

Massachusetts Tri-County USBC

Sponsors

Over/Under 50 & Adult/Youth Doubles Tournament
to benefit the
LUDLOW VETERANS SERVICES FOOD PANTRY

USBC Certified
Open to currently USBC certified members
Spare Time Northampton
525 Pleasant St
Northampton, MA
(413) 584-4830

Tournament standings and a downloadable entry form are also available at www.mtcha.com

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Rows include Bowling/expenses (\$20.00), Prize Fund (\$25.00), Veterans Contribution (\$15.00), and TOTAL (\$60.00 per double).

Mail in Entries Close: December 2, 2023 (No Walk-in Entries)

Divisions Over/Under 50 - Scratch - Handicap
Adult/Youth - Handicap only

Prizes Prize fund divided 66 2/3 % handicap 33 1/3 % scratch
Payout: at least 1:5 for handicap and at least 1:8 for scratch

Handicap: 90% of 240

Please complete the information below: Please Print

CIRCLE ONE: OVER/UNDER 50 or ADULT/YOUTH

Under 50 or Youth Bowler

BOWLER NAME \_\_\_\_\_ USBC # \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Average \_\_\_\_\_ HOME CENTER: Chicopee Shaker Northampton Westover

Over 50 or Adult Partner for Adult/youth

BOWLER NAME \_\_\_\_\_ USBC # \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Average \_\_\_\_\_ HOME CENTER: Chicopee Shaker Northampton Westover

Circle Date Sun, Dec 10 Sun, Dec 10
And Time 12:00pm 2:00pm

## Ludlow Veterans Service Food Pantry Doubles Tournament Tournament Rules

1. This tournament is a USBC certified tournament and is open to those current members of USBC.
2. Format: This is a doubles tournament. 3 games will be bowled by each partner in the doubles team. Adult/Youth teams will be granted scholarship money to be held in SMART in the name of the youth bowler. Over/Under 50 doubles will have two sets of standings kept: one for scratch and one for handicap.
3. Averages: To be eligible for the handicap division, entrants will use their highest 2022-2023 USBC average of 21 games or more. Those without a 2022-2023 average may use their current league average as of December 1<sup>st</sup> of 21 games or more. All other must bowl scratch. Misreporting or deliberately underreporting of averages will result in disqualification from the handicap division.
4. Divisions:
  - a. Over/Under 50: there are two divisions. Scratch and handicap. All bowlers are automatically entered into both Scratch and Handicap divisions and are eligible for only one prize (the highest amount) in either division.
  - b. Adult/Youth: all doubles teams will be bowling in the handicap division only
5. Handicap: The handicap is 90% of 240 scratch
6. Rerate: The 10 pin rule is not in effect.
7. There are 2 squads
  - a. Sunday, December 10, 2023, 12:00pm
  - b. Sunday, December 10, 2023, 2:00pm
8. Multiple participation is allowed, but each doubles pair is only allowed to cash once in the standings. For a doubles team to be considered new, at least one bowler must be different.
9. Mail-in entries close December 2, 2023. Walk-in entries are not allowed. Make checks payable to MTCUSBC Tournament Fund.
10. Any disputes on rules or tournament operation will be decided by the Tournament Director or his appointee. All decisions final.
11. Prizes: Prize fund will be returned 100%. Cash prizes will be awarded to the top finishers of the scratch and handicap divisions as follows:

Handicap:	1 in 5 entries will cash
Scratch:	1 in 8 entries will cash

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