

2011 LAS VEGAS MAIN EVENT RULES - please read these carefully! A less-scrunched version of this page is on www.bowljbt.com.

1. This event is open to anyone age 21 or under as of 8/27/11, regardless of 'junior' or 'adult' status, excluding past or present PBA members or any other international professional organization.
2. Entries are accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis. Field size is limited in each qualifying squad and varies from squad to squad.
3. **Entry fee:** The entry fee is \$100 in Open and Girls Scratch Singles (\$30 linage, \$60 prizes and awards, \$10 expenses); and \$80 in Handicap Singles (\$30 linage, \$40 prizes and awards, \$10 expenses). Singles re-entries in all divisions are \$60 (\$20 linage, \$40 prizes and awards, \$0 expenses). Doubles entry fees are \$40 per team (\$13.50 linage, \$25 awards, \$1.50 expenses). Team entry fee is \$80 per team (\$30 linage, \$50 awards). Awards fees returned 100%. Full entry fees must accompany your entry form to guarantee your entry. You may also prepay for your one singles re-entry squad, which is the only way to guarantee your re-entry.
4. Walk-in entries ARE permitted until each squad's starting time. One re-entry maximum is permitted in singles. Unlimited re-entries are permitted in Doubles as space permits. Squads are expected to sell out in advance, so we recommend mailing your completed entry form as soon as possible. **We strongly encourage handicap bowlers to send in payment prior to sending in your 12/1 average verification, so that you may reserve your squad choice. Average verification (see rule 14) may later be sent by fax to 1-888-788-4961, or email to director@bowljbt.com.**
5. Prepaid bowlers MUST check in at least 30 minutes prior to squad starting time, or risk losing their spot to wait-listed bowlers.
6. Personal checks from non-JBT members are only accepted until December 5, 2011. Entries postmarked after that time, or walk-ins, must be paid by cash or bank check. Returned checks are subject to a \$30.00 fee. Please do not mail any entries postmarked after December 13, to ensure we receive it. Instead, email us and let us know you're coming, and pay on-site.
7. **CONFIRMATION IS AUTOMATIC.** Unless you hear from us, your entry has been accepted for the squad(s) you requested. Confirmed entries will also be posted on our website, www.bowljbt.com.
- 8a. **Singles Format:**
Qualifying: Bowlers in all divisions will roll 8 games across sixteen lanes in the qualifying round. Bowlers who re-enter will use their highest 8-game score. The top 60 Open Scratch, top 24 Girls Scratch, and top 48 Handicap bowlers will qualify for the semifinals. These numbers are an equal ratio based on 2010 entries, and are adjusted on a yearly basis.
Semifinals: Bowlers will roll 6 additional games of matchplay. Bowlers receive a 30 pin bonus for each win, and 15 for each tie. All scores from qualifying carry forward. The top 16 scores in Open Scratch and Handicap, and the top 8 scores in Girls Scratch after the semifinals advance to the finals.
Finals: In our modified stepladder, bowlers roll one-game elimination matches. In round one the #10,12,14, and 16 seeds all play each other with the winner advancing, and the #9,11,13, and 15 seed all playing, with the winner advancing. The winners play the #5 and 7 and #6 and 8 seeds respectively in round two. The winners play the #3 and 4 seeds in round three. The winners play the #1 and 2 seeds in round four, and the winners play the title match (round one is not played in girls scratch).
- 8b. **Doubles Format:**
All teams roll 3 team games on the same pair of lanes. This is a "beat the board" event; the highest 3 game doubles total after the final squad is the winner, with 1:6 teams receiving a scholarship prize. Unlimited re-entries are allowed, with the same or different partners, space-permitting, on a first-come, first-serve basis.
- 8c. **Team Format:**
There is one squad, Dec. 27th at 8 PM. 5-person teams roll 3 team games on the same pair of lanes. The highest scoring teams per division on a 1:8 ratio earn scholarship prizes. Teams may have up to two 'adult' (age 22 or over as of 8/27/11) bowlers on their teams.
10. **Ties:** Ties for the final semifinal spot will be broken by a one game rolloff at 8 AM Dec. 28. Ties for the final spot in the finals will be broken by a two-frame rolloff. Ties in the finals will be broken by a one ball rolloff in scratch divisions and a two frame rolloff in the handicap division. Ties for final positions 17 and above (9 and above in Girls Scratch) will split any position prize money.
11. **Attire:** Bowlers are requested to wear slacks (slacks or skirts / skorts for girls), and a collared shirt. "Name shirts" or shirts promoting your local leagues / clubs are encouraged. Shorts are acceptable, provided they are of a neat, khaki-type material. No hats, t-shirts (unless directly bowling related) or sleeveless shirts, ripped or torn clothing, or clothing promoting alcohol, tobacco, or drugs may be worn. "Mock-turtlenecks" are okay. Directors' decisions are final- if you're not sure, don't wear it!
12. **Discipline:** Proper behavior is demanded of all bowlers and requested of all spectators. Any abuse of bowling center equipment, audible obscenity, or other unbecoming conduct will result in 1) warning and/or 2) disqualification, subject to the sole discretion of tournament management. You may not get caught every time, but if you test us, you'll get caught eventually. Parents are expected to set a good example and abide by the same rules. For questions on the JBT behavior policy, visit www.bowljbt.com or see any official.
13. **Scholarships:** Scholarships will be awarded to at least 1:10 entrants in each singles division based on final standings, with the posted guarantees. Final results and scholarship information will be mailed to all participants no later than January 31, 2012. Unofficial results will be posted on the website by January 9, 2012. Scholarships are awarded by the JBT Scholarship Fund. Claiming rules, forms, and information may be found on www.bowljbt.com.
14. **Averages:** Bowlers in any handicapped event must submit 1) their JBT average as of **December 1, 2011**; if none, 2) their HIGHEST 2011-12 average of 15 games or more, as of December 1, 2011, of ANY FORM OF ORGANIZED COMPETITION, including any traveling leagues / tours, high school bowling, or non-USBC certified leagues. Bowlers with less than 15 games as of 12/1 must submit their average from the week they reach 15 games in 11-12 league/tour play. **Bowlers submitting 'sport', 'PBA Experience', or any 'non house' averages MUST report that the average they are stating is such, and are subject to re-rating prior to event start.** If you mail your entry early, be sure to bring proof with you, or fax to us at 1-888-788-4961. Any average discovered to be incorrect, inadvertently or not, will result in that bowlers' disqualification, forfeiture of all scholarships earned at the event, and suspension from future JBT events, subject to the sole discretion of tournament management. Bowlers who do not provide average proof will not be able to bowl in the semifinal or final rounds, or 'cash' in any side event.
5-YEAR RULE: If you have any finishing ('book') average from any form of organized competition (leagues, tournament clubs, etc.) HIGHER than the average stated above, in any of the previous 5 bowling seasons, you must also state that average(s). You may not bowl at an average more than 10 pins lower than your highest 5 year average (after re-rates).
15. Rules not covered herein will be subject to 1) JBT / then 2) USBC rulebooks. Tournament management reserves all rights regarding the operation of this event.

