

Wednesday Night PBA Experience League

Triway Lanes

2010-2011 League Rules

ALL NEW ITEMS FOR THIS SEASON IN BOLD

1. The Wednesday PBA Experience League is a 3-member men's league, open to both men and women.
2. The League will bowl on Wednesday nights beginning **September 8, 2010** and continue for **33** weeks ending **April 20, 2010**. (A double shift or two may be necessary to finish on time. Notice will be given in advance of the double shift(s))
 - a. **Roll-off** will be scheduled for **one week after the final league night** or another time agreed upon by the league
 - b. Dates skipped will be tentatively **Wooster City Tournament March 10, 2010**. **If tournament does not provide enough teams on Wednesday we will plan to bowl our normal league shift.**
3. League Officers:
 - a. President Jeff Mullen (2010)
 - b. Vice-President Vacant
 - c. Secretary/Treasure Triway Lanes 330.262.2451
4. Shadow balls will begin at 6:30pm and the league will begin at 6:40pm
5. League Costs:
 - a. Nightly league fees \$15.00 (\$8.75 for lineage, \$.50 for practice sessions, \$5.75 for the prize fund).
 - i. A one week grace period is allowed for your envelope to be caught up.
 - b. Sanction fees are \$15. If you bowl in another league, you will need to pay your standard membership through that league and pay to "upgrade to sport" through this league. If you are only bowling in this league you will be purchasing a "sport only" membership at \$30
 - c. Team sponsor fee will be \$75.00 due by the 3rd week of bowling.
6. Scoring/Handicap/Season Format
 - a. League bowlers will use 2007-2008 PBA Experience season ending average to begin the season. Those bowlers without a PBA Experience league average will use the USBC average adjustment chart based off their high house shot average in the 2007-2008 season as a base average then subtract 10 additional pins.
 - b. The season will be split into thirds, 11 weeks in each segment. Position rounds will be week 11, week 22 and week 33.
 - c. The PBA patterns will be used for a minimum of the first 11 weeks of the season. There may be additional sport patterns available to us shortly and we may be able to incorporate them into our schedule beginning with the second third of the season.
 - d. Each sport pattern will be bowled on for two weeks back-to-back before moving onto the next pattern. The schedule will go as follows:
 - i. **Viper – wk 1, 2,**
 - ii. **Scorpion – wk 3,4**
 - iii. **Chameleon – wk 5,6**
 - iv. **Cheetah – wk 7,8**
 - v. **Shark – 9,10**
 - vi. **Masters - available**
 - vii. **T.O.C. - available**
 - viii. **USBC - available**
 - e. **The team in first place will choose the pattern to bowl on for each position round (adopted 2010)**
 - f. Scoring will operate on a 21 point system
 - i. One (1) point will be awarded to individual games won head to head
 1. Three points total for each position in the lineup (9 points overall)
 - ii. One (1) point will be awarded to individual series won head to head
 1. One point for each position in lineup (3 points overall)

- iii. Two (2) points will be awarded to each team game won
 - 1. Six points overall
- iv. Three (3) points will be awarded to the team series winner
- g. Handicap will be figured for each individual bowler by taking the difference in their average and 200 and multiplying it by 100%
 - i. Ex: A 185 average bowler would receive 15 pins handicap per game
 - 1. $200 - 185 = 15$
 - ii. Any bowler with an average higher than or equal to 200 will receive 0 pins handicap per game.
- h. When bowling unopposed or a known forfeit situation (against a blind team) you must bowl within 10 pins of your average to win individual points and within 30 pins of the teams average to win the team points.
- i. When a bowler is absent, the blind score is figured by taking the absent bowlers average and subtracting 10 pins.
- j. The open substitute rule will apply.
- k. No pre-bowls allowed
- l. A 4th game will be bowled each night using the baker format. All normal league rules apply not covered here.
 - i. A separate season standings will be kept for the baker team games
 - ii. Team with the highest game will receive one point for every team in the league. 2nd highest will receive one less and so on.
 - iii. Teams may choose order of baker bowlers
 - iv. Bowler #1 will bowl frames 1,4,7,& first ball in tenth, Bowler#2 will bowl frames 2,5,8 & second ball in tenth, Bowler #3 will bowl frames 3,6,9 & last ball in tenth.
 - v. The baker season will be split into 11 week thirds
 - 1. Payout will be separate from normal league.
 - a. \$50 per man for the champions
 - b. \$25 per man for winning a third

7. Awards & Prizes

- a. An estimated prize fund and distribution will be assembled as quickly as possible after the start of the league

8. Miscellaneous

- a. Jackpot and brackets will be available nightly
- b. Practice sessions will be available each week on the upcoming PBA pattern

**** Lineage increase this year **(first increase in 5 years)**

28 wk – \$9.50

30 wk – \$9.25

32 wk – \$9.00

33 wk – \$8.75

Date Options for 2010-2011.

Holidays as follows: Labor Day – Mon. 9/6, Thanksgiving – Thur. 11/25, Xmas Eve – Fri. 12/24, Xmas – Sat. 12/25, New Yr Eve – Fri. 12/31, New Yr Day – Sat. 1/1, Easter – Sun. 4/24

Men's City Tournament (Held at Triway Lanes) February 12-20, 2011

9/8	9/15	9/22	9/29	10/6	10/13	10/20	10/27	11/3	11/10	11/17
11/24	12/1	12/8	12/15	12/22	12/29	1/5	1/12	1/19	1/26	2/2
2/9	2/16	2/23	3/2	3/9	3/16	3/23	3/30	4/6	4/13	4/20