Ball & Chain Summer League 2019

THERE WILL BE NO BOWLING ON JULY 3RD. HAPPY BIRTHDAY AMERICA!

1. This league bowls weekly on Wednesday nights at 7:00 pm and the last night of bowling will be the Wednesday before Labor Day. Teams of 4 people can be of any combination of men, woman or mixed. A bowler must be at least 17 years of age as of the first night of bowling.

2. The weekly cost of bowling will be $19.00. $12.50 will pay bowling fees and $6.50 will be put into the league's prize pool. Every bowler must pay the prize pool amount regardless of attendance. A list of all prizes will be posted once the number of teams in the league is established. Every bowler will be allowed 1 time to bowl and not pay the full amount. After that a $3 fee will be added whenever a bowler bowls but does not pay the full amount. All returned checks will be charged $25 dollars since our bank charges our account a fee.

3. At the end of the season if there should be a tie for first place, a roll-off will take place at a time and day convenient for both teams to determine the league champions. If there are any other ties in a prize position, the prizes will be combined and split between the teams involved.

4. At some point during the season the league's bowlers will be divided into classes for the purposes of tracking and awarding individual prizes. A bowler must bowl at least 27 games (60% of the season) to be eligible for an individual prize. A bowler may receive only one individual prize.

5. Teams will compete using a 100% handicap system. Handicaps are computed from a base score which will be higher than the highest average team in the league.

6. Teams will compete using a 6 point system, 2 points per game. It is necessary for one bowler to be present for their team to win points. 1 or more dummies (vacancy) do not count as a bowler present. If a team is bowling against another team who can not win points they will win or lose points by competing against their opposing team's full averages including any applicable handicap. There are no automatic forfeits.

7. Bowlers arriving late may bowl in a game in progress providing the opposing team has not started their 6th box. A bowler arriving after this point may still bowl in remaining games, if any.

8. A team will use the full average for an absent bowler or late bowler who has arrived once the 6th box has started. No pins are deducted.

9. Prizes will be awarded immediately after bowling on the last night. At Timber Lanes' expense, pizza will be provided.

10. Any incident not covered by these rules will be referred to the I.C.B.A. Candlepin Rule Book. Any incident not covered by these rules or the rule book shall be decided by the owner (Phil) after consulting with those involved. All decisions of this nature will be based on what is best for the league.

You may view the weekly standings by visiting our web site
http://www.candlepin.com