

Join the Tournament for **BIG BOWLING ACTION** at **TENPINS & MORE**. We have Sweepers, Pro-Am, Brackets, Consolation and the **MAIN EVENT** with the Top 32 after qualifying straight in to bracket play. You won't want to miss out on a minute of the excitement!



The 20th New Mexico Open AUGUST 16-18, 2024



NEW RECORD \$75,000+ IN PRIZE MONEY!

**First Prize
record \$13,500**

PAYS 1:4



2023 NMO Winner, Francois Lavoie

Principal™
presents

SQUAD PRIZES:

**Friday 9am - 1st \$350, 2nd \$250,
3rd \$150, 4th & 5th \$125**

**Friday 2pm - 1st \$350, 2nd \$250,
3rd \$150, 4th & 5th \$125**

*USBC Certified - Bowled on a testing Sport Shot
on Qubica/AMF Synthetic Lanes & Approaches*

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20TH NEW MEXICO OPEN

Rules & Regulations:

1. This is a scratch tournament open to all bowlers, male and female, including youth who are current members of USBC. Entry includes all members of all professional bowling organizations. Bowlers may purchase USBC membership at Tenpins & More. Youth bowlers must sign a USBC Prize Waiver Form prior to the start of competition and designate to take their prize in the form of a youth scholarship. Entry Fee is \$300 (or \$315 if paying by credit card).
2. The tournament will be conducted in accordance with the general playing rules and regulations of the USBC and will be certified.
3. Your first squad preference is confirmed with your \$100 paid deposit, unless you receive an email telling you that squad is already full. Entries will be accepted until Squad 5 starts on Saturday, August 17, 2024, provided lanes are available. Re-entries are not allowed.
4. As bowlers arrive at Tenpins & More, they will be required to check-in and pay any outstanding entry fees. Qualifying squads will commence as scheduled; any bowler not present will forfeit missed frames, unless a prior squad change has been arranged and confirmed by the tournament director.
5. The 32 finalists will be decided over 8 games bowled across 16 lanes.
6. The 32 finalists will compete in double elimination bracket matches over two-game total pinfall sets in winner's bracket and one-game matches in loser's bracket. Loser's bracket round one is two games. Ties will be resolved by a 9th/10th frame roll-off until the tie is broken until only four bowlers remain in the winners (1) and loser's brackets (3).
7. At this stage they will bowl one-game matches: 4th vs 3rd, winner vs 2nd and the winner vs 1st. Should the top seed lose, there will be a further one-game total pinfall match to determine the tournament winner.
8. Should a tie occur for 32nd place, a one-game roll-off and, if necessary, a 9th/10th frame roll-off will be bowled until the tie is broken.
9. Substitutes next in line are allowed in the top 32 and would be replacing a bowler who fails to check-in personally with the director at the appointed time on Sunday, August 18, 2024. Should a bowler be unable to continue, the bowler present must bowl their match unopposed.
10. Any protests affecting eligibility or general playing rules must be confirmed in writing to the tournament director before the tournament prize payments are made. The decision of the tournament director will be final unless an appeal is made in accordance with Rule 329.
11. The top 4 bowlers must wear shirts provided by the tournament director. Personal sponsors logo patches may be displayed on this shirt.
12. All prize money and awards are subject to a field of 192 bowlers entering and will be adjusted according to the number of bowlers. The prize fund portion of each bowler's entry fee is \$195, which will be returned 100% to the prize winners, while lineage and expense fees are \$105. USBC Rule 308 has been followed. (The New Mexico Open prize fund portion of bowler's entry fees of \$37,440 is easily covered in the total proposed pay-out of more than \$76,000.)

PREVIOUS WINNERS

2004 - John Young, Albuquerque, NM

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2006 - David Haynes, Las Vegas, NV

2007 - Shawn Lee, Centennial, CO

2008 - Mark French, Ventura, CA

2009 - Chris Klerk, Chandler, AZ

2010 - Andrew Cain, Scottsdale, AZ

2011 - Devin Bidwell, Wichita, KS

2012 - Lonnie Waliczek, Wichita, KS

2013 - Nathan Bohr, Austin, TX

2014 - Craig Nidiffer, Trenton, MI

2015 - Jakob Butturff, Chandler, AZ

2016 - Eric Hatchett, Henderson, AZ

2017 - Vernon Peterson, Winter Haven, FL

2018 - Chris Barnes, Double Oak, TX

2019 - Duane Mellinger, Aurora, CO

2021 - Dylan Taylor, Scottsdale, AZ

2022 - Cortez Schenck, Phoenix, AZ

2023 - Francois Lavoie, Wichita, KS

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Tournament Directors: Steve Mackie, Mike Miller, Jeff Hemer

