

REGULAR ALL-STAR QUALIFIER

DATE

October 24, 2026

WHERE

Southern Lanes

Douglasville, GA

SQUAD TIMES

9:00 a.m. & 2:00 p.m.

Check-in opens one hour before each squad

ENTRY FEE

\$75

Per bowler

\$450 six-person team

\$375 five-person team

FORMAT

Teams of five or six bowl 5 games scratch

Six-person teams drop the low score each game

ADVANCEMENT

Top 4 Teams

**advance to the State All-Star
Tournament**

No cash payout

ADVANCE ENTRY

Advance entries **paid electronically** get priority for lane assignments. Walk-ins welcome; lane availability not guaranteed.

No full team? Walk in. Individual bowlers may be placed on a team (not guaranteed).



REGISTER & PAY

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NWGA-USBC Regular All-Star Qualifier

Tournament Rules

Eligibility

- Entry is open to current Northwest Georgia USBC members. There are no age or gender divisions, and no minimum number of league games is required for the association qualifier.
- Bowlers advancing to the State Tournament must have completed at least twenty-one (21) games in a league certified by NWGA USBC during the current season by the State-required deadline, expected in February 2027.

Entry & Payment

- The entry fee is seventy-five dollars (\$75) per bowler: four hundred fifty dollars (\$450) for a six-person team or three hundred seventy-five dollars (\$375) for a five-person team.
- Teams enter together. There is no advance entry deadline; walk-ins and multiple entries are allowed, and bowlers may compete in more than one squad.
- Bowlers without a full team are welcome to walk in. They may be placed on a team with an available spot or grouped with other individual bowlers to form a team. Team placement is subject to availability and is not guaranteed.
- Completed advance entries with electronic payment receive priority for lane assignments. Walk-in entries are subject to available lane space and cannot be guaranteed.
 - **Electronic Payment:** Advance entries must be paid electronically. QR codes on tournament flyers and the association website provide access to payment options, including Apple Pay, Cash App, credit/debit card, Google Pay, PayPal, Venmo, and Zelle.
 - **Walk-In Payments:** Cash and checks are accepted only at tournament check-in for walk-in entries. Checks must be payable to NWGA Tournament Fund. Returned checks incur a \$30.00 administrative fee plus any applicable bank charges.

Schedule

- The qualifier will be held October 24, 2026, at Southern Lanes. Squads begin at 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.; check-in opens one hour before each squad, at 8:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., respectively.

Qualifying Procedures

- Each team will bowl five (5) games scratch, moving one pair of lanes to the right after each game.
- For a six-person team, the lowest individual score in each game is dropped; the other five scores count toward that game's team total. Five-person teams count all five scores each game.
- Standings are determined by total counted team pinfall across all five games.
- Ties between six-person teams are broken by comparing each team's highest dropped score, then its next-highest, until the tie is broken. A five-person team tied with a six-person team on counted pinfall places behind the six-person team.

Selection & Team Format

- Up to four (4) teams will qualify to represent NWGA USBC at the State All-Star Tournament, based on final team standings. Teams retain their entered roster unless a substitution is needed.
- A bowler who qualifies with more than one team may choose which team to accompany to State; the other qualifying team may obtain an eligible substitute, with association approval.

Tournament Funds & Support

- There are no payouts for the association qualifier. Tournament funds are used toward State entry fees, travel stipends, and jerseys, final support subject to available funds and the number of teams sent.

General Rules

- USBC playing rules apply to all qualifying competition.
- Any protest or rules dispute will be handled by the Tournament Manager and, when applicable, will follow USBC appeal procedures.
- Any bowler who confirms participation in the State Tournament and then fails to appear without notice or an emergency reason will be ineligible for the association qualifier the following year.
- The State Tournament is tentatively anticipated for March 19–21, 2027. Official dates, location, and eligibility deadlines are subject to confirmation by Georgia State USBC.