



WAL-ROC USBC

Woman Bowler of the Year Format

Average Categories: Division **3** - 139 Average & Under, Division **2** - 140-164, Division **1** - 165 Average & Over, Seniors Division

The following are the rules and format for determining the Woman Bowler of the Year (BOY) and All-Star Team members for the WAL-ROC USBC. All league points awarded will be from winter leagues only. **League secretaries** must provide all scoring information (or a copy of the year to date records of each bowler) to the Association Manager immediately at the end of the regular bowling season. The WAL-ROC USBC is not responsible for scores not turned in by the league secretaries. This is the only source that is used by the WAL-ROC USBC to determine the winners. **Any late entries, after June 1, Will Not Be Processed!!**

1. Criteria to Qualify for Bowler of the Year:

- a. Bowlers must be a certified **female** league bowler in the WAL-ROC USBC
- b. Bowlers must have bowled in at least two-thirds (2/3) of the season in one league.
- c. Senior Division bowlers must be a minimum of 50 years of age
- d. Bowler's division will be based on average at the end of the current season
- e. All other rules or criteria will be listed as need be:

2. Honor Scores

- a. 300 game = 80pts
- b. 800-849 series = 70pts
- c. 850-899 series = 80pts
- d. 900 series = 90pts

3. League participation points will be awarded as follows:

- a. **Points for each league bowled in:** (One league must have a minimum of 2/3 games. Additional leagues would require a minimum 21 games to qualify.)
 - 1 league = 0 pts, 2 = 10 pts, 3 = 20 pts, 4 = 40 pts, 5 or more = 80 pts
- b. **Points for individual games will be awarded from leagues only as follows:**
 - 139 Average & Under Individual Game Points: 150-174=5 pts, 175-199=10 pts, 200-224=15 pts, 225-249=20 pts, 250-274=25 pts, 275-296=30 pts, 297=40 pts, 298=50 pts, 299=60 pts.
 - 140 thru 164 Avg. Individual Game Points: 175-199=10 pts, 200-224=15 pts, 225-249=20 pts, 250-274=25 pts, 275-296=30 pts, 297=40pts, 298=50 pts, 299=60 pts.

- 165 + Avg. Individual Game Points: 200-224=15 pts, 225-249=20 pts, 250-274=25 pts, 275-296=30 pts, 297=40 pts, 298=50 pts, 299=60 pts.

(Points will only be awarded for scores 25 pins over the bowler's average.)

c. **Points for individual series will be awarded from leagues only as follows:**

- 139 Average & Under Individual Series Points: 400-499=5 pts, 500-549=10 pts, 550-599=20 pts, 600-649=30 pts, 650-699=40 pts, 700-749=50 pts, 750-799=60 pts.
- 140 thru 164 Avg. Individual Series Points: 500-549=10 pts, 550-599=20 pts, 600-649=30 pts, 650-699=40 pts, 700-749=50 pts, 750-799=60 pts.
- 165 + Avg. Individual Series Points: 550-599=20 pts, 600-649=30 pts, 650-699=40 pts, 700-749=50 pts, 750-799=60 pts.

(Point will only be awarded for scores 75 pins over the bowler's average.)

4. Points for House High Averages, Series and Games: (minimum of 2/3 of league season) Any ties for a position will receive equal points up to a maximum of 5 places.

- The top averages in each bowling center will receive points as follows: 1st = 25 pts, 2nd = 20 pts, 3rd = 15 pts.
- The highest series in each house will receive points as follows for each: 1st = 25 pts, 2nd = 20 pts, 3rd = 15 pts.
- The highest game in each house will receive points as follows for each: 1st = 25 pts, 2nd = 20 pts, 3rd = 15 pts.

*NOTE: Any bowler bowling in more than one league in the same bowling center can only be credited for her highest average. When a bowler has the first/second/third high game or series, that is to receive points, she will be credited with each of those points.

When three bowlers are tied with high average of 220, each will receive 25 points.

When two bowlers have the same high series, they both receive equal points for that position and then the next high would receive points for 3rd place, etc.

When 4 bowlers have a 300 game, they will each receive 25 points. Only one highest game will count: two 300 games by one bowler will receive points for only one of the games, if she also has the 2nd highest game (299, 298, etc.), she will receive those points as long as it falls within the top 3 scores.

5. Tournament participation points will be awarded as follows:

- Points for each tournament bowled in:
 - 1 tournament = 25 pts, 2 = 50 pts.
 - The available certified tournaments in the WAL-ROC USBC will be the following:
 1. WAL-ROC USBC Women's Championship Tournament
 2. WAL-ROC USBC Open Championship Tournament
 3. *OR additional tournaments proprietors request to be added*
 - The available non-certified tournaments in the WAL-ROC USBC will be the following:

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6. Points for the finishing positions in each tournament will be awarded as follows:

- a. WAL-ROC USBCA Women's/Open Championship Tournaments – All Events handicap totals.
1st = 50 pts, 2nd = 40 pts, 3rd = 30 pts.

- 7. (Bonus)** Any WAL-ROC USBC bowler finishing in the top three (3) of the Wisconsin State Open or Women's Bowling Tournament in Singles and All Events Handicap Division will be awarded points the same as the WAL-ROC UBC Open or Women's Championship Tournament (see 5a).
- 8.** To determine the Bowler of the Year and the All-Star Team members, we add each bowler's total points earned from qualifying leagues per rule 3. The bowler must have bowled a minimum of 2/3 of the games available in the league. If the bowler has an average in two different divisions, she will be moved to the higher division. We will use the **highest total points earned in one league** to base the BOY on. Next we add the bonus points for multiple leagues (rule 3A), the Tournament points earned as listed in rule #5 and #6, and the House High Points together. This will be your **Total Points** earned for the year.
- 9.** The Bowler of the Year will be the bowler with the highest Total Points for the year. The All Star team will consist of the next four (4) highest totals. There will be one (1) Bowler of the Year and an All Star Team for each Average division including the Senior Division. The bowler of the Year will receive a plaque and the next four runner-ups will receive certificates.
 - a. If a Senior Division bowler has the highest points overall in both divisions, she will be the BOY in the Open Division and all others in the Senior Division will move up one place.
 - b. The Bowler of the Year will receive a plaque and a free dinner at the Annual Hall of Fame and Bowler Recognition banquet. The All Star members will receive a certificate only at the Annual Hall of Fame and Bowler Recognition banquet.
- 10.** The WAL-ROC USBC Bowler of the Year committee has the right to question, re-rate, or disqualify any bowler from competing for the Bowler of the Year. Each bowler also has the right to question or appeal any decision made by the committee.

Good Luck and Good Bowling
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