



Earn a **BONUS GIFT** if the head pin is colored and you get a strike!

# HOLIDAY BLUE CHIP

## Doubles Extravaganza!

Sunday, December 2, 2018 • 11:00am

### PALOS VERDES BOWL

24600 Crenshaw Blvd., Torrance, CA 90505 • (310) 326-5120

Open to all current Southern CA Nikkei Bowling Association members

USBC Certified • Payout based on 1:8 entries • Handicap: 90% of 220

### VISIT US ONLINE AT WWW.SCNBA.COM

- Entry Fee: \$30 per person
- Four games No-Tap on the same pair of lanes
- Earn **GIFT BASKET RAFFLE TICKETS** when you strike (natural or no-tap) with two colored pins in the full rack – Plus earn a **BONUS GIFT** if the head pin is colored!
- Maximum of 30 Doubles teams • Team max: 410



10am to 3pm

1st: \$200  
2nd: \$100



**FREE ENTRY** for everyone entered in the **Holiday Doubles Tournament!** Held immediately after. Visit [SCNBA.com](http://www.scnba.com) for more information.

Submitted by \_\_\_\_\_ SCNBA League \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_ City, Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

	BOWLER'S NAME (FIRST, LAST) <i>Must have current 2018-19 SCNBA membership.</i>	HIGHEST WINTER 2016-17 AVG	HIGHEST WINTER 2017-18 AVG	OTHER AVERAGE	USBC MEMBERSHIP #	SCNBA #
1						
2						
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**FULL PAYMENT AND ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED BY: NOVEMBER 20, 2018**



**STEVE  
COOK'S  
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**MAIL ENTRIES AND FEES TO:**

SCNBA Holiday Doubles  
 P.O. Box 1144, Montebello, CA 90640  
 (323) 365-1801 • E-mail: [info@scnba.com](mailto:info@scnba.com)

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: SCNBA**

**FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:** Entry # \_\_\_\_\_ Date Received \_\_\_\_\_ Confirmed \_\_\_\_\_

