



Fuzzy Shimada Memorial Tournament
October 2nd & 3rd , 2010

Dear Bowler(s):

The San Jose Nisei Bowling Association invites you to participate in the 2010 Fuzzy Shimada Memorial Tournament at 4th Street Bowl in San Jose, CA. The tournament will be held on October 2nd & 3rd, 2010. We will be hosting Century No-Tap Doubles, Mixed Trios, Open Team (any 5 person), and Doubles Events. The maximum entries per squad are as follows: Century No-Tap – 39, Team – 28, Doubles -39, Mixed Trios – 26.

Following in line with last year's tournament, SJNBA will be continuing with the establishment and implementation of a tournament average for future and previous participants. Bowlers will not be required to provide average verification as long as they have bowled previously in the Fuzzy Shimada Memorial or have a USBC sanctioned average on bowl.com. The lane pattern will be displayed at www.sjnba.com as well as a basic example of the tournament average. All tournament averages will be calculated and evaluated on an individual basis. Our goal is to provide an even playing field for all bowlers regardless of where the bowler has established their sanctioned average.

Last year, the SJNBA used select proceeds from our money tree raffle to benefit local non-profit organizations such as Yu Ai Kai Senior Center and the Nisei junior bowling programs. To continue with our donations to other organizations this year, we will be asking local establishments/businesses for money tree raffle donations. If you'd like to make a donation, please contact us.

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to via email at hitsomeballs@juno.com or ksjeung@gmail.com .

We hope to see you in October!!!

Sincerely,

Brandon Hirata & Karen Jeung
Tournament Directors

FUZZY SHIMADA MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT RULES

1. Open to all:
 - A. Nisei/Nikkei bowlers.
 - B. Non-Nisei/Nikkei married to a Nisei/Nikkei (put maiden name on entry in parenthesis)
 - C. Non-Nisei/Nikkei members of a Nisei/Nikkei league or association
 - C1. A non-Japanese who has bowled at least 21 games of the scheduled winter 2009-2010 in a recognized Nisei/Nikkei League shall be eligible for tournament play and must submit league sheets with entry.
2. Nikkei is an individual of Japanese ancestry.
3. This tournament shall be sanctioned under USBC rule 301a. (Moral Support Tournament.) Unless otherwise specified. USBC rules and regulations will govern situations not covered by the tournament rules. Participants must be USBC members to qualify for USBC awards.
4. A participant's entering average shall be:
 - A. Fuzzy Shimada Tournament average (minimum 6 games, high and low game thrown out 4:2 ratio), readjustments will be **possible** for any 2009 pot winners and tournament cashers who average +10 pins or higher versus their book average or for bowlers that average -15 pins versus their book average, if none (B.):
 - B. Highest average of (a), (b), or (c), in other words highest average of last two years, if none (C.):
 - a) Highest 2009-2010 book average, or
 - b) Highest 2008-2009 book average, or
 - c) Highest 2010 sanctioned summer league average 21 games or more as of tournament deadline (Proof must be furnished)
 - C. A bowler who has only a YABA average and is currently bowling in an adult league may bowl if they meet all the eligibility requirements and qualify under rule 4C in the adult league. Entering average will be the higher of rule 4C or highest 2009-2010 YABA book average. If none (D.)
 - D. If none of the above, bowlers must bowl scratch: 220 for men and 220 for women. Minimum average is 150 for men and 125 for women.
5. Except where noted the following will apply to all participants:
 - A. USBC Rules 319a (1) (3) and (5) APPLY. Rule 319a (2) and (4) does not apply. USBC 319c & 319d does apply. USBC 319e does not apply
6. Handicap shall be based on 80% of 220 for men and women individually.
7. USBC members and nonmembers may participate in a Moral Support sanctioned tournament with award recognition automatically extended to USBC members. Eligible nonmembers may qualify for USBC award recognition at their option by paying a fee of \$21 for which the respective Congress will issue an affiliated membership card.
8. **Average verification is not required.** Bowlers are responsible for ensuring that current USBC average listed on www.bowl.com is correct. Bowlers with unverified averages will be adjusted to 220 for men and women. Any misrepresentation of averages is subject to disqualification from the tournament.
9. TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS RESERVE THE RIGHT TO RE-ADJUST ANY BOWLER. Bowler shall be notified before he/she bowls. If re-adjustment is not accepted entry fee shall be refunded after the conclusion of the tournament.
10. Prize list shall be posted before the start of the tournament. 100% prize list shall be distributed within 30 days of the close of tournament. Ratio of prize fund will be at least one per eight entries.
11. Entry form not completely filled in or not properly signed shall be rejected. Entry fee must accompany all entries.
12. In case of a tie, cash prize will be divided equally.
13. Open team shall consist of five bowlers of any gender. There will only be ONE prize fund. No separate men, women or mixed prize fund.
14. Entrants may bowl in multiple doubles squads (Combination: one man, one woman; two men; or two women). Cash only once with the same partner.
15. Mixed trio teams shall consist of three bowlers with at least one woman per team but no more than two women (Combination 2 men, 1 woman or 2 women, 1 man). Cash only once with the same partners.
16. Century No-Tap Doubles shall consist of at least one senior (60 years or older). Doubles team shall consist of any two bowlers whose combined ages total a minimum of 100 yrs. **Team handicap will be 100% of 440.** (Combination: one senior, one non-senior or two seniors).
17. Bowlers must bowl in the order listed. Substitutes must bowl in the position of the original bowler.
18. Bowlers must report at least thirty (30) minutes before squad time to check-in and report any substitutions on the roster. No changes in the order of bowling shall be permitted. Late arrivals must bowl from frame in progress.
19. Out-of-town entrants shall have time preference. Bowlers within a 75-mile radius will be considered local and those entries with the earliest postmark shall have time preference.
20. All bowlers shall be properly attired and live to the good sportsmanship that Nikkei bowlers have established.
21. One (1) lane courtesy will be observed.
22. Tournament committee decisions will be final. Appeals must be made in accordance with USBC Rule 329.
23. Tournament Directors reserves the right to add, delete, or alter squads; however, no squad may be added after the final advertised squad on Oct 3, 2010.
24. The closing date for the tournament entry is midnight Sept 15th, 2010 or until squads are filled.