HOTEL INFORMATION: Texas Station Hotel is offering special rates to bowlers of the Main Event. You must book rooms by December 10 for these rates. Call 1-800-654-8888 and tell them your group is the Junior Bowlers Tour. Rooms sold out VERY early last year- please book as soon as possible!

2011 LAS VEGAS MAIN EVENT ENTRY FORM – PLEASE PRINT NEATLY AND FILL OUT COMPLETELY

(detach and mail completed entry with payment and average verification if applicable. Confirmed entrants will be posted on www.bowljbt.com)

Name _____ Birthdate _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone (_____) _____ Email: (print neatly, this is important!) _____

12/1/2011 AVERAGE: (read rule 14 carefully and attach additional paperwork, printouts, etc. if necessary): _____

(If it's before 12/1, send in everything now, and send the average in later!)

ENTER ME IN: (circle all that apply, you can always enter more squads / events later):

OPEN SCRATCH SINGLES (\$100) GIRLS SCRATCH SINGLES (\$100) HANDICAP SINGLES (\$80) (you may enter up to 2 squads for singles, 2nd entries are \$60 in all divisions)
 Singles squad time(s): Dec. 24th, 3 PM - Dec. 25th, 2 PM - Dec. 26th, 9 AM - Dec. 26th, 2 PM - Dec. 26th, 8 PM - Dec. 27th, 9 AM - Dec. 27th, 2:30 PM

SCRATCH DOUBLES (\$40/team) HANDICAP DOUBLES (\$40/team) with partner: _____
 Doubles squad time: Dec. 24th, 3 PM - Dec. 25th, 2 PM - Dec. 26th, 9 AM - Dec. 26th, Noon - (reoil) - Dec. 26th, 4 PM - Dec. 26th 7 PM - Dec. 26th 10 PM - Dec. 27th, 9 AM - (reoil) - Dec. 27th, 3:30 PM
 Are you (circle one): paying for the whole team - paying for just yourself - your partner is paying for the whole team

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If you want to enter now for more than 2 doubles teams, please use another flyer or attach another sheet of paper.

