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Open to all
ages

Hill-Botter Memorial Scholarship Tournament

November 16, 2025 9:00 AM and 1:00 PM

Please Select Choice of Squad

Hijinx, 3102 Shelby Dr, Jonesboro, AR 72404 (870) 972-5270

Entries must be postmarked no later than

November 3, 2025

(No entries will be accepted at the tournament site)

_____ 9:00 AM

_____ 1:00 PM

Name	USBC ID Number
Address	City State ZIP
Telephone	Year of Graduation
Date Of Birth	Average—Please notate if sport or challenge
Association/Bowling Center	Parent's Email Address

Venmo payments will be accepted with a 2% fee. To pay by Venmo, please provide your Venmo acct. and an invoice for payment will be sent to you.

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Averages: Bowlers are to use highest 2024-2025 season final average of 18 games or higher. Any bowler without a 2024-2025 season average will use current 2025-2026 season average of 12 games or more as of November 16, 2025. We will adjust averages for sport or challenge leagues as designated by USBC. See Rule 6 for full details. Please indicate if this is a Sport or Challenge.

Bowlers are allowed to enter both scratch and handicap events this year. Your four-game total will be applied to both scratch and handicap events.

Girls Handicap—required	Boys Handicap—required	Girls Scratch—optional	Boys Scratch—optional
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Mail entries to:

Nancy Burrow, Tournament Director
3 Ann Loop
Conway, AR 72032
(501) 680-3607
Tournaments.arkansasusbc@gmail.com

Entry Fee: \$30.00

Lineage: \$20.00

Awards: \$7.00

Expense: \$3.00

Optional Scratch event: \$10.00

Total for Both: \$40.00

Make check payable to: Arkansas State USBC, include child's name on form of payment.

\$25 return check fee if payment is returned.

Added scholarship money will be based on number of entries

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Tournament Rules

1. This tournament is open to all Arkansas State youth bowlers who compete in a USBC certified league within the state of Arkansas. The tournament will be certified by USBC. The USBC youth code of ethics shall prevail. No smoking or any form of tobacco or E-cigs will be permitted during competition. All bowlers must wear suitable attire. Please refer to the tournament dress code flyer.
2. This will be a one-day event scheduled for November 16, 2025, with squads at 9:00AM and 1:00PM. Check-in will begin at 8:15 AM and 12:15 PM. The tournament will be held at Hijinx, 3102 Shelby Dr, Jonesboro, AR 72404 (870) 972-5270.
3. Entries must be postmarked no later than Monday, November 3, 2025. The Arkansas State USBC will not be responsible for entries lost in the mail. No entries will be accepted at the tournament site.
4. There will be 4 handicap divisions 11 and under boys and girls, 12 and over boys and girls. There will be 4 scratch divisions boys and girls 11 and under and 12 and over.
5. This is a singles handicap event, with an optional virtual scratch event. Bowlers are limited to one entry. If a bowler enters both scratch and handicap the entrant will pay just the \$10 prize fund fee for the scratch event. A bowler will be allowed to earn scholarships and awards in both divisions. Tournament format requires bowling a four (4) game set. All games will be bowled on the same pair lanes. In the event of a tie the scholarship dollars awarded will be added and divided equally.
6. Scholarship amounts will be determined during the competition. Scholarships will be awarded on a ratio of at least 1 in every 5 entries or major fraction per division. In a division where the number of bowlers does not exceed 5, that division will no longer exist; therefore, the bowler has a choice of selecting the division in which they bowl. (Example: in the girl's scratch division, the number of girls is 3; therefore, the girl's scratch division will no longer exist. The 3 girls can either opt to bowl in like division, boy's scratch or girl's handicap.) All scholarships will be submitted to the USBC "Smart Program."
7. Handicaps will be based on the bowler's highest 18 game or more final certified league average from the 2024-2025 season. A bowler without 18 game or more final average shall use their highest 12 games or more league average as of November 16, 2025. If no 2024-2025 average is available, a league average/standing sheet as of November 16, 2025 with 12 games or more must be submitted with entry. All bowlers are responsible for providing average verification. Handicap will be 90% of the difference between the bowler's average and 230. Anyone not having an established average or failing to provide verification will have to bowl in scratch. Tournament director reserves the right to re-rate a bowler if deemed necessary. Bowlers participating in either a sport/challenge league shall have their averages adjusted using the USBC sport or challenge average adjustment scale. If a bowler has both a standard and sport bowling average, the higher of the standard or adjusted sport/challenge average will be used.
8. Any rule not covered will be decided by the tournament director and/or members of the Youth Committee present at the tournament. Appeals or protests must be filed in writing within 72 hours.
9. Bowlers arriving late shall begin play and the score shall count beginning with the frame being bowled. Missed frames shall be credited with a zero. Frames may not be made-up. A bowler not present to bowl when it's their turn will be credited with a zero for that frame. All rules not listed herein will be in accordance with USBC rules and regulations.
10. Venmo payments will be accepted with a 2% fee. There will be a \$25 returned check fee that must be paid before you will be allowed to bowl.

Check-in will be at 8:15 AM and 12:15 PM start scoring at 9:00 AM and 1:00 PM

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