

64th International
Bowling Tournament
Pittsburgh, PA – May 14th – 16th, 2010

Location:

Noble Manor Bowling Lanes
2440 Noblestown Road
Pittsburgh, PA, 15205
412-922-4622

Radisson Hotel Pittsburgh
101 Radisson Drive
Pittsburgh, PA 15205
412-922-8400

Hotel Rates for the Week:

Friday May 14th at \$90.00/night inclusive of applicable taxes
Saturday May 15th at \$90.00/night inclusive of applicable taxes

** There is a total of 80 rooms blocked for each night of the week. It is the responsibility of each member to contact the hotel and reserve his or her rooms. A one-night deposit will be required when you reserve your room and the balance will be required upon checkout. There are also rooms available for Thursday and Sunday nights, at the same rate.

** All rates are fixed and based on double occupancy.

Bowling Fees/Costs:

\$15.00 per event (includes bowling cost, tournament expense and prize money)

\$3.00 one time fee (additional cost) for anyone entering the all events competition

\$25.00 charge for Banquet, which will be held on Saturday May 15th

Bowling Schedule:

Team Competition – Friday May 14th at 5:30 pm and 8:15 pm

Doubles and Singles Competition – Saturday May 15th at 8:30 am and 12:30 pm

Sunday May 16th at 9:00 am (if needed)

Entry Form Deadline: All entries must be postmarked before April 8th, 2010

Home Mailing Address: Edward D. Moeller
2821 Waterman Ave Pittsburgh PA, 15227
Home # 412-881-3506

**TIMES FOR BOTH TEAM AND
DOUBLES/SINGLES ARE LISTED BELOW:**

TEAM EVENT: TWO SQUADS FRIDAY, MAY 14, 2010
 5:30 PM 8:15 PM

DOUBLES / TWO SQUADS SATURDAY, MAY 15, 2010
 SINGLES: 8:30 AM 12:30 PM

ONE SQUAD SUNDAY, MAY 16, 2010
 9:00 AM

SLOVAK CATHOLIC SOKOL

64TH ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Friday / Saturday/Sunday, May 14 -16, 2010

Noble Manor Bowling Lanes

2440 Noblestown Road
 Pittsburgh, PA USA 15205
 (412) 922-4622

*SANCTIONED BY THE USBC MORAL SUPPORT
 WITH HIGH SCORE RECOGNITION*

Indicate "X"				TEAM EVENT		WIBC ABC No.	POLICY No.	ASSEMBLY WREATH	CITY OR TEAM NAME:			
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MEN'S HANDICAP TOURNAMENT
TEAM: 1000 Scratch • DOUBLES: 400 • SINGLES: 200 Scratch
 Handicap will be 80% of the difference between 200 and the highest last season's 2008-2009 sanctioned league average of at least 21 games.
 Handicap will be limited to 100 pins per man per event.
 Bowlers having no average as of last season will use highest sanctioned league average of 21 games or more as of January 1, 2010. If the previous does not apply, the most recent 5-year history of Sokol tournament averages will be used, or the 175 standard average.

WOMEN'S HANDICAP TOURNAMENT
TEAM: 900 Scratch • DOUBLES: 360 • SINGLES: 180 Scratch
 Handicap will be 80% of the difference between 180 and the highest last season's 2008-2009 sanctioned league average of at least 21 games.
 Handicap will be limited to 100 pins per woman per event.
 Bowlers having no average as of last season will use highest sanctioned league average of 21 games or more as of January 1, 2010. If the previous does not apply, the most recent 5-year history of Sokol tournament averages will be used, or the 150 standard average.

Prize Fee (per person) _____ \$ **6.00** each event
 Cost of Bowling (per person) _____ **6.50** each event
 Tournament Expense (per person) _____ **2.50** each event
TOTAL _____ 15.00 each event
 All Events Handicap (Optional) _____ **3.00** extra
 Awards Banquet (Optional) _____ **25.00** per person

 Banquet & Bowling Entry _____ **\$ 73.00** per person

All remittances must be in form of Certified Cheque or Money Order IN U.S. FUNDS made payable to: **Slovak Catholic Sokol Sports Account**, c/o Edward Moeller, 2821 Waterman Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA (USA) 15227, Telephone (412) 881-3506.

PRIZE FEES WILL BE REFUNDED 100% IN PRIZES

Every contestant must be a member in good standing in the Slovak Catholic Sokol at least three (3) months Single Premium Life or one (1) year for all other policies, prior to tournament date.

POLICY HOLDERS - NO SOCIAL MEMBERS.

Every individual and captain of a team entry agrees to relinquish all rights to prize money if any information listed herein is false.

Each team captain agrees to abide by Slovak Catholic Tournament rules and regulations prescribed by the USBC, and listed on the reverse hereof.

CAPTAIN: _____
 SIGNATURE DATE TEL. #

ASSEMBLY/WREATH PRESIDENT: _____
 SIGNATURE DATE

NOTICE

As mandated by the 2003 Convention, ALL Entry Forms must be completed properly. Each Bowler must have a Slovak Catholic Sokol Insurance Policy Number listed or Bowling Application will be returned. Policy must be in good standing at time of entry.

