

2023 – 2024 LYNNETTE'S LADIES BOWLING RULES & SIGN-UP MEETING

Start Date - Wednesday, September 20, 2023

Start Time - 6:30pm – Practice will begin at roughly 6:20pm

Weeks Off- 11/22, 12/27

Weekly Cost- \$16 (Check to Bole-Mor Lanes) There MUST be \$48 in the envelope each week for each team, even if a dummy score is being used.

ONE TIME Sponsorship Cost- \$50 (Check to Lynnette's Ladies)

ONE TIME Sanction Cost- \$20 (Check to USBC)

League will be 28 weeks, with 14-week halves.

2023-2024 Officers

President – Kathy Dunn

Vice President – Lana Feekes

Treasurer – Ginger Olberding

Secretary – Taya DeRycke

Sgt. At Arms – Nancy Terry

Fun Things!

(Participation in fun things is optional)

Each week there will be a penguin piggy bank set on the counter. If you do not bowl a strike or spare in your 5th frame, you put a quarter in for that game. This money all goes to an end of the year party (past years it's paid for the league to go Das, Pizza Ranch, Bar X, etc.)

Each week there will be a 50/50 drawing. You put in \$2 at the beginning of the night and whoever gets the highest series that night (WITH handicap) gets 50% of the pot, and the other 50% goes towards the end of year party. Winnings will be handed out at the beginning of the following week.

Wednesday, November 1st we will be having a Halloween party during league. Prizes will be awarded to the best dressed team/individuals and bowlers are allowed to bring in treats to share with the league.

More events like this may occur throughout the season (Christmas time, St. Patrick's Day, etc.)

Substitute Bowlers

-Taya has an online list of subs, information can be found on the back of team envelopes.

-PLEASE TAKE A PICTURE OF THE SUB LIST THAT IS ON THE COUNTER EACH WEEK

-It is preferable that subs get utilized instead of constant dummy scores. This benefits both the bowling alley and the league, as it gets more people involved in the league.

-Let Taya know by 5pm (Either via phone call, text, or message on Facebook) if your team is using a substitute, using a dummy score, or changing your lineup from the previous week.

Dummy Score

-10 points below absent bowler's average + handicap

-If a team has more than three members on the roster, but will still be using a dummy score, the dummy score will go to the absent team member that has bowled the most games. If there is a tie between the absent members, it will go to the bowler with the lower average.

-Dummy scores must be a regular team bowler, not a substitute.

Late Teams

If you know your team is going to be late, let Taya know ASAP. There will be a 3-frame allowance once bowling starts for the night before the game is forfeited. Games 2 and 3 will be bowled as normal.

Inclement Weather

When it is necessary to call off bowling due to weather related issues, (snow, sleet, wind, blizzard etc.), the League President will decide if bowling will be called off for that week. Team captains will be notified and are responsible for informing their team. It will also be posted to the Bole-Mor Facebook page as soon as Taya is aware and messages have gone out. If bowling is canceled, a week will be added to the

end of the regular season.

If nothing has been announced by 5:00, bowling will be happening as normal.

If the high majority of teams are able to make it in, league will resume as normal and teams that cannot make it in will have to find a time to make up their bowling.

Pre-Bowls & Make Ups

When a team is not able to bowl on Wednesday night, you will be allowed to pre-bowl or make up that week by scheduling a time with Taya.

You may not use a substitute that was/will be used on the date you are bowling for.

Your team may not bowl at separate times (ex. Taya and Cris bowl on Wednesday but their teammate Kyle bowls Sunday.)

You may reschedule any time from the Thursday prior to the absence, until the Tuesday following the absence.

Teams are responsible for making arrangements with Taya and should do so as soon as they are aware, they will need to reschedule. The bowling alley can get very busy on weekends and you may not have the ideal conditions you want if you don't make timely arrangements. While occasionally the bowling alley may be able to accommodate coming in for Monday/Tuesday make ups/pre-bowls, please note that they are typically closed on these days of the week and staff may be unavailable to come in, so Fri-Sun are ideal.

To contact Taya in regards to lineup changes, substitutes, or any league related changes:

-Call Bole-Mor Lanes at (507) 562-2531 leaving a voicemail is fine, it will be checked in time

Please double check that this ^ is the number you are calling, and not one of the previous Bole-Mor Lanes phone numbers. This has been the same number since Taya took ownership, but previous owners had different numbers, and some websites annoyingly still list them.

-Call or text Taya personally at (507) 215-1394

-Message either Taya or Bole-Mor Lanes on Facebook

Play Off/Roll Off

A Play Off will take place on Week 29 to determine the overall league winners.

-9 Pin No Tap will be in place for those not in the Play Off.

-If the same team wins both halves, there will not be a Play Off.

-If a team with more than 3 team members needs to use a dummy score in the Play Offs, the dummy score will be that of the team member with the highest number of games. If there is a tie, the player within the tie with the lower average's dummy score will be used.

-A team may use a substitute bowler in the Play Off only if that substitute has bowled 12 games (4 weeks) with that team.

-The winner of the Play Off will be determined by overall total pins. If by some wild chance there is a tie, it will be broken by the two teams each bowling a 10th frame.

A Roll Off will take place to break a tie that occurs at the end of a half.

-It will take place either week 14 or week 28

-1 game will be bowled

-The tie-breaking game will be bowled on different lanes than either team previously bowled on that night