## TOURNAMENT RULES

1. This tournament shall be governed by the rules and regulations of the United States Bowling Congress (USBC) and the Southern California Nikkei Bowling Association (SCNBA). All members must be in good standing with the USBC and must hold current USBC membership in order to receive USBC awards. Non-USBC members can purchase membership for \$25. Bowlers must be current members of the SCNBA in order to participate in this tournament. All entries will be verified. On-site membership cards will only be sold to those that are eligible under option A (see below).
2. This tournament shall take place on **December 2, 2018** at **PALOS VERDES BOWL**, 24600 Crenshaw Blvd, Torrance 90505, 310-326-5120. Full payment and entries must be postmarked by November 20, 2018 per rule 310a-2.
3. Entry fees must accompany entry forms. Incomplete entries or entries without total fees will be returned. **Mail entries to: SCNBA Holiday Doubles, P.O. Box 1144, Montebello, CA 90640, (323) 365-1801. E-mail: info@scnba.com; Web: SCNBA.com.**
4. A maximum of 30 doubles teams will be accepted. Team maximum is 410.
5. **Entry Fee: \$30.00 per person** (\$14 lineage + \$12 prize fund + \$4 expenses). Make checks payable to SCNBA.
6. **FORMAT: Doubles (any combination/Team max: 410) competition with four games of no-tap on the same pair of lanes. GIFT BASKET DRAWING: EARN RAFFLE TICKETS** – Throw a no-tap or natural strike when two colored pins are in the full rack. PLUS, receive a bonus gift (max. 5 per person) if you get a strike (natural or no-tap) when the head pin is colored. **SPOTTERS MUST BE NOTIFIED PRIOR TO THROWING THE BALL IN ORDER TO EARN RAFFLE TICKETS.**
7. Prize money will be returned 100% based on a ratio of 1:8. Total combined pinfall for all four games plus handicap will determine champions.
8. As per USBC rule 319a, all bowlers' averages will be verified and guaranteed by the Southern California Nikkei Bowling Association. USBC rule 319a-2, 319a-3 and 319e is waived. Handicap shall be determined from the following parameters:
  - A. Highest Winter 2016-17 or 2017-18 book average, 21 games or more; If none,
  - B. Highest USBC certified current average of 21 games or more as of Nov. 20, 2018 (league sheet must be provided); If none,
  - C. Highest USBC certified 2018 Summer Average of 21 games or more (league sheet must be provided);
  - D. Scratch – 220Men: 150 minimum average/Women: 135 minimum average. Bowlers are responsible for verifying his/her own average. If the submitted average is lower than required and results in a lower classification or more handicap, the bowler's score is disqualified. If the submitted average is higher than required, prize winnings will be based on the submitted average. **All averages established on a Sport or Challenge condition must be adjusted utilizing the USBC Sport Average Adjustment Scale found on BOWL.com. The adjusted average must be used if it is the highest average.** USBC rule 319a-2 is waived.
9. **Handicap shall be 90% of 220.**
10. A bowler who has qualified for a total prize of \$300 or more in any Nikkei tournament within the last twelve (12) month period must report the actual score, position, and amount won in a handicap or classified tournament to the Tournament Committee at the time of entry for possible re-rate. Such readjusting must be done seven (7) days before the entrant bowls and if not accepted, the entry fee will be refunded. Failure to report earnings may cause forfeiture of entry fee and prize winnings. Rule 319e is waived.
11. A bowler whose average has been re-adjusted by any tournament committee must report the readjusted average when submitting an entry. The re-adjusted average (or highest average) will be used for twenty-four (24) months from the date of notification.
12. All bowlers must check-in at least one hour prior to their squad time.
13. Tardy players shall receive zero (0) for frames missed and will begin competition immediately upon arrival.
14. In the event entrant cannot appear, he or she may name a current SCNBA substitute 30 minutes prior to the start of the squad.
15. No more than one (1) lane courtesy will be allowed.
16. Tournament Management will disqualify participants for the following reasons: falsifying scores; conduct not becoming a USBC bowler as determined by Tournament Management; changing from right hand to left hand or visa-versa during the tournament; and delaying tournament play. All decisions are final unless an appeal is made to USBC per Rule 329.
17. Effective September 1, 1996, any member of any professional organization will bowl scratch in all SCNBA events. Upon releasing the card, there will be a period of twenty-four (24) months following that he/she will continue to bowl scratch.
18. Protests must be made in writing to the Tournament Management before the tournament prizes are paid. Protests must specify the rule violated. Disputes and complaints must be filed by participants only. Decisions by Tournament Management will be final unless an appeal is made in accordance with Rule 329.

### SCNBA ELIGIBILITY FOR NON-JAPANESE (CARDS CAN BE PURCHASED ON-SITE FOR "A" ELIGIBILITY PARTICIPANTS ONLY)

#### Membership eligibility shall be governed as:

- a) Those persons with at least 25% Japanese ancestry. (If current last name is not Japanese, the Japanese surname of parent/grandparent must be provided).
- b) Those persons of non-Japanese ancestry currently married to an individual with at least 25% Japanese ancestry.
- c) Those persons of non-Japanese ancestry with a parent\* that is at least 25% Japanese ancestry. \*Child must be natural, legally adopted or step.
- d) Those persons of non-Japanese ancestry who meet the following requirements:
  1. Must have bowled a minimum of 67% of the regular league games in a qualified "Nikkei" bowling league for two (2) consecutive winter seasons immediately preceding application for membership, and
  2. Must be currently bowling in a Nikkei bowling league as a regular league member with 21 games or more.
    - a. Eligibility is not effective until 50% of the current winter total league games as a regular league member are met, at which time they can apply for membership the following year.
    - b. Membership re-establishment can be obtained once the bowler has at least 50% of the current season's games as a regular league member
- e) Non-Japanese card-holders whose Japanese spouse is deceased remains eligible until remarried to a non-Japanese.

The term "NIKKEI" bowling league refers to a USBC certified league having not less than 67% of its league members including substitutes being at least 25% Japanese family ancestry and non-Japanese actively belonging to the SCNBA (all bowlers minimum 21 games). If a league falls below 67% at the end of the winter season, the non-Japanese bowlers shall not be eligible for membership for the upcoming winter season.