



**Fuzzy Shimada Memorial Tournament
September 19th & 20th, 2009**

Dear Bowler(s):

The San Jose Nisei Bowling Association invites you to participate in the 2009 Fuzzy Shimada Memorial Tournament at 4th Street Bowl in San Jose, CA. The tournament will be held on September 19th & 20th, 2009. We will be hosting Generation No-Tap Doubles, Mixed Trios, Open Team (any 5 person), and Doubles Events. The maximum entries per squad are as follows: Generation No-Tap – 39, Team – 28, Doubles -39, Mixed Trios – 26.

For the first time ever, the SJNBA in conjunction with Off the Sheet Pro Shop will be hosting bowling ball demos during the tournament. This will allow bowlers an opportunity to get advice from our local professional bowlers on the tournament shot. There will also be opportunities to throw some of the latest equipment from Hammer and other bowling ball distributors. Starting with 2009, SJNBA will be establishing a tournament average for future participants. Our goal is to provide an even playing field for all bowlers regardless of where the bowler has established their sanctioned average. The lane pattern will be displayed on the SJNBA web site and posted during the tournament. The tournament shot will be available for practice on the weekend of September 12th and 13th at 4th Street Bowl. If you are interested in participating, please email ksjeung@gmail.com. Bowlers will no longer be required to submit average verification (Rule #8).

To cut down on postal and printing expenses to the bowlers, we will be establishing an email and contacts list. We would like to ask for your assistance in obtaining this contact information from each bowler so that we may send entries and schedules via email moving forward in 2010. We will continue to provide limited paper entries to bowling establishments where leagues are hosted. Tournament entries will also be posted on the SJNBA website: <http://www.sjnba.com/>.

Beginning this year, the SJNBA would like to use select proceeds from our money tree raffle to benefit local non-profit organizations such as the Yu-Ai-Kai Senior Center and Nisei junior bowling programs. We will be asking local establishments/businesses for raffle donations. If you'd like to make a donation, please contact us.

We hope to see you in September!!!

Sincerely,

Two handwritten signatures in black ink. The first signature is 'Karen Jeung' and the second is 'Brandon Hirata'. Both are written in a cursive, flowing style.

Karen Jeung & Brandon Hirata
Tournament Directors

FUZZY SHIMADA MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT RULES

1. Open to all:
 - A. Nisei/Nikkei bowlers.
 - B. Non-Nisei/Nikkei married to a Nisei/Nikkei (put maiden name on entry in parenthesis)
 - C. Non-Nisei/Nikkei members of a Nisei/Nikkei league or association
 - C1. A non-Japanese who has bowled at least 21 games of the scheduled winter 2008-2009 in a recognized Nisei/Nikkei League shall be eligible for tournament play and must submit league sheets with entry.
2. Nikkei is an individual of Japanese ancestry.
3. This tournament shall be sanctioned under USBC rule 301a. (Moral Support Tournament.) Unless otherwise specified. USBC rules and regulations will govern situations not covered by the tournament rules. Participants must be USBC members to qualify for USBC awards.
4. Tournament entering averages shall be:
 - A. Highest 2008-2009 book average, if none:
 - B. Highest 2007-2008 book average, if none:
 - C. Highest 2009 sanctioned summer league average 21 games or more as of tournament deadline. (Proof must be furnished.)
 - D. A bowler who has only a USBC youth average and is currently bowling in an adult league may bowl if they meet all the eligibility requirements and qualify under rule 4C in the adult league. Entering average will be the higher of rule 4C or highest 2008-2009 USBC youth book average.
 - E. If none of the above, bowlers must bowl scratch: 220 for men and 220 for women. Minimum average is 150 for men and 125 for women.
5. Except where noted the following will apply to all participants:
 - A. USBC Rules 319a (1) (3) and (5) APPLY. Rule 319a (2) and (4) does not apply. USBC 319c & 319d does apply. USBC 319e does not apply
6. Handicap shall be based on 80% of 220 for men and women individually.
7. USBC members and nonmembers may participate in a Moral Support sanctioned tournament with award recognition automatically extended to USBC members. Eligible nonmembers may qualify for USBC award recognition at their option by paying a fee of \$21 for which the respective Congress will issue an affiliated membership card.
8. Average verification is not required. Bowlers are responsible for ensuring that current USBC average listed on www.bowl.com is correct. Bowlers with unverified averages will be adjusted to 220 for men and women. Any misrepresentation of averages is subject to disqualification from the tournament.
9. Tournament committee decisions will be final. Appeals must be made in accordance with USBC Rule 329.
10. Prize list shall be posted before the start of the tournament. 100% prize list shall be paid and distributed within 30 days of close of tournament. Ratio of prize fund will be at least one per eight entries.
11. Entry form not completely filled in or not properly signed shall be rejected. Entry fee must accompany all entries.
12. In case of a first place tie in any event cash prize will be divided equally.
13. Open team shall consist of five bowlers of any gender. There will only be ONE prize fund. No separate men, women or mixed prize fund.
14. Entrants may bowl in multiple doubles squads (Combination: one man, one woman; two men; or two women). Cash only once with the same partner.
15. Mixed trio teams shall consist of three bowlers with at least one woman per team but no more than two women (Combination 2 men 1 woman or 2 women 1 man). Cash only once with the same partners.
16. Generation No-Tap Mixed Doubles shall consist of at least one senior (60 years or older). Non-senior bowler's handicap will be based on 80% of 220 and senior's handicap will be based on 100% of 220. (Combination: one senior, one non-senior or two seniors). Cash only once with the same partner. List woman bowler first on entry.
17. Bowlers must bowl in the order listed. Substitutes must bowl in the position of the original bowler.
18. Bowlers must report at least thirty (30) minutes before squad time to check-in and report any substitutions on the roster. No changes in the order of bowling shall be permitted.
19. Out-of-town entrants shall have time preference. Bowlers within a 75-mile radius will be considered local and those entries with the earliest postmark shall have time preference.
20. All bowlers shall be properly attired and live to the good sportsmanship that Nikkei bowlers have established.
21. TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS RESERVE THE RIGHT TO RE-ADJUST ANY BOWLER. Bowler shall be notified before he/she bowls. If re-adjustment is not accepted entry fee shall be refunded after the conclusion of the tournament.
22. One lane courtesy will be observed.
23. Tournament Directors reserves the right to add, delete, or alter squads; however, no squad may be added after the final advertised squad on Sept 20, 2009.
24. Late arrivals must bowl from frame in progress.
25. The closing date for the tournament entries is by midnight August 21st, 2009. Entries postmarked the first business day following the entry closing date shall be accepted.