Fuzzy Shimada Memorial Tournament

Hosted By: SJNBA

October 2nd & 3rd 2010

Entry Deadline: Wednesday, September 15th, 2010

USBC Sanctioned

Held at:
4th Street Bowl
1441 N. 4th Street
San Jose, CA 95112
408.453.5555

Send to: Karen Jeung
241 W. Maude Ave #6
Sunnyvale, CA 94085
408.398-9394
ksjeung@gmail.com

Century No-Tap Doubles** - \$46 per doubles team

Bowler Name:	Eligibility* (eg. A, Ba, etc)	Entering Avg.		USBC #	Association	Senior (Y/N)	Age
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* Rule 1

** See Rule 16

Mixed Trios** - \$69 per trios team

Bowler Name:	Eligibility* (eg. A, Ba, etc)	Entering Avg.		USBC#	Association	Squad
		08-09	09-10			
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*Rule 1

** See Rule 15

Team Captain Contact Information:

Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____

For Tournament Use Only

Entry #: _____ Date: _____
Check Rec'd \$ _____ Check #: _____
Cash Rec'd \$ _____ Total Rec'd: \$ _____

Open Team - \$115 per team**

Team Name:

Bowler Name:	Eligibility* (eg. A, Ba, etc)	Entering Avg.		USBC #	Association
		08-09	09-10		
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Team Name:					
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* Rule 1
 ** See Rule 13

Doubles - \$46 per doubles team**

Bowler Name:	Eligibility* (eg. A, Ba, etc)	Entering Avg.		USBC#	Association	Squad
		08-09	09-10			
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 ** See Rule 14

Saturday

Squad

1. Century No-Tap Doubles

Time

9:00am

Oiling

2. Mixed Trios

12:30pm

3. Doubles

2:30pm

Oiling

4. Open Team (5)

6:00pm

Sunday

5. Doubles

10:30am

6. Mixed Trios

12:30pm

7. Doubles

2:30pm

Entry Fee:		
Prize Fund:	\$11.25	Please Make Checks
Lineage:	\$9.75	Payable to:
Expenses:	\$2.00	SJNBA
Total	\$23.00	
No-Tap	_____ x \$46	= _____
Mixed Trios	_____ x \$69	= _____
Open Team	_____ x \$115	= _____
Doubles	_____ x \$46	= _____
	Total	= _____