~:~Adult/Alumni Feb Match Tournament~:~

~:~Put together your own 5-person team!!!~:~

(Max of 84 teams)

Event sanctioned by the National Duckpin Bowling Congress (NDBC)

Dates:

February 14-16, 2025 (President's Day Weekend)

Where:

AMF Southwest: 4991 Fairview Ave, Linthicum, MD 21090; 410-789-2400 AMF Dundalk: 1101 Merritt Blvd, Baltimore, MD 21222; 410-282-2000 Parkville Lanes: 7607 Harford Rd, Parkville, MD 21234; 410-444-6100

Pinland Bowling Lanes: 10 N Dundalk Ave, Dundalk, MD 21222; 443-437-3318

Format:

5 adults per team, all adult / alumni bowlers welcome (tournament directors reserve the right to disallow bowlers from participating at any time). **NOTE: If you are under age 21 as of the start of the event, you may bowl in the event, provided you sign a waiver agreeing that you will NOT drink alcohol for the duration of the event, and, if you are caught, you will be ejected from the event and subject to an indefinite ban from all of the host centers. **

4 games Friday at 6:30 pm / 4 games Saturday at 9:00 am / 3 games Saturday at 4:30 pm (total of 11 games). Based on 84 entries, there will be **7 divisions of 12** - Playoffs on Sunday at 10:00 am *(Schedules will be published before the tournament so you know where to report for each shift)*

Bowl ball-for-ball.

Finals:

The top 4 teams from each of the 7 divisions will make playoffs on Sunday (28 teams total). The 4 division winners with the best records/pinfall will receive a first-round bye. Single-game elimination Sunday morning, bracket style. Teams tied for the 4th spot in each division will bowl a one-game rolloff Saturday night, against their division only. We will announce the Sunday matchups on Saturday night once results are in at each

house. Sunday times are subject to change but will be confirmed Saturday night.

Cost: Breakdown: \$120 per bowler / \$600 per team (non-sanctioned bowlers must also pay the \$17 sanction fee)

Prizes:

\$37 lineage, \$83 prize money (event sanction fee is included in this amount)
84 teams (per team) 1st: \$4255 2nd: \$2775 3rd: \$2000 4th: \$2000 *5th-8th: \$1250

*9th-16th: \$1000 *17th-24th: \$725 *25th-28th: \$725 *Division winners: \$250 bonus

*Prize amounts are subject to change based on number of entries. A full payout list will be available before the start of the tournament

Other: Men's High Ave \$25, Women's High Ave \$25, Men's High Game \$25, Women's High Game \$25, Men's High 4 Game Set \$25, Women's High 4 Game Set \$25, High Team Game \$125 (\$25 per bowler), Pins Over Avg \$25, Sanction fee \$80 (Total of other prizes/fees: \$380)

Averages:

- 1) Bowlers will use 2023-24 <u>total composite average</u> per the NDBC website (45 games minimum) (will include <u>verifiable non-sanctioned</u> winter league averages in this calculation). If none:
- 2) Bowlers will use last year's **Feb match average** (minimum 11 games) if they bowled. If none:
- 3) Bowlers will use their <u>last verifiable composite average</u> (45 games minimum), <u>minus 2 pins per year</u> (max -10 pins). Example: 115 avg. bowler hasn't bowled in 5 years, uses a 105 avg. If none:
- 4) Bowlers will use their <u>current</u> 2024-25 average, based on an approximate cutoff date of January 15, 2025. If none:
- 5) Bowlers will use their last composite average of less than 45 games, with no discount applied. If none:
- 6) Bowlers will use their last youth league composite average (same timing rules as above). If none:
- 7) Bowlers will use the scratch average of 160.

We will begin accepting payments on Monday, December 9, 2024, at 7:00 pm. Any payments made prior to that will be declined. Any teams that pay in full after the event capacity has been reached will be added to the waiting list and will have their entry fees returned to them (teams must re-submit payment if they are subsequently added to the event). PAYMENTS ARE DUE NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 2025.

Acceptable methods of payment will be detailed in a separate attachment.

Email us at AlumniFebMatch@gmail.com with any questions

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