



NORTHWEST GEORGIA USBC, INC.

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Appendix F Hall of Fame

The Northwest Georgia USBC Association, Inc. shall establish a Hall of Fame Committee. The committee is appointed by the President, subject to Board approval. The committee shall be composed of Hall of Fame members, Life members, members emeritae and Board members. The President and Association Manager are ex-officio member of this committee.

FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES AND PROCEDURES: GENERAL

Purpose: To do honor and to perpetuate the name of those who have contributed to the general welfare and progress of bowling through meritorious service and/or who have displayed outstanding ability in the game of American Tenpins.

Categories of

Awards: Meritorious Service
Superior Performance in the Game of American Tenpins

A posthumous award in either category may be presented.

Membership: Membership in the Northwest Georgia USBC Association, Inc. Hall of Fame shall be by election only. A bowler may be elected only once to the Hall of Fame regardless of category. Northwest Georgia USBC board members may be considered while still an active member of the board or after retirement from the board.

Hall of Fame

Committee: The Hall of Fame Committee shall consist of seven (7) members, chaired by a Hall of Fame member and including the President and Association Manager, appointed by the President and approved by the Northwest Georgia USBC Board of Directors.

The Hall of Fame Committee shall elect its chair.

Board of



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Directors: The Northwest Georgia USBC Board of Directors shall have full control over the Northwest Georgia USBC Hall of Fame and shall supervise the Hall of Fame in such a manner as to assure a vital, unbiased and stable existence serving the purpose for which it is instituted.

Meetings: The Hall of Fame Committee may hold meetings as deemed necessary. A quorum at all meetings of the Hall of Fame committee shall be a majority of the committee members.

Nomination

Forms: Nomination forms for the Northwest Georgia USBC Hall of Fame will be printed in the association's yearbook and/or available on the association's website. The forms will be distributed to all league secretaries no later than September 1st. These forms are to be completed and returned to the Northwest Georgia USBC Association Manager by November 1st.

Within a reasonable limit of time after November 1st and receipt of completed forms by the Association Manager, he/she shall in turn, forward these forms to the Chair of the Northwest Georgia USBC Hall of Fame Committee.

Candidates: If, in the opinion of the Hall of Fame Committee, the qualifications of the candidates submitted are deemed insufficient or inadequate, the Committee may reject any or all applications. Therefore, there is a possibility a selection in either category may not occur annually.

An individual's name may be submitted for one category only annually.

Nominations for the same individual may be submitted more than once, but in subsequent years.

The Hall of Fame Committee shall retain applications and consider nominee(s) for two (2) years.

Voting



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Procedure: It shall be the duty of the Hall of Fame Committee to consider the resumes of all candidates submitted and present not more than four (4), two (2) males and two (2) females, in the superior performance category and one (1) male and one (1) female in the meritorious service category, to the board of directors.

The committee shall vote by ballot.

The Northwest Georgia USBC Board of Directors, by ballot, may select two (2) males and two (2) females in the superior performance category and one (1) male and one (1) female in the meritorious service category from the list submitted by the Hall of Fame committee.

This ballot will be nominating ballot only, not elective.

The nominees will be the ones receiving the highest number of votes; not necessarily a majority of those entitled to be cast.

The Board of Directors will cast a second ballot and vote "YES" or "NO" on the nominee. The nominees receiving two-thirds (2/3) of the votes entitled to be cast will be elected to the Northwest Georgia USBC Hall of Fame.

Each category, superior performance and meritorious service, will be voted on separately.

Awards: Announcement and formal induction of inductee(s) in the Northwest Georgia USBC Hall of Fame will be made at the annual meeting. The Hall of Fame recipient will be presented an appropriate award and a specially designed petite-point chevron. Expense of operating the Hall of Fame shall be borne by the Northwest Georgia USBC Association, Inc.

Hall of Fame

Plaque: Plaques with nameplates of Northwest Georgia USBC Hall of Fame members will be purchased and put on display at each Northwest Georgia USBC bowling center.

FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES AND PROCEDURES: CLASSIFIED

MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD



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1. Not more than two (2), one (1) male and (1) female, Meritorious Service Awards will be presented annually.
2. To be eligible for consideration to the Hall of Fame, the candidate
 - Must be, or have been, a member in good standing with the USBC and the Northwest Georgia USBC or predecessor organizations for ten (10) years.
 - Must have participated in a minimum of ten (10) Northwest Georgia USBC or predecessor organizations annual tournaments.
 - Must be, or must have been, an active participant in the affairs of the Northwest Georgia USBC or predecessor organizations.
 - Must be one who has made outstanding contributions to the good and welfare of the game through administrative or organizational work.
3. Anyone may submit, in writing to the Northwest Georgia USBC Association Manager (for appropriate referral to the Hall of Fame Committee) or to the Hall of Fame Committee, for consideration, the name and qualifications of a Northwest Georgia USBC member, recognized for outstanding service to the Northwest Georgia USBC.

