Michelle Turner-Billings Delaware Youth Classic

\$5000 added in Scholarship Prizes

(to the total tournament prize fund for all divisions based on 75 entries)

Sunday December 21st, 2025

Pleasant Hill Lanes

1001 West Newport Pike

Wilmington, DE 19804

302-998-8811

Sign up online at

www.JaybirdsProShop.com

Multiple age/gender divisions: Handicap singles event, 4 games on a modified house oil pattern on 1 pair of lanes.

Entry Fee: \$45. Optional Scratch \$10. Lanes will be re-oiled between shifts.

Divisions Check in / start time

Age 15 & over Girls	Age 15 & over Boys	8:30 am / 9:00 am
12 -14 Girls	12-14 Boys	12:30 pm / 1:00 pm
9-11 Girls	9-11 Boys	12:30 pm / 1:00 pm
8 & under Girls	8 & under Boys	8:30 am / 9:00 am

Bumper Division: Handicap singles event, 2 games, on 1 pair of lanes. Entry fee \$20

Bumpers	Girls & Boys	8:30 am / 9:00 am
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Bowling Ball raffles will be available

Raffle sales will be added to this tournament prize fund

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- 1. This tournament is certified by the United States Bowling Congress Youth (USBCY) and will be governed by the rules of USBC. All bowlers must be USBCY sanctioned and participating in a sanctioned USBCY Delaware youth league or USBC Maryland youth and bowling in a youth league at Millsboro Lanes, with a minimum of 15 games. DSUSBCY & MDUSBCY (Millsboro Lanes) Members Only.
- 2. Highest Current Average from the 2025/26 season will be used of December 5, 2025 with a minimum 15 games. To be eligible, you must be a USBCY youth bowler in a State of Delaware Youth League. Youth bowlers sanctioned through Maryland (Millsboro Lanes Only) are also eligible to bowl in this tournament. All bowlers will bowl in their current year age divisions. Age as of Dec 5, 2025. Bumpers boys and girls in 1 division, 8 Under, 9-11, 12-14 & 15 Over. (4 divisions each for boys and girls). Entries will not be accepted without full payment and average sheet. Please email a picture of Dec 6th league sheet, all pages, to: TMWelker03@gmail.com
- 3. Dress Code: Participants in the Tournament must be neat in appearance and meet the following dress code rules:
- a. Shirts Athletes must wear shirts that have a collar like golf or polo shirts. (Tee-shirts from a youth bowling program or USBC are acceptable)
 - b. Shirts must cover the entire midriff area or be tucked in.
 - c. Shorts and Skirts are allowed but must be no shorter than 2 inches above the knee.
- d. Advertisements on apparel or bowling equipment depicting alcohol, tobacco, and gambling or inappropriate language/gestures during tournament competition will not be allowed.
 - e. Pants must be worn at the waist or held there with a belt. Torn or cut jeans will not be allowed.
 - f. No hats of any kind are permitted. (Unless for religious reasons)
 - g. All clothing apparel must be the correct clothing size. (Ex if wear med shirt, do not wear xxxl shirt)
- h. Bowlers will be required to change if tournament officials deem attire inappropriate. Tournament director's decision will be final.
- 4. All bowlers must check in at tournament desk 30 minutes prior to the scheduled bowling start time. No Substitutions will be permitted.
- 5. Bowlers arriving late will begin play and the score will count beginning with the current frame then being bowled. Missed frames will be credited with a zero.
- 6. HANDICAP: 90% of 240.
- 7. SCORING: 2 games bumpers, 4 games all others, on same pair, with handicap. Highest score plus handicap will determine the winner.
- 8. TIES: If a tie occurs for first place, a roll-off of one full game will be rolled to break the tie.
- 9. Claims for errors in scoring or general playing rules must be made to the tournament director no later than 30 minutes after completion of the tournament. Questionable errors shall be decided upon by the tournament director before the awards are distributed. The decision of the tournament director will be final unless an appeal is made in accordance with rule 329. Each protest under this rule must be specific.
- 10. USBC SMART SF will manage the funds earned at this tournament. A scholarship will be awarded to the winner in each handicap division; Bumpers (boys and girls combined), 8 & Under, 9-11, 12-14, 15 & Over (boys and girls separated) 9 scholarships total. Added scholarship prizes will go into the entire tournament prize fund for all divisions; \$5000 added based on 75 entries. Prorated or additional scholarships may be awarded for less or more entries.
- 11. OPTIONAL SCRATCH DIVISION: There will be an optional scratch division with minimum of 5 bowlers per age bracket, 12 14 and 15 Over. Boys and Girls will be separated. In the case of the minimum number of bowlers (3 per division) is not met, then scratch division entry fees will be refunded. Highest 4 game scratch series will win a minimum \$50 scholarship.
- 12. The MTB Youth Tournament Committee reserves the right to accept or reject any participant.

All Matters not covered by these rules and regulations shall be determined by the Tournament Committee.

Make checks payable Jaybird's Pro Shop. There will be a \$40.00 service charge for check returned for any reason. ALL ENTRIES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.

Tournament Committee: Troy Welker (director), Jay Stephenson, & Charles Woodward

Entry Fees:	All other Divisions \$45.00
Bumpers \$20.00	Awards \$4.00
Lineage \$8.00 2 Games	Lineage 4 Games \$16.00
Awards \$4.00	Expenses \$5.00
Scholarship Fund \$8.00, Distributed 100%	Scholarship Fund \$20.00, Distributed 100%
	Optional Scratch Division \$10.00, Distributed 100%