If Bowler does not have a USBC card, cost for membership is \$21.00 .
 "Participation only" fee is \$5.00 per participant.

READ THESE RULES CAREFULLY

The purpose and aim of our organization in sponsoring annual bowling championships is to promote good sportsmanship, fraternalism and national interest in the Slovak Catholic Sokol.

As you know, each year the Supreme Assembly, recognizing the great importance of bowling in our organization, donated \$55.00 to the prize fund for each team entry entered in the National Tournament. This financial contribution on the part of our organization is added to the regular prize fee of \$180.00 per team collected by the bowlers. All prize fees collected will be refunded 100% in prizes.

In order to successfully operate our tournaments, we must have cooperation and exact adherence to all entry rules and regulations which govern teams and individuals.

Please read these rules carefully. Do not overlook any detail. Comply with all requests at time entry blank is being filled out and when sending it in with the proper money order, certified cheque or bank draft. Be sure you have the bowlers affidavits as of all sanctioned league averages for 21 games or more in accordance with our rules governing averages. This will speed up the mailing of prizes after results have been checked. Remember that false information will result in forfeiture of all rights to prizes.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Slovak Catholic Sokol Championship Tournament is open to all members of our organization, both male and female (no juniors) who are in good standing and have been members for at least (3) three months SPL or (1) one year for all other policies, prior to the date of tournament with a minimum of \$3000.00 coverage. Policy Holders - no Social Members. As mandated by the 2007 Convention, all new members enrolled after January 1, 2008 will require a new minimum of \$5,000.00 of insurance coverage to participate in the 2010 program.

2a. All members of the competing teams must be members of the same Assembly or Wreath. There is no limit to the number of teams from each Assembly or Wreath.

2b. An Assembly or Wreath not having enough bowlers to make up a team may combine with another Assembly or Wreath to make up a team.

3. Doubles teams may be from any Assembly or Wreath for both Men and Women Divisions.

4. All participants must be certified by the respective Assembly or Wreath Financial Secretary and may enter only once for each division.

5. High Score recognition automatically extended to USBC members. Eligible nonmembers can qualify for high score recognition at their option by paying a \$5.00 participation fee. Affiliated membership is \$21.00.

6. There will be at least one prize for each (10) ten entries in each event, and each (20) twenty entries for All-Events for Men and Women.

7. All-Events (optional), shall be handicap. This prize fund is a separate entry (\$3.00) and no tournament expense fee is assessed for this. Only those entrants paying this fee are eligible. Please indicate All-Events entries by placing an "X" before names in Team Entry space on Entry Form side.

8. Prize fee will be \$6.00 per bowler per event. Cost of bowling and tournament expenses \$9.00 per bowler per event. Total = \$15.00 per event.

9. No entry money will be returned for any reason. All prize fee money plus \$55.00 per team.

10. The United States Bowling Congress rules and regulations apply to all bowlers.

11. The Championship in both Men's and Women's Divisions will receive individual trophies. Winning team members will receive individual trophies. In the event of a tie for champi-

onship, lowest team handicap will receive trophies, cash prizes will be divided equally.

12a. Handicap (Men) allowed will be 80% of the difference between 200 and last season's 2008-2009 highest sanctioned league average of at least 21 games. Bowlers who have no established average will use their highest sanctioned league average of at least 21 games as of Jan. 1, 2010. A male bowler whose current average of 21 games or more at time of entry is (10) pins or more higher than the previous season's average must use his current average. Male bowlers who have no established average for this year or last year will be listed as 175 average and will be handicapped accordingly. Handicap will be limited to 100 pins per man per event. If the bowler does not have a sanctioned average over the last two years, the most recent 5 year history of Sokol tournaments will be used. If none of the above apply, the average of 175 for men will be used.

12b. All participants will be governed by rating requirements of ABC-WIBC Rule 319e. Average to be adjusted accordingly. Failure to use the current average shall disqualify score if submitted average is lower than correct average thereby resulting in a lower classification of more handicap. Prize winnings shall be based on the submitted average if it is higher. However corrections in averages may be permitted up to the completion of the first game of a series.

12c. Handicap (Women) allowed will be 80% of the difference between 180 and last season's 2008-2009 highest sanctioned league average of at least 21 games. Bowlers who have no established average will use their highest sanctioned league average of at least 21 games as of Jan. 1, 2010. A female bowler whose current average of 21 games or more at time of entry is (10) pins or more higher than the previous season's average must use her current average. Female bowlers who have no established average for this year or last year will be listed as 150 average and will be handicapped accordingly. Handicap will be limited to 100 pins per woman per event. If the bowler does not have a sanctioned average over the last two years, the most recent 5 year history of Sokol tournaments will be used. If none of the above apply, the average of 150 for women will be used.

14. Teams wishing to bowl all nine games as Team, Double and Singles in one day or a specific day or time must submit that request at time of entry.

