

ALL BOWLERS WELCOME—NO MEMBERSHIP FEE!

SEASON 16

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The Long Island Generations Bowling Tour

PRESENT A SPECIAL EVENT

The Ultimate
DOUBLES
HANDICAP TOURNAMENT

SUNDAY, JULY 28, 2024

1 SQUAD: 1PM START

HOSTED BY AMF E. MEADOW

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\$2,000 1ST • \$1,000 2ND

GUARANTEED WITH 60 FULLY PAID TEAMS

4-GAMES ACROSS 8 LANES/HANDICAP 90% OF 220/NO FINALS

ALL DOUBLES COMBINATIONS ALLOWED (MAX IS 440)

1 IN 6 FULLY PAID TEAMS CASH FOR A MINIMUM OF \$200

YOU CAN HAVE UNLIMITED NUMBER OF DOUBLES PARTNERS • CASH MULTIPLE TIMES

ENTRY FEE: \$160 PER TEAM/\$80 PER BOWLER

ADDITIONAL TEAMS: \$80 EACH/\$40 PER BOWLER

**EXTRA
DOUBLES
TEAMS:
ONLY \$40
PER BOWLER!**

**HUGE SIDE
ACTION!**

**\$5 HANDICAP BRACKETS • \$10 HANDICAP POTS
\$10 HANDICAP ELIMINATOR**

**NEED A
PARTNER?
WE HAVE
ONE FOR YOU!**

SIGN UP NOW! DON'T GET SHUT OUT! WALK-INS WELCOMED!

SIGN UP AT WWW.LIGBTOUR.COM OR CALL STEVE @ 516.637.5955

THE ULTIMATE DOUBLES RULES & FORMAT (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

Welcome to an LGBT Handicap Doubles Tournament. Last season our six doubles events averaged over 80 teams per tournament. The Ultimate Doubles is a fun handicap tournament with significant prize money featuring affordable entry fees. If you want to learn more about our handicap doubles events, please visit ligbtour.com or call 516.637.555.

What makes The Ultimate Handicap Doubles tournament so special is you can partner with as many bowlers as you like, as long as each of your extra partners is already on an original doubles team. You can cash with each doubles team you are on, and the cost of your extra doubles teams is discounted to \$80 (a 50% savings from the original team entry fee.)

ENTRY FEE: Your original 2-person team entry fee is \$160 or \$80 per bowler. \$80 Entry Fee Breakdown: \$21 lineage/\$9 expenses/\$50 prize money - 100% returned. Any additional doubles teams you want to form the entry fee is reduced to \$80 or \$40 per bowler. NOTE: All extra doubles teams created must be done on-site and cannot pre-register. All entries paid with a credit/debit card will incur a \$3 per bowler convenience fee.

HOW TO PAY: We offer several options to pay the team entry (individual entry fees not accepted): 1. Go to ligbtour.com and enter on-line. 2. Pay with Zelle (516.637.5955) 3. Pay by Venmo (@ligbt). You can also pay on-site with cash or credit/debit card. A \$3 per bowler convenience fee will be added for all entries paying with a credit/debit card.

REFUNDS: Anyone prepaying and does not bowl will be entitled to a full refund (minus credit card fees) as long as the tournament director is notified prior to the start of the tournament. Once a bowler starts scoring no refunds will be issued for any reason.

ELIGIBILITY: This is an open event--all bowlers are welcome. Youth bowlers are permitted to participate but may jeopardize their amateur status since this is not a singles event. If a youth bowler is on a team that cashes their prize money will be added to their SMART account.

AVERAGE/HANDICAP: LGBT bowlers will use their latest house shot average. Non-members will have their average determined by using their highest 2-year composite average. All individual handicaps are based on 90% of 220. Bowlers without an average listed on BOWL.com must provide proof of average (league sheet) or will bowl scratch. The doubles team handicap is the sum of the two individual handicaps. The LGBT reserves the right to re-rate any bowler if their average doesn't represent their true ability.

TEAM MAKE-UP: Teams may consist of any 2 bowlers but cannot exceed a team maximum of 440. When determining the maximum, you use a non-LGBT bowler's highest composite average the past 2 years, and LGBT bowler's latest house shot average listed on our website.

FORMAT: All teams bowl 4-games, on the house shot, and move just once; after game 2. The 4-game team handicap total will determine final prize fund position. There is no final.

GUARANTEES: The winning doubles team will earn \$2,000 with 60 fully paid teams. All extra teams will count as a half entry due to the lower entry fee. When determining the number of teams that cash, and the final payout, all original teams plus every extra double's team divided by 2, will determine final payout and number of teams that cash. One in 6 fully paid teams will cash for a minimum team prize of \$200.

SIDE ACTION: Brackets, handicap pots, and a handicap eliminator will be offered.

ADDITIONAL RULES: USBC rules apply when not covered by LGBT rules which are posted on LIGBTOUR.com. All bowling balls will be permitted at this competition. Tournament directors will have final say on all rule decisions.

CODE OF CONDUCT: All entrants are required to act "professionally" when competing in LGBT events. Offensive language and apparel are not allowed and can be a cause for suspension from future tournaments. Anyone that is not "sober" will be requested to leave the bowling center. Any LGBT member speaking negatively about the LGBT on any social media platform will be barred for life from future LGBT events.