



# 21st SLETBA OPEN

## Tenpin Bowling Championships

October 7 to 15, 2017 at Sta. Lucia East Grand Mall Bowling Center, Cainta, Rizal

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

#### 1. ORGANIZATION AND ELIGIBILITY

The Tournament is organized by the Sta. Lucia East Tenpin Bowling Association (SLETBA). It will be held on Oct 7 to 15, 2017 at the Sta. Lucia East Grand Mall Bowling Center, Marcos Highway, Cainta, Rizal. Bowlers/members of Affiliated Local Bowling Associations of PBC and other legitimate Local or Foreign bowling associations are qualified to join. For other rules, regulations, and disputes that may not be covered herein, FIQ/WTBA rules shall be applied.

#### 2. AVERAGES

Latest PBC or PBF average of bowlers will be used for classification purposes. Those without a PBC or PBF average may present an average certification from their association signed by the President or Secretary; otherwise and average of 186 and 196 for female and male bowlers respectively will be given. The Tournament Director has the discretion to assign or change bowlers' classification or averages as he may deem necessary.

#### 3. FORMAT:

SINGLES TOURNAMENT, in 3 Divisions, HANDICAPPING.(see Handicapping Chart on last page)  
Highest score of any bowler is 300 inclusive of hdcp.

#### 4. CLASSIFICATIONS:

- GROUP 1** Male and Female bowlers regardless of average. Members of Philippine/Youth/ (**GROUP** Team/Pool (men and ladies) from 2015 up to the present automatically classified in this Group and their handicap for male is zero and 8 to ladies.  
Additional 2 HDