

# 2012 TENNESSEE TOP 5

1. USBC rules and regulations will govern this tournament. The USBC Youth Bowling Code will be strictly enforced. Any infractions of rules or USBC Youth Bowling Code will disqualify the entrant from any and all awards.
2. USBC rule 400 (Eligibility rule) will be enforced.
3. All participants must be USBC Youth members with a current certification card, AGE AS OF AUGUST 1, 2011.
4. All participants will be chosen by each Tennessee Bowling Center consisting of the TOP 5 averages in each of the following divisions. **BOWLERS THAT BOWL IN MORE THAN ONE CENTER MUST ENTER FROM THE CENTER THEY HAVE THE HIGHEST AVERAGE AT.**

<i>Division</i>	<i>Classification</i>	<i>Bowling</i>	<i>Scholarship</i>	<i>Expense</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>21 Game avg as of</i>
4M	15 & Over Male	8.00	7.00	5.00	<b>\$20.00</b>	April 15, 2012
4F	15 & Over Female	8.00	7.00	5.00	<b>\$20.00</b>	April 15, 2012
3M	12-14 Male	8.00	7.00	5.00	<b>\$20.00</b>	April 15, 2012
3F	12-14 Female	8.00	7.00	5.00	<b>\$20.00</b>	April 15, 2012
2M	9 - 11 Male	8.00	7.00	5.00	<b>\$20.00</b>	April 15, 2012
2F	9 - 11 Female	8.00	7.00	5.00	<b>\$20.00</b>	April 15, 2012
1M	8 & Under Male	8.00	7.00	5.00	<b>\$20.00</b>	April 15, 2012
1F	8 & Under Female	8.00	7.00	5.00	<b>\$20.00</b>	April 15, 2012

5. This is a **SCRATCH** tournament. All divisions will be in age division.
6. Qualifying round on Saturday: Everyone will bowl 3 consecutive games **ON THE SAME PAIR OF LANES. The top 5 finalist's from Divisions 1F, 1M, 2F and 2M will bowl their stepladder finals Saturday at 6:00 pm.** The top 5 finalists from Divisions 3F, 3M, 4F & 4M will advance to the semifinals on Sunday, 8:45 AM, for competition. Divisions 3F, 3M, 4F, and 4M will bowl match play. There will be one match game against each semi finalist in the respective divisions, with 30 bonus pins being awarded per win, 15 pins for a tie and 0 for a loss, followed by a position round with bonus pins. The top 5 from each division will then bowl pro style television stepladder roll off to determine tournament champions. In the event of a tie during the finals, there will be a 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> frame roll off. Saturday qualifying scores **WILL NOT** carry over to Sunday.
7. Scholarships will be awarded to the TOP 5 finalists in each division. The SMART program at bowling headquarters will handle the scholarship money. Account 8883
8. **DRESS CODE:** Collared, sleeved shirt and long pants, **EXCLUDING** jeans, athletic pants or camouflage, must be worn during Saturday qualifying and Sunday match play and final step ladder games. **USBC issued shirt may be worn during QUALIFYING only.** No hats or shirts advertising tobacco, alcohol or containing profanity will be allowed, this **includes** bowling equipment advertising alcohol. **BOWLERS NOT COMPLYING WITH THIS RULE WILL BE REMOVED.**
9. Only youth bowlers, tournament officials, and scorekeepers are permitted in the bowler area once competition begins. Coaching is permitted outside of the bowling area.
10. The decision of the tournament manager and Tennessee USBC Youth Board shall be final unless an appeal is made in accordance with USBC Rule 329.
11. Conduct: All bowlers will act in a responsible manner. Abuse of center equipment or other belongings, abusive language or profanity will not be tolerated. Those not abiding by this simple rule will be removed from competition immediately!!! Please remember you are representing your hometown as well as yourself, please behave appropriately.
12. **Coaches please go over these rules with your bowlers BEFORE they come to the tournament.**

**Web Site: WWW.TSYABA.com**

**Mail Entry and Average Sheet to:  
Tennessee State USBC Youth  
C/O Penny Harris  
218 Old Columbia Rd  
Dickson, TN 37055  
615-557-7386**

**Email: tntop5tournament@comcast.net**

**\$30.00 fee for returned checks**

**17<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
TENNESSEE TOP 5  
USBC CERTIFIED SCRATCH TOURNAMENT**

**HOSTED BY TENNESSEE USBC YOUTH  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

**The Pinnacle  
430 Warfield Blvd  
Clarksville, TN 37043  
(931)647-2695  
JUNE 2 & 3, 2012**

**BOYS AND GIRLS ALL DIVISIONS                      \$20.00**

3 GAMES QUALIFYING, Saturday June 2nd

***TIMES: 8:00 AM 10:30AM 1:30PM 4:00PM 12 & Over  
8:00 AM 10:30 AM 1:30 PM                      11 & Under***

**ENTRIES CLOSE MAY 3, 2012**

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**\*\*\*\*\**New divisions this year*\*\*\*\*\***

***Please read rules***

***There IS A DRESS CODE for this tournament***

# TENNESSEE TOP 5 SHIRTS

*The Tennessee USBC Youth Leaders are taking orders for the Tennessee Top 5 shirts. They will be a golf style shirt with the Tennessee Top 5 logo, year and city.*

*To order, please send a completed form and check to:*

*Tennessee State USBC Youth*

*C/O Penny Harris*

*218 Old Columbia Rd*

*Dickson, TN 37055*

*615-557-7386*

**SHIRTS CAN NOT BE ORDERED AFTER THE TOURNAMENT**  
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**BOWLERS NAME** \_\_\_\_\_

**TELEPHONE NUMBER** \_\_\_\_\_

**CENTER REPRESENTING** \_\_\_\_\_

*Please mark size and quantity. A SEPARATE CHECK (from tournament fee) must accompany the order. A \$30.00 charge will be added to any returned check.*

\_\_\_\_\_ **YOUTH SMALL**  
\_\_\_\_\_ **YOUTH MEDIUM**  
\_\_\_\_\_ **YOUTH LARGE**  
**\$18.00 each**

\_\_\_\_\_ **ADULT SMALL**  
\_\_\_\_\_ **ADULT MEDIUM**  
\_\_\_\_\_ **ADULT LARGE**  
\_\_\_\_\_ **ADULT X-LARGE**  
**\$22.00 each**

\_\_\_\_\_ **ADULT XX-LARGE**  
**\$24.00 each**

*Anything larger than a XX-large please add \$1.00 per shirt.*

**TOTAL SHIRTS** \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL MONEY** \_\_\_\_\_

*If you want your name on the back of your shirt you may prepay and it will be ready when you arrive at the tournament. Cost is \$12.00*

**Name on shirt:** \_\_\_\_\_

*(please print)*

**ORDERS MUST BE RECEIVED BY MAY 3, 2012**

