ALL FEES MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY FORM.

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: LDUSBC

Team Entry Fee \$100.00

L.D.U.S.B.C. SWEETHEART MIXED TOURNAMENT

USBC Sanctioned- February 10 & 11, 2024 Doverama (302)734-7501

Doubles Entry Fee \$50.00

Entry N	No:
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Amount:

Ball Raffle,

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Prize \$ 50.00 Lineage \$ 47.40 Expenses \$ 2.60		Lineage Expenses	\$ 25.00 \$ 23.70 \$ 1.30	BASKET RAFFLE
	Saturday 12:00pm or 3:00pm	SQUAD SCHED Sunday 2 ability of Lanes pe	12:00pm or 3pm	
TEAM EVENT	1st CHOICE:	2 nd CHOICE:		
TEAM NAME:		22-23 Avg.	USBC#	*Optional: 'Same Sex Doubles' \$10 per entry
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DOUBLES EVENT	1st CHOICE	2 nd CHOICE		
First Name, Last Name		22-23 Avg.	USBC #	
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	TEAM CAPTAIN:			
Mail to: LDUSBCA PO Box 806	ADDRESS:			
Milford, DE 19963 302.593.3652	PHONE:	EMAIL:		

TOURNAMENT RULES

- 1. Only Adult USBC sanctioned bowlers are eligible. Unsanctioned bowlers may qualify for entry and all USBC services by paying an affiliate membership of \$25 prior to bowling. Bowlers must be sanctioned in LDUSBC.
- 2. Tournament will consist of mixed couples (1 male/1 female) and mixed team (2 male/2 female) events.
 - a. *Optional Same Sex Doubles available for an additional \$ 10.00 per entry. The scores bowled during the squad you choose will be used to determine your Optional Doubles score. The Doubles Partners must be bowling on the same squad. There is only one Division consisting of all the Same Sexes. All prize money will be returned 100% at a ratio of at least 1 prize for each 5 entries. You may only qualify for payout with the same partner once. Please see the Tournament Officials for more information.
- 3. Handicap will be 90% of 480 scratch doubles and 90% of 960 scratch team.
- 4. Entering averages:
 - a. Last season's (22-23) highest USBC sanctioned league average of 21 games or more.
 - b.If no average last year, current season's USBC sanctioned league average as of 2-10-24 for 21 games or more. c.Bowlers with neither of the above averages must bowl scratch of 240.
 - d.USBC rule 319a-2 (10 pin rule) does apply.
 - e. USBC rule 319d (reporting of prize winnings) does not apply.
- 5. It shall be each bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of their own average, whether originally submitted by the bowler, the team captain or others. Failure to use the correct average shall disqualify score if submitted average is lower than correct average. Prize winnings shall be based on the submitted average if it is higher than the correct average. Corrections in averages must be made before completion of first game bowled.
- 6. All prize money will be returned 100% at a ratio of at least 1 prize for each 5 entries.
- 7. All decisions of the tournament management are final unless an appeal is made in accordance with USBC rule 329
- 8. Substitutes are allowed when replacement is necessary. The tournament representative must be advised of substitution at least one hour before the scheduled bowling time, if possible. In case of an emergency after a game has started, a substitute, if one is available, shall be allowed to bowl in team and doubles. The combined scores count in either event. If no substitute is available, only the actual score of the frames bowled will count.
- 9. The lineup will be the same shown on the entry form.
- 10. Any player or team arriving after the game has started will be allowed to bowl and the score(s) will count beginning in the frame then being bowled. NO SCORE WILL BE GIVEN FOR FRAMES MISSED.
- 11. When players are scheduled alone on a pair of lanes, they must bowl as if they were actually contested. The players shall complete one frame on one lane before the leadoff player commences the next frame of the adjoining lane.
- 12. Any protest affecting eligibility or playing rules must be confirmed in writing to the tournament secretary before within 24 hours of the end of the tournament. Errors in scoring must be made and reported to the tournament director within 24 hours.
- 13. In the team event, the captain checks in the entire team 45 minutes prior to bowling time. All bowlers must be checked in with the tournament director 30 minutes prior to bowling. Walk In entries accepted based on lane availability. Entries Close 30 minutes before squad start time.
- 14. A tournament entrant will not be allowed to re-bowl a game or frame(s) within a game except as authorized by the tournament director when the scores are irretrievably lost in the scoring process.
- 15. The association may declare co-champions if there is a tie for any place in any event.
- 16. No food or beverages will be allowed in the bowling area, except for medical reasons.
- 17. The board of directors of the LDUSBC shall decide any questions not covered by these tournament rules. The board shall have the power to hear and act on all protests concerning the tournament.
- 18. Re-entry permitted as space allows. You may only qualify once for payout with the same doubles/team members.
- 19. Appropriate attire is required. No use of Foul Language or inappropriate jesters. **No offensive pictures or wording on shirts is permitted.**
- 20. All USBC Rules will be in effect.