

Important Instructions for Fall Adult League Secretaries (2015-2016)

This packet contains the following important items you will need for a successful bowling season:

- USBC League Application (extra applications will be provided to the center)
- Membership Cards
- CAUSBCA Membership Fee Schedule
- A Future For The Sport Flyer
- 2015-2016 Local Awards Examples
- CAUSBCA Awards Form
- Lifetime Achievement Form & Booklet
- BLS Software Information
- Perfect Secretary Information
- 2015-2016 CAUSBCA Tournament List
- Two Rule Books (provided to the center)

Adult League Fee:

The **Adult Standard Membership** fee is **\$20** (USBC portion is **\$10**, NC USBC Association is **\$1**, and Local Dues are **\$9**). This membership is for a league that bowls more than 16 weeks. These members will be given acknowledgement of bowling honor scores (300, 800, 900) and will not have to pay for their first Lifetime Achievement Award (except for upgrades). These members will receive a membership card from USBC.

The **Adult Basic Membership** fee is **\$11** (USBC portion is **\$7**, NC USBC Association is **\$1**, and Local Dues are **\$3**). This membership is for a league that bowls 16 weeks or fewer. These members will be given acknowledgement of bowling honor scores (300, 800, 900) but will have to purchase their own Lifetime Achievement award. These members **will not** receive a membership card from USBC. The \$11 fee is per each **BASIC** league joined. **BASIC Memberships are not eligible for USBC or CAUSBCA LOCAL awards.**

Senior League Fees:

The **senior membership** fee is **\$18** (USBC portion is **\$10**, NC USBC Association is **\$1**, and Local Dues are **\$7**). This is a membership for senior leagues only. These members will be given acknowledgement of bowling honor scores (300, 800, 900) and will not have to pay for their first Lifetime Achievement award (except for upgrades). These members will receive a membership card from USBC.

LOCAL AWARDS (BASIC Memberships are not eligible for USBC or CAUSBCA LOCAL awards):

- **Clean Game Pen** for bowlers with a **170 average or less** who bowl a **complete game with no open frames**.
- **Clean Series Towel** for anyone bowling a **3-game series with no open frames**.
- **Monster Split Pen** for anyone picking up the **Big 4 split (4-6-7-10)** or the **7-10 split**.
- **USBC Koozie** for anyone bowling **75 pins over average**.
- **USBC Coasters** for anyone bowling **150 pins over series**.
- **USBC Towel** for anyone bowling a **300 Game**.
- **USBC Cooler and Drawstring Bag** for anyone bowling an **800 Series**.

Senior Leagues only:

- **+50 Over Game Pen** for bowling **50 pins over average**.
- **+100 Over Series Towel** for bowling **100 pins over series**.

End of Season Awards (for each league):

- **High Average Award – Crystal Trophy**

Please send the **completed** league application form to me as soon as possible. Before returning membership cards to me, **make sure they are legible and completely filled out** (if you can't read it, I probably can't either). Remind bowlers that the USBC will mail their membership card to their home. Therefore, make sure all information on the sanction card is verified and accurate. A membership card that is not legible or missing information will cause a delay in receipt of the sanction card. **All membership cards that are not completely filled out will be returned to the league secretary.** Please ask all bowlers to provide an email address on their sanction card. **We will be emailing bowlers throughout the year concerning meetings, tournaments and other information.**

If you have any questions, please call me, a CAUSBCA director, or visit our website at www.raleighbowling.com. We're here to help.

Thank you and good luck this season.

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