



2024-25 RIDBPA Tournament Stop #2

to be held at DUDEK LANES

4 Game Singles

Dates Corrected

SHIFT TIMES:

Saturday 10/18/2024	12:00 PM & 3:00 PM	Saturday 10/25/2024	12:00 PM & 3:00 PM
Sunday 10/19/2024	10:00 AM & 1:00 PM	Sunday 10/26/2024	10:00 AM & 1:00 PM

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ENTRY FEE: \$35: Lineage \$14.00; Director Fee \$2.50
End of Season Invitational Fund \$4.00; Prize Fund \$14.50

MINIMUM GUARANTEED PRIZES FOR THE EVENT:

Number of Entries	1st Place	2nd Place	3rd Place	Number of Bowlers Cashing/Qualifying for Finals
45	\$250.00	\$125.00	\$65.00	4
46--55	\$300.00	\$150.00	\$75.00	5
56-65	\$350.00	\$175.00	\$90.00	6
66-75	\$400.00	\$200.00	\$100.00	7
76-85	\$450.00	\$225.00	\$115.00	8
86-95	\$500.00	\$250.00	\$125.00	9
96-105	\$550.00	\$275.00	\$140.00	10

***If more than 105 entries, the guarantees increase accordingly.*

***Exactly 1 in 10 will be paid in each event, and 1 in 10 will earn a qualifying spot in the 2025 End of Season Invitational in each event.*

Sanctioned by National Duckpin Bowling Congress - Approval of this tournament by NDBC does not carry a guarantee by the NDBC that any advertised prize will be paid.

THERE WILL BE THREE (3) OPTIONAL POOLS RUN DURING THIS EVENT:

SCRATCH POOL -- \$5.00 per Entry

Five (5) games total pinfall without handicap to determine winners. All monies collected for this pool will be paid out. The number of winners and the amount of each prize is based on the number of entries.

HIGH SINGLE POOL -- \$2.00 per Entry

Scratch and handicapped high single games will be paid. A bowler can win only one (1) prize per entry. All monies collected for this pool will be paid out. The number of winners and the amount of each prize is based on the number of entries.

DOUBLES POOL -- \$6.00 per Team

Both members of a team must bowl on the same shift. Each bowler takes his or her best three games of the tournament. Handicap will be 80% based on a 300 average limit. All monies collected for this pool will be paid out: 1st: 50%, 2nd: 30%, 3rd: 20%

**FOR RESERVATIONS, CALL/TEXT AL ZORAIAAN AT 401-447-8357,
 OR MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS BY E-MAIL AT riduckpinner@yahoo.com**

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OFFICIAL TOURNAMENT RULES AND ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

**Bowlers must be current members of the National Duckpin Bowling Congress and have proof of average
Non-sanctioned bowlers may bowl upon payment of membership fee**

- I. For each of the seasons listed below a Rhode Island Average will be used first. An Out-of-State Average for the same season will be used only if there is no Rhode Island Average for that season.

A Rhode Island entrance average will be:

1. 2023-2024 Composite Average of all sanctioned games bowled in RI adult leagues and tournaments (21 games or more).
2. If above does not apply, then 2022-2023 Composite Average of all sanctioned games bowled in RI adult leagues and tournaments will be used (21 games or more).
3. If above does not apply, then 2021-2022 Composite Average of all sanctioned games bowled in RI adult leagues and tournaments will be used (21 games or more).
4. If above does not apply, then 2024 highest sanctioned adult summer league or tournament average will be used (21 games or more). Proof of average is mandatory.
5. If above does not apply, then 2024-2025 highest sanctioned adult winter league average will be used (21 games or more). Proof of average is mandatory.
6. For bowlers using NDYA averages, bowlers use their Composite Average of all NDYA games (21 games or more).
7. If above does not apply, then the bowler bowls scratch (160 average).

An Out-of-State Average will be:

If a bowler does not meet the requirement for the 2023-2024 season as outlined in Rule 1, they will use a composite average comprised of all sanctioned games bowled in their home area plus all sanctioned games bowled in RI. The same protocol will be used for each season as outlined in Rules 2-6.

- II. **Bowlers who roll 21 sanctioned games in RI Duckpin Bowling Proprietors 2024-25 Tournament Season now have a 2024-25 tournament average which they will use.**
- III. Presenting a true average is the responsibility of the bowler.
- IV. Bowler must pay entry fee in advance of beginning any event.
- V. Bowlers may re-enter as many times as they want in each event and cash as many times as they enter, but can cash only once in the guaranteed prize list.
- VI. Order of finish will be determined based on the format of the event. All games bowled in an event will count towards the 2024-25 Tournament average, excluding any "No-Tap" or alternating ball/box events.
- VII. A bowler qualifies for the End of Season Invitational by finishing in the regular prize list in any Tournament event. A bowler can only qualify once. If a bowler cashes more than once in the season, then qualifying spots will be given to bowlers who have yet to qualify based on order of finish in each event. If there is a tie for the last qualifying spot in an event, then all bowlers tied for that spot will be allowed to bowl in the season ending event.
- VIII. A bowler must bowl in at least 5 Tournament events and at least 21 sanctioned games in order to retain their spot in the End of Season Invitational. If a bowler fails to satisfy these requirements, then that bowler will lose his or her spot in the season ending event. Any spot forfeited because of this rule will not be replaced.
- IX. All previous Tournament Series Champions will receive an automatic spot in the 2025 End of Season Invitational, provided they satisfy the requirements outlined in Rule VIII.
- X. Handicap for all sanctioned events will be 80% based on 160 average limit. Handicap for "No-Tap" and alternating ball/box events will be spelled in their respective flyers.
- XI. Questions not covered by the above rules will be governed by NDBC where applicable.