The name(s) of the candidate(s) for this award, together with a biographical sketch of his/her services performed, must be submitted to the Hall of Fame Committee or the Northwest Georgia USBC Association Manager not later than November 1st of each year.

4. After verification, the Hall of Fame Committee may submit a slate of not more than two (2) candidates, with qualifications in writing, if possible, to the Northwest Georgia USBC Board of Directors for approval at a meeting called by the President.

The Northwest Georgia USBC Board of Directors will vote, by ballot, on the candidates for Meritorious Service Award. The nominees receiving two-thirds (2/3) of the votes entitled to be cast will be elected to the Northwest Georgia USBC Hall of Fame. The voting will be as described under **FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES AND PROCEDURES: GENERAL - Voting Procedure**

After the election, the individuals named to receive this award will be notified, by letter, by the Northwest Georgia USBC Association Manager, that at the annual meeting he/she will be presented with an award.

His/Her name will be placed on the Hall of Fame plaques.



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SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE IN THE GAME OF AMERICAN TENPINS AWARD

1. The Northwest Georgia USBC Superior Performance Award will be presented only at such times, not necessarily annually, to deserving recipients as designated by the Northwest Georgia USBC Board of Directors.
2. This award shall be given to a present or past Northwest Georgia USBC or predecessor organizations member for outstanding bowling performance.
3. To be eligible for this award, the candidate:
 - Must be, or have been, a member in good standing with the USBC and the Northwest Georgia USBC or predecessor organizations for seven (7) years.
 - Must have participated in a minimum of five (5) Northwest Georgia USBC or predecessor organizations annual tournaments.
 - Must have outstanding achievements in the Northwest Georgia USBC or predecessor organizations.
4. The name(s) of the candidate(s) for this award, with written qualifications, shall be submitted to the Hall of Fame Committee or the Northwest Georgia USBC Association Manager not later than November 1st of each year.
5. After verification, the Hall of Fame Committee may submit a slate of not more than four (4) candidates, two (2) male and two (2) female, with qualifications in writing, if possible, to the Northwest Georgia USBC Board of Directors for approval at a meeting called by the President.
6. The Northwest Georgia USBC Board of Directors will vote, by ballot, on the candidates for Superior Performance Award. The nominee receiving two-thirds (2/3) of the votes entitled to be cast will be elected to the Northwest Georgia USBC Hall of Fame. The voting will be as described under **FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES AND PROCEDURES: GENERAL - Voting Procedure**
7. After the election, the individual named to receive this award will be notified, by letter, by the Northwest Georgia USBC Association Manager, that at the annual meeting he/she will be presented with an award.
8. His/Her name will be placed on the Hall of Fame plaques.

POSTHUMOUS AWARDS

1. A posthumous award in either category may be presented.



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2. The members of the family of the deceased person shall be notified that such a person is to be honored.
3. The qualifications of the deceased person shall be read during the induction ceremonies.
4. A suitable award shall be presented, in memory of the recipient, to the family.
5. If the deceased person has no family, or if the family does not desire to accept an award, a donation equivalent to the cost of the award, shall be made in his/her name to the BVL Fund.
6. The recipient's name will be placed on the Hall of Fame plaques.



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NOMINATION FOR NORTHWEST GEORGIA USBC, INC. HALL OF FAME

AWARD FOR MERITORIOUS SERVICE

Miss

Name of Nominee: Mr. /Mrs. _____

Ms. (First) (Middle) (Last)

Current Address:

Northwest Georgia USBC affiliations (past and present):

Nearest Relative: _____

(Name) (Relationship)

(Address)

Biographical sketch, if possible list dates of service, of outstanding service rendered (number of years bowled, offices held, committees served, indicate whether chair or house coordinator, work with other local bowling clubs or other local functions (e.g., North Metro YABA, Cobb 225 or Cobb 600 Clubs), delegate to State and national meetings), and any honors won:

Northwest Georgia USBC

Georgia State USBC

USBC

Attach a separate sheet for additional information.

Submitted by: _____

Signature

Address

Telephone



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AWARD FOR SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE IN THE GAME OF AMERICAN TENPINS

Miss

Name of Nominee: Mr./Mrs. _____

Ms. (First) (Middle) (Last)

Current Address:

Birthdate: _____

Highest averages attained (list average and year):

Highest series bowled (list series and year):

Highest game(s) bowled (list games and year):

Northwest Georgia USBC Annual Tournaments entered (minimum 5):

Northwest Georgia USBC Annual Tournament titles (list event, year and score):

Other local titles, records and honors (e.g., association high average, series, or game):

Georgia State USBC titles, records, honors and other scoring accomplishments (list event, year and score):

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Performance in other tournaments (e.g., Georgia All-Stars, Georgia Queens, Southeastern Tournaments, 250/225 Masters)

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