Entries close the Wednesday before each Event.

Walk-ins are subject to availability and walk-in fee – See Rule #8

Format – 4 Games of Qualifying, Top 8 Qualifiers Advance to Match Play –
See Rules #10 through #14

Dates (Circle your Choice - *See Rule #17):

April 6th May 4th June 8th July 6th August 3rd*

Print Legibly

Name: _____

Nickname / Alias: _____

USBC Membership #: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

I have fully read and agree to be bound by The Tiki Torch 2025 Tournament
Scratch Series Rules. My information above is truthful and accurate. See
Rule #5.

Signature: _____

The Tiki Torch 2025 Scratch Tournament Series Rules

- 1) "Event" is defined as each tournament date.
- 2) Events will be held on the first Sunday of April, May, June, July and August. These dates are April 6th, May 4th, June 8th, July 6th, and August 3rd. The April and May Events must average at least 20 Bowlers to continue the Tournament Series. The tournament will start no earlier than 1:00 pm beginning with a 10 minute warm-up period.
- 3) USBC Rules will apply.
- 4) This tournament is open to adult bowlers with a 2024-2025 USBC Standard Membership. USBC Membership card must be presented upon submission of the paid and completed entry or at time of check-in. Additional proof of identity will be required upon request. If proof of 2024-2025 USBC Membership cannot be verified a \$5 participation fee will be assessed.
- 5) Entry Forms are to be fully and accurately completed. Inaccurate or false information provided on the Entry Form may Void the entry and result in Forfeiture of the Entry Fee at the full discretion of Tiki Lanes.
- 6) This is a Scratch Tournament. Averages do not have to be submitted.
- 7) Entry Fee will be \$50 per Event (\$15 Lineage, \$1 Expenses, \$30 Event Prize Fund, \$4 Held for August Event Prize Fund). Reserved Entries may be paid in **Cash or Check**. Card payments not accepted.
- 8) Reserved Entries will close on the Wednesday before each Event. Walk-in entries will be accepted until 12:15 pm on the day of the Event if lanes are available and there are no more than 5 bowlers per lane. Walk-in entrants must pay the Entry Fee in **Cash** plus a \$5 walk-in fee. No Entry Fees will be refunded after the Reserved Entry closing date of each Event.
- 9) This is a Scratch Tournament. No Handicap will be used.
- 10) Format – 4 Games of Qualifying, Top 8 Qualifiers Advance to Match Play.
- 11) Match Play Bracket Style Format:
 - a. Rounds 8 will be Single Elimination
 - b. There will be a Consolation Match for 3rd Place
 - c. Championship Match will be Best 2 out of 3 Games
- 12) Ties to get into Match Play will be broken by a 9th and 10th Frame roll-off. This will be repeated until the Match Play field is set.
- 13) Ties for Match Play seeding will be broken by highest Game in the 3rd Game of the Series, then in the 2nd Game of the Series, then in the 1st Game of the Series, followed by a coin toss.
- 14) Match Play will be completed in PBA Match Play Format – higher seed will begin on the left lane with the lower seed on the right lane. The Higher seed chooses whether to go 1st or 2nd in the First Game.
- 15) Prize Payouts will be based on the number of paid entries for each event. 100% of the Prize Fund for each event will be returned. There will be 3 Payout Tables: 1) Up to 24 bowlers – 4 spots paid, 2) From 25 to 79 bowlers – 8 spots paid, 3) From 80 to 160 bowlers – 16 spots paid. Prize payouts will be rounded at the discretion of Tiki Lanes, but no more than \$5 up or down.
- 16) Prize Payouts will occur at the conclusion of the Event. Prizes Payouts may be hand delivered or mailed, if mailed a check will be made payable to the entrant and sent to the address on the Entry Form.
- 17) To participate in the August Event a bowler must enter at least one of the April, May, June or July 2025 Events. If this event is cancelled due to lack of participation in April and May then the money held for the August Prize Fund will be added to the May Prize Fund.
- 18) The 1st Place bowler from the April, May, June and July 2025 Events will be entered in the August Event without having to pay an Entry Fee. Substitutions are not permitted.
- 19) Tiki Lanes's liability to any entrant, or entrant's authorized representative, shall not exceed the Entry Fee if there is a change to the tournament schedule or if the tournament is cancelled for any reason.
- 20) Participants are to conduct themselves as adults and respect others, Tiki Lanes and it's staff. Tiki Lanes reserves the right to refuse a bowler's entry into any Event due to conduct.
- 21) By entering this Tournament Series, all participants agree to the use of his or her Name, Image and Likeness by Tiki Bowling Lanes, Inc for any purpose.
- 22) Situations not covered in these Rules will be at the full discretion of Tiki Lanes.
- 23) Participants are only required to complete one entry form per Tournament Series unless any of his or her information listed on the Entry Form has changed.
- 24) The oil pattern used will be from Kegel's Pattern Library. It will be a Sport Shot Pattern and will be announced on Tiki Lanes' Facebook page on the day prior to the Event. A different pattern will be used for each Event in the 2025 Tournament Series.
- 25) Tiki Lanes reserves the right to correct any errors in the Entry Form and in the Rules.