15. List team names in order of lineup to bowl. The USBC substitute rule will be used in the event it is necessary. Average certification must accompany entry form.

16. All teams must bowl according to the published schedule. In order to ensure your choice of schedule time, send entries in early.

17. Bowlers have 48 hours from completion of tournament to notify manager of error in score.

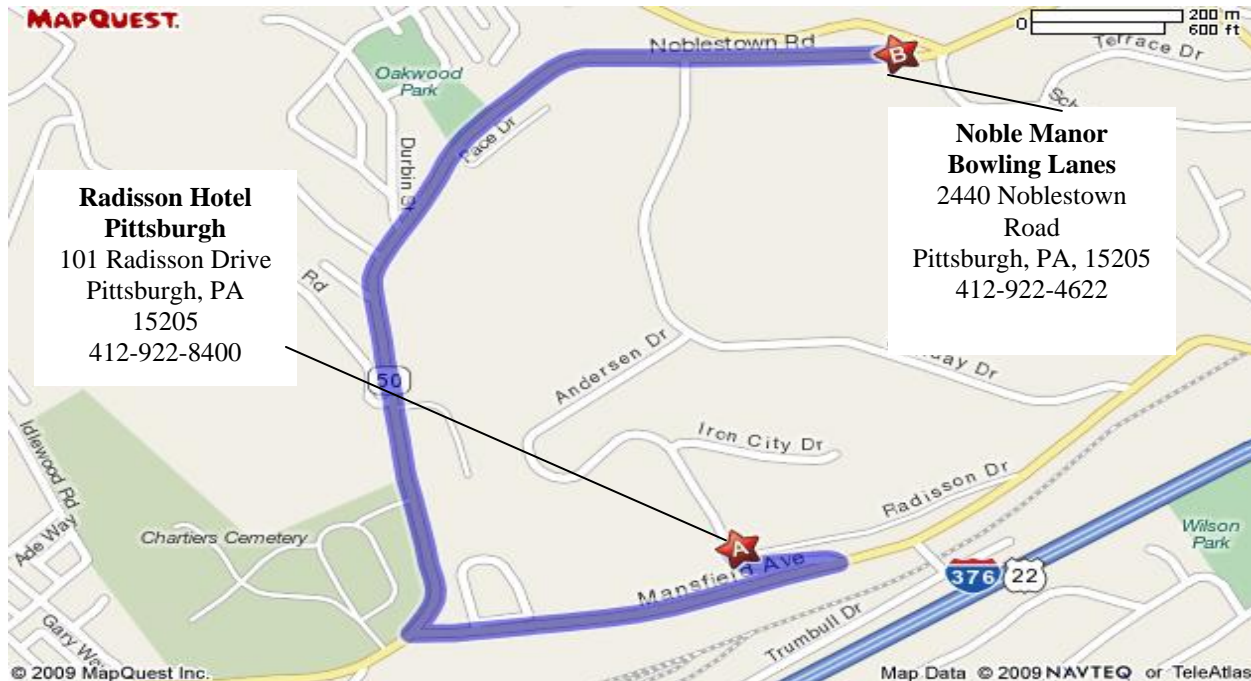
18. Every consideration will be granted to request date/time preferences for out-of-town teams and individual bowlers. The success of the tournament depends upon all participants.

19. Bowlers need not report information as required by USBC (Rule 319d provision) for tournament prize winnings.

**ENTRIES CLOSE
MIDNIGHT, APRIL 8, 2010**

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Map and Directions



From the East: (Reading Area)

I-76 W / Pennsylvania Turnpike. Merge on I-376 W/ US-22 W via Exit 57 toward Pittsburgh. Take the PA-121 N Exit 67 toward Crafton. Turn Left onto Mansfield Ave/ PA-121/ Blue Belt. Continue to follow Mansfield Ave. Turn Slight Right onto Andersen Dr. Turn Right onto Radisson Dr.

From the West: (Cleveland Area)

I-76 E/ Pennsylvania Turnpike. Merge onto I-79 S via Exit 28 toward Pittsburgh. Merge onto I-376 E/US-22 E/US-30 E via Exit 59A toward Pittsburgh. Take the PA-121 Exit, Exit 67, toward Green Tree/ Mt. Lebanon. Turn Left onto PA-121/Greentree Road/Blue Belt. Turn Left onto Mansfield Ave/ PA-121/ Blue Belt. Continue to follow Mansfield Ave. Turn Slight Right onto Andersen Dr. Turn Right onto Radisson Dr.

From the North: (Toronto Area)

Go I-90 West, Merge onto I-79 S via Exit 22A toward Pittsburgh. Merge onto I-376 E/US-22 E/US-30 E via Exit 59A toward Pittsburgh. Take the PA-121 Exit, Exit 67, toward Green Tree/ Mt. Lebanon. Turn Left onto PA-121/Greentree Road/Blue Belt. Turn Left onto Mansfield Ave/ PA-121/ Blue Belt. Continue to follow Mansfield Ave. Turn Slight Right onto Andersen Dr. Turn Right onto Radisson Dr.