Fuzzy Shimada Memorial Tournament
Hosted By: SJNBA
September 19st & 20th 2009
Entry Deadline: Friday, August 21th, 2009

USBC Sanctioned

Held at:
 4th Street Bowl
 1441 N. 4th Street
 San Jose, CA 95112
 408.453.5555

Send to: Karen Jeung
 241 W. Maude Ave #6
 Sunnyvale, CA 94085
 408.398-9394
ksjeung@gmail.com

Generation No-Tap Mixed Doubles - \$44 per doubles team**

| Bowler Name: (List woman bowler first) | Eligibility* (a,b,c) | Entering Avg. | | USBC # | Association | Senior (Y/N) |
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Mixed Trios - \$66 per trios team**

| Bowler Name: | Eligibility* (a,b,c) | Entering Avg. | | USBC# | Association | Squad |
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 ** See Rule 15

Team Captain Contact Information:

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone: _____ Email _____

For Tournament Use Only

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| Entry #: _____ | Date: _____ |
| Check Rec'd \$ _____ | Check #: _____ |
| Cash Rec'd \$ _____ | Total Rec'd: \$ _____ |

Open Team - \$110 per team**

Team Name:

| Bowler Name: | Eligibility* (a,b,c) | Entering Avg. | | USBC # | Association |
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** See Rule 13

Doubles - \$44 per doubles team**

| Bowler Name: | Eligibility* (a,b,c) | Entering Avg. | | USBC# | Association | Squad |
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** See Rule 14

Saturday

Squad

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| 1. Generation No-Tap Mixed Doubles | 9:30am |
| 2. Mixed Trios | 11:00am |

Oiling

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| 3. Mixed Trios | 1:30pm |
| 4. Doubles | 3:30pm |

Oiling

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| 5. Open Team | 6:30pm |
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Sunday

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| 6. Doubles | 10:30am |
| 7. Mixed Trios | 12:30am |
| 8. Doubles | 2:30pm |

Entry Fee:

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| Prize Fund: | \$11.00 | Please Make Checks |
| Lineage: | \$9.00 | Payable to: |
| Expenses: | \$2.00 | SJNBA |
| Total | \$22.00 | |

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| No-Tap | _____ | x \$44 | = _____ |
| Mixed Trios | _____ | x \$66 | = _____ |
| Open Team | _____ | x \$110 | = _____ |
| Doubles | _____ | x \$44 | = _____ |
| Total | | | = _____ |

Fuzzy Shimada Memorial Tournament Contacts List:

Bowler Name: _____

Email Address: _____

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