5-PERSON SCRATCH TEAM, 12/27 at 8 PM (\$100/team) 5-PERSON HANDICAP TEAM, 12/27 at 8 PM (\$100/team)
 Teammates: _____
 are you (circle one): paying for the whole team - paying for just yourself - another teammate is paying for the whole team

BIG DAWG, BIG \$\$\$ BRACKET CHALLENGE, 12/26 at 7 PM (\$60) ***** JUNIOR GOLD QUALIFIER, 12/27 at Noon (\$50)

FOR THE MOJAVE DOUBLES 12/17, MOJAVE SINGLES 12/18, and KINGMAN SINGLES 12/29, since these are also regular-season JBT events, please see additional JBT flyers or info at the schedule page of www.bowljbt.com to enter these events and for more details- as always, feel free to contact us with any questions, we know this is a lot of info in a small space.

MAIL COMPLETED FORMS TO: JBT / MAIN EVENT, PO BOX 20011, SEATTLE WA 98102. NOTE THAT THIS IS A NEW PO BOX THAN LAST YEAR. CONTACT US WITH ANY QUESTIONS, KEEP UP TO DATE ON THE WEBSITE, SPREAD THE WORD TO ALL YOUR BOWLING FRIENDS, AND WE'LL SEE YOU IN VEGAS THIS DECEMBER!

THE 2011 LAS VEGAS MAIN EVENT

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DECEMBER 17 - 29, 2011

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MINI-SCHEDULE:

<u>date</u>	<u>event</u>	<u>divisions</u>	<u>prizes</u>	
Sat. Dec. 17	MOJAVE DOUBLES (one bowler must be 21&under; partner can be <u>any</u> bowler)	scratch & handicap	The Orleans	\$300/team min. for 1 st
Sun. Dec. 18	MOJAVE SINGLES (a regular season JBT event that's the perfect warm-up!)	scratch & handicap	The Orleans	\$200 min. for 1 st
Dec. 24-27	MAIN EVENT DOUBLES (both bowlers must be Main Event eligible)	scratch & handicap	Texas Station	\$1,000/team for 1 st
Mon. Dec. 26	BIG DAWG, BIG \$\$\$ BRACKET, 7 PM (1 game, 'megabuck' style bracket)	scratch only	Texas Station	up to \$2,000 for 1 st
Tue. Dec. 27	JUNIOR GOLD QUALIFIER, Noon	scratch only	Texas Station	1:6 earn Gold spots
Tue. Dec. 27	MAIN EVENT TEAM, 8 PM (5 person teams, up to 2 bowlers may be 22 & over!)	scratch & handicap	Texas Station	1:8 earn scholarships
Thu. Dec. 29	KINGMAN SINGLES (a regular-season JBT event that's the perfect wrap-up)	scratch & handicap	Kingman, AZ	\$200 min. for 1 st

and the big one...

Dec. 24-27	MAIN EVENT SINGLES QUALIFYING (bowlers may re-enter once)	scratch, handicap, & girls scratch	Texas Station
Dec. 28	MAIN EVENT SINGLES SEMIFINALS & FINALS:		

Open Scratch singles guaranteed first place scholarship: **\$5,000** Entry fee: \$100 (re-entries \$60)

Handicap singles guaranteed first place scholarship: **\$2,000** Entry fee: \$80 (re-entries \$60)

Girls Scratch singles guaranteed first place scholarship: **\$1,500** Entry fee: \$100 (re-entries \$60)

(minimum 1:10 earn scholarships in all Main Event singles divisions)

Singles format (other events have various formats explained in brief on back and in detail on the website):

8 game qualifier (maximum 1 re-entry) * semifinalists bowl 6 games of matchplay * stepladder finals

SIGN UP TODAY AND GET FULL INFO at **www.BOWLJBT.com**

not a 'junior' event * not an 'adult' event

this is a scratch and handicap scholarship event for **everyone** 21 & under!

(excluding past or present PBA members)

No internet access? Call us at (480) 748-9299 and we'll mail you a full entry form.

Stay at Texas Station to be entered in the Station Scholarship bonus contest! [SEE WEBSITE FOR DETAILS]

PRE-ORDER YOUR 2011 MAIN EVENT SHIRTS BY DEC. 1! [SEE WEBSITE FOR DETAILS]