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**CLASSIFIED**

# Eliminator

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2019**

HOSTED BY: **AMF GARDEN CITY**  
987 STEWART AVE., GARDEN CITY, NY 11530 516.222.0808

TOP 4 PRIZES GUARANTEED (REGARDLESS OF ENTRIES)

**\$2,000-1<sup>ST</sup> - \$1,500-2<sup>ND</sup>**  
**\$1,000-3<sup>RD</sup> - \$500-4<sup>TH</sup>**

**LIUSBC WILL BE ADDING UP TO \$2,000 TO THE PRIZE FUND**

**ENTRY FEE ONLY \$65 PER SQUAD**

**3 GAME HANDICAP (80% OF 220) QUALIFYING BY AVERAGE DIVISION  
169 & UNDER/170-194/195-219/220+ (SCRATCH)**

**WINNER OF EACH DIVISION GUARANTEED AT LEAST \$500!**

**2ND PLACE IN EACH DIVISION GUARANTEED \$300!**

**1 IN 6 PER DIVISION PER SQUAD ADVANCES TO FINALS (MINIMUM \$100)**

**HIGH SERIES OF EACH DIVISION EARNS 1 BYE (MINIMUM \$200)**

**ONE DAY TOURNAMENT!**

**3 SQUADS: NOON-2PM-4PM/FINALS AFTER THE 4PM SQUAD.**

**YOU CAN PRE-REGISTER ON-LINE @ [WWW.LIUSBC.COM](http://WWW.LIUSBC.COM)  
OR WALK-IN TO AMF GARDEN CITY THE DAY OF THE EVENT.**



**HIGH HANDICAP GAME POT (ONLY \$10)  
EACH HIGH HANDICAP GAME (9 TOTAL)  
WILL WIN A MOTIV BOWLING BALL (\$200 VALUE!)  
(MUST BE ENTERED IN THE \$10 OPTIONAL POT)**



## THE SUNATION CLASSIFIED ELIMINATOR RULES AND REGULATIONS

THE LIUSBC IS PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE A NEW TOURNAMENT FOR ALL AVERAGE BOWLERS; THE SUNATION CLASSIFIED ELIMINATOR. THIS 1-DAY, 3 SQUAD EVENT, WILL BE HELD AT AMF GARDEN CITY NOVEMBER 24, 2019. WITH 4 SEPARATE AVERAGE DIVISIONS ENTRANTS WILL COMPETE ONLY AGAINST BOWLERS WITHIN THEIR GROUP. MOST BOWLERS THROUGHOUT QUALIFYING & FINALS (EXCEPT SHOOTOUT) WILL NOT HAVE TO GIVE MORE THAN 20 PINS A GAME IN HANDICAP! THE 220+ AVERAGE DIVISION BOWLS SCRATCH AMONGST THEMSELVES.

TOP PRIZES IN THE SUNATION CLASSIFIED ELIMINATOR WILL PAY, REGARDLESS OF ENTRIES: \$2,000-1ST, \$1,500-2ND, \$1,000-3RD, AND \$500-4TH. THESE INCREDIBLE GUARANTEES ARE POSSIBLE BECAUSE LIUSBC AND SUNATION ARE ADDING UP TO \$2,000 TO THE PRIZE FUND. BEST OF ALL THE ENTRY FEE IS AFFORDABLE; ONLY \$65 PER SQUAD!

**ELIGIBILITY:** ALL LIUSBC AND NYCUSBC BOWLERS ARE ELIGIBLE TO BOWL. NON-SANCTION BOWLERS THAT RESIDE IN NASSAU OR SUFFOLK COUNTIES ARE ALSO ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE BUT WILL BE REQUIRED TO PURCHASE A SANCTION CARD (\$25.) PROOF OF RESIDENCE IN THE FORM OF A VALID NYS DRIVER'S LICENSE OR NYS PERSONAL ID WITH A NASSAU OR SUFFOLK ADDRESS IS REQUIRED. NO OTHER FORM OF PROOF WILL BE ACCEPTED. NYUSBC BOWLERS WILL BE REQUIRED TO PURCHASE A LOCAL SANCTION (\$11) IF NOT SANCTIONED WITH LIUSBC.

**ENTRY FEE:** THE COST TO ENTER THIS EVENT IS \$65 PER SQUAD. OUT OF THE \$65 ENTRY FEE \$12 GOES TOWARDS LINAGE, \$6 FOR EXPENSES AND \$47 RETURNED 100% TO THE PRIZE FUND. IN ADDITION, THE LIUSBC AND SUNATION WILL ADD UP TO \$2,000 TO THE PRIZE FUND.

**HOW TO ENTER:** BOWLERS CAN PRE-REGISTER OR PRE-PAY ON-LINE AT WWW.LIUSBC.COM OR WALK-IN TO AMF GARDEN CITY 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO ANY SQUAD AND PAY ON-SITE. ALL ON-LINE ENTRIES MUST BE COMPLETED NO LATER THAN 2 HOURS PRIOR TO THE START OF THE TOURNAMENT. ENTRIES CLOSE AT THE START OF THE LAST QUALIFYING SQUAD (NOVEMBER 24TH AT 4PM.) IF YOU PRE-PAY AND FAIL TO BOWL YOU WILL FORFEIT YOUR ENTIRE ENTRY FEE UNLESS THE LIUSBC IS NOTIFIED AT LEAST 2 HOURS PRIOR TO THE START OF THE TOURNAMENT. ALL ENTRIES PAID WITH A CREDIT OR DEBIT CARD WILL INCUR A \$3 PROCESSING FEE PER ENTRY.