MONDAY, AUGUST 12

Sweeper 1 9:15pm

TUESDAY, AUGUST 13

Pro-Am Squad 4:00pm

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14

Pro-Am Squad 4:00pm
Sweeper 2 9:15 pm

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15

Practice Session 8:00am-11:00am
Lanes Re-oiled 11:00am
Sweeper 3 12:00pm, 2:00pm
Lanes Re-oiled 6:30pm
Sweeper 3 (cont'd) 7:30pm

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16

Practice Session 7am to 8am
Lanes Re-oiled 8am
Squad 1 Qualify 9am
Lanes Re-oiled 1pm
Squad 2 Qualify 2pm
Pro-Am Squad 7:30pm

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17

Squad 3 Qualify 7am
Lanes Re-oiled 11:30am
Squad 4 Qualify 12:30pm
Lanes Re-oiled 5:30pm
Squad 5 Qualify 6:30pm

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18

Top 32 check-in No later than 7:45am
Top 32 Brackets 8am
Consolation Squads Starts at 10am
(33rd to last eligible)
Top 4 Finals TBA
Prize Party in Bar 5pm

LODGING OPTIONS

For your convenience, we offer a list of Rio Rancho Lodging Accommodations.

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indoor pool



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&

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outdoor pool, clubhouse



DEE MILLER MEMORIAL COURAGE AWARD

Dana and Mike's mother, Dee Miller, was a trailblazer for the family to get into the sport of bowling. Dee passed away a few years ago, displaying great courage and fighting spirit in the face of a long illness and much daily pain.

The Dee Miller Memorial Courage Award is awarded to a NMO bowler who has shown similar fortitude.

Previous award winners are: 2014: Eric Forkel, Henderson, NV; 2015: Marcus Medina, Santa Fe, NM; 2016: Stoney Burke, Jr., Killeen, TX; 2017: Robert Lawrence, Austin, TX; 2018: Ricky Schissler, Brighton, CO; 2019: Jeff Hemer, Seattle, WA; 2021: Duane Mellinger, Aurora, CO; 2022: Cortez Schenck, Phoenix, AZ; 2023: Gary Hadley, Santa Fe, NM.

20TH NEW MEXICO OPEN PRIZE MONEY & ENTRY FORM

Prize Money is based on **192** entries.

Champion wins Record \$13,500 and Trophy plus paid entry to 21st NMO

2nd: \$6,750	7th - 8th: \$1,800	25th - 32nd: \$750
3rd: \$3,500	9th - 12th: \$1,500	33rd - 40th: \$600
4th: \$2,750	13th - 16th: \$1,300	41st - 48th: \$500
5th - 6th: \$2,000	17th - 24th: \$1,000	High out of cash Super Senior (60+), Senior (50-60) Woman: \$500 each

TIES SPLIT PRIZES

High game award during qualifying on Friday and Saturday squads for each pair of lanes is \$75. Tied scores split prize. This award good for each separate squad for a total of \$4,125 in high game awards. There is no limit to number of awards a bowler can win.

OTHER ENTRY FEES INCLUDE:

**Sweepers: \$45 per attempt - Open to ALL bowlers • Practice Sessions: No charge to competitors
Pro-Am appearance fee for invited bowlers • Consolation: \$45 per entry (33rd to last place are eligible)**

20TH NEW MEXICO OPEN ENTRY FORM

New Mexico Open Entry Fee is only \$300 of which a non-refundable deposit of \$100 is required

with this entry form. Send your entry form and \$100 deposit or full payment of \$300 to:

Steve Mackie, Tenpins & More, 1416 Deborah Road SE, Rio Rancho NM 87124

Please note: if paying by credit card; full payment is \$315.

Please make your cashier's check or money order payable to "Tenpin Management Limited."

Telephone inquiries with credit card invited after 4pm Mountain Time to (505) 891-4462.

Name _____ Phone (H) _____ (C) _____

Address _____ Zip _____

E-mail _____ Social Media _____

2023/2024 USBC card # _____ (or buy here)

Squad# Preference: 1st Choice: _____ 2nd Choice: _____