



**Sunday, July 28, 2024
10am**

Bowlero Montebello
1201 W. Beverly Blvd., Montebello, CA 90640
(323) 728-9161

Prize money awarded to First place Champions.

(Second place awarded prize money if 10+ teams are entered)

\$160 Team Entry Fee • Handicap: 90% of 220



Submitted by _____

Phone () _____ E-mail _____

SCNBA League _____ Team Name _____

	First place League Champion Team	League ending Avg. (min. 21 games)	Other average	List league name if you have 21+ games in another Nikkei League	Shirt size
1					
2					
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5*	(Alternate)				

If your league team format is trios, please list the 4th bowler's name from the 2nd place team. If the team format is 5-person team, one bowler must be noted as an alternate. Bowler's must have a minimum of 21 games in order to participate.

	Second place line-up	League ending Avg. (min. 21 games)	Other average	List league name if you have 21+ games in another Nikkei League	Shirt size
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5*	(Alternate)				

Payment, entries & final league sheets must be postmarked by July 13.

Make checks payable to: **SCNBA**
or ZELLE to info@scnba.com

Mail entry with payment to:
SCNBA – Tournament of Champs
13504 Lomitas Ave., Whittier, CA 90601
(562) 270-5093
E-mail: info@scnba.com

The Champion team will determine where the location will be for following year (when possible). The winning team will also receive custom embroidered SCNBA shirts.

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Tournament of Champions Rules

1. This tournament shall be governed by the rules and regulations of the United States Bowling Congress (USBC). All members must be in good standing with USBC and must hold a valid USBC membership card. Non-USBC members can purchase an associate membership card for \$30.
2. **Bowlers do not have to be current members of the SCNBA in order to participate in this tournament.**
3. This tournament shall take place on **July 28, 2024 at 10:00am** at **Bowlero Montebello**, 1201 W. Beverly Blvd., Montebello, CA 90640, (323) 728-9161. **Full payment and entries must be postmarked by July 13, 2024.**
4. **ENTRY FEES: \$40 per person** (\$20 prize fund + \$12 lineage + \$8 expenses). Zelle to info@scnba.com or make checks payable to SCNBA or zelle to info@scnba.com. Any returned checks must be paid in cash/money order + \$35 penalty fee by July 18. If less than 8 entries are received, the event will be cancelled and refunds sent.
5. **Final league ending league sheets must accompany entry forms.** Incomplete entries or entries without total fees will be returned. Mail all entries to: SCNBA – Tournament of Champs, 13504 Lomitas Ave., Whittier, CA 90601, (562) 270-5093. E-mail: info@scnba.com; Web: SCNBA.com.
6. **FORMAT:** Four-person team bowling three games total on the same pair of lanes. If a tie occurs, co-champions will be declared. Participants must have a minimum of 21 games in order to compete. The Champion team's home center will determine the location for following year when possible.
7. **The first place league champions from the following leagues for the 2023-24 winter season are eligible:**

Action – SGV Nikkei Mixed	Gardena Bowl – Nisei Mixed	La Habra 300 – Storm Sansei Trios
Action – SGV Nikkei Seniors	Gardena Bowl – Premiere @ Grd	Linbrook – Anaheim Nisei Mixed
B. Montebello – PPBC Nikkei Trios	Gardena Bowl – Wed Nisei Mixed	Winnetka Bowl – SFV Nikkei
Gardena Bowl – Japan Trade	Gardena Bowl – Friday Islanders	
Gardena Bowl – Harbor City Nisei	Harley's Simi – SFV Nisei	

Any 3-person team must take a bowler from the second place team and so on, please be sure to ask each bowler on the team before moving on to selecting a bowler on the next place team. Any 5-person teams must place one bowler as an alternate. If the first place team cannot participate, the next available team in order of finish may enter.
8. **AVERAGES:** Highest Winter 2023-24 league ending average with a minimum of 21 games
9. Replacements may be processed up to 30 minutes prior to the start of the squad. Replacements must be taken in the order of: 1) 5th person of a 5 person team or 2) anyone from the second place team. If a replacement cannot be placed as stated above, the tournament committee must be notified and must approve the replacement prior to the start of competition. Teams do not need to be mixed.
10. Handicap shall be 90% of 220.
11. Prize money will be returned 100%. Prize money awarded to the first place champions. Second place will be awarded only if 10 or more teams are entered. In the event of ties, prize money will be combined and divided equally. The team champions will receive SCNBA shirts.
12. Replacements may be processed at least 30 minutes prior to squad time. **No refunds after the schedule is published.** Tournament management must approve any/all exceptions.
13. All bowlers must check-in at least one hour prior to the start of the tournament.
14. Tardy players shall receive zero for frames missed and will begin competition immediately upon arrival.
15. One lane courtesy.
16. **ONLY A DRY TOWEL FOR CLEANING MAY BE USED DURING COMPETITION. ELIMINATION OF BALANCE HOLES:** Bowlers may have up to five holes for gripping purposes and all holes must be used on every delivery. If only fingers are used, the thumb hole must be plugged and an "X" marked for the palm position. Any bowling ball that does not meet USBC specifications will subject the bowler to disqualification of all tournament scores. We reserve the option to do random spot checks and we may be reported to check equipment by another bowler. Visit BOWL.com to download the Non-conforming Bowling Ball List.
17. 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.
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.