**FORMAT:** BOWLER'S COMPETE IN THEIR OWN AVERAGE DIVISION IN QUALIFYING AND FINALS. THERE ARE 4 AVERAGE DIVISIONS; 169 & UNDER/170-194/195-219/220+ (SCRATCH DIVISION). YOU MUST BOWL IN THE PROPER AVERAGE DIVISION. YOU CANNOT REQUEST TO BOWL IN A HIGHER OR LOWER AVERAGE DIVISION. YOU CAN CHOOSE ANY SQUAD YOU WANT TO BOWL AND CAN COMPETE IN AS MANY SQUADS AS YOU LIKE. EVERYONE WILL BOWL 3 GAMES ACROSS 6 LANES. TOTAL SCRATCH SCORE PLUS HANDICAP (80% OF 220) WILL DETERMINE A BOWLER'S POSITION. BOWLER'S ONLY COMPETE AGAINST ENTRANTS IN THEIR AVERAGE DIVISION WITH 1 IN 6 PER SQUAD ADVANCING TO THE FINALS AND GUARANTEED A MINIMUM OF \$100. THE HIGHEST SERIES FROM EACH DIVISION, FOR THE 3 SQUADS COMBINED, WILL EARN A BYE IN THE FINALS (SKIP THE FIRST ROUND) AND GUARANTEED TO EARN AT LEAST \$200.

**FINALS FORMAT:** ALL FINALISTS WILL BOWL AFTER THE LAST QUALIFYING ON SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24TH AROUND 7PM, IN THE SUNATION CLASSIFIED ELIMINATOR FINALS. ALL FINALISTS ARE GUARANTEED A MINIMUM OF \$100. THE FINALS WILL BE BY DIVISION WITH EACH ROUND BEING 1 GAME (WITH HANDICAP) AND THE TOP HALF EACH ROUND ADVANCING. IF THERE IS AN ODD NUMBER OF BOWLERS IN A DIVISION THE LARGER NUMBER WILL BE ELIMINATED, AND THE SMALLER NUMBER WILL ADVANCE. WHEN 1 BOWLER IS LEFT IN A DIVISION THEY WILL BE DECLARED THE DIVISION CHAMPION (MINIMUM \$500) AND BOWL AGAINST THE OTHER DIVISION CHAMPIONS IN A 4 BOWLER SHOOTOUT TO DETERMINE THE TOP 4 PRIZES.

**TIES:** IF THERE IS A TIE FOR A CUT SCORE (1 IN 6) THE BOWLER WITH THE HIGHEST HANDICAP GAME WILL ADVANCE AND THE BOWLER LOSING THE TIE WILL RECEIVE A FREE RE-ENTRY. IF THERE IS A TIE IN THE FINALS ALL TIED BOWLERS WILL ADVANCE TO THE NEXT ROUND AND THE SCORES BOWLED IN THE NEXT ROUND WILL BREAK THE TIE AND ALSO DETERMINE IF THE WINNER OF THE TIE ADVANCES TO THE NEXT ROUND. IF THERE IS A TIE IN THE ROUND PRIOR TO THE FINAL SHOOTOUT A 9TH/10TH FRAME ROLL OFF WILL BREAK THE TIE. IF THERE IS A TIE FOR THE BYE THE BOWLER WITH THE HIGHEST HANDICAP GAME WILL EARN THE BYE AND THE OTHER BOWLER WILL BEGIN THE FINALS IN THE FIRST ROUND.

**HANDICAP:** BOWLERS MUST USE THEIR HIGHEST 2018-2019 AVERAGE OF 21 GAMES OR MORE TO DETERMINE THEIR HANDICAP. WINTER AVERAGES TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER SUMMER AVERAGES. IF AN ENTRANT DOES NOT HAVE A CERTIFIED AVERAGE FROM 2018-2019, THEY CAN USE A CURRENT AVERAGE OF 21 GAMES OR MORE IF THEY BRING PROOF OF THAT AVERAGE (CURRENT LEAGUE STANDING SHEET.) IF A BOWLER DOES NOT HAVE AN AVERAGE THE TOURNAMENT CHAIRPERSON WILL ASSIGN AN AVERAGE. THE PRIZE FUND PAYOUT MAY BE DELAYED ALLOWING TIME TO VERIFY CONTESTANT AVERAGES. ALL ATTEMPTS WILL BE MADE TO VERIFY EVERYONE'S AVERAGE AT THE TOURNAMENT SITE.

**RULES:** USBC RULES WILL GOVERN THIS EVENT. TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CHECK BOWLING BALLS FOR CONFORMITY WITH USBC RULES. PROPER ATTIRE IS REQUESTED WITH TOURNAMENT MANAGEMENT HAVING FINAL AUTHORITY ON WHAT IS DEEMED APPROPRIATE CLOTHING. LANES WILL BE STRIPPED AND OILED PRIOR TO THE FIRST SQUAD. LANES WILL NOT BE OILED PRIOR TO THE FINALS. A MODIFIED HOUSE SHOT WILL BE USED. PARTICIPANTS MUST ALLOW LIUSBC TO USE THEIR LIKENESS IN THE FORM OF PHOTO OR VIDEO IN THE PROMOTION OF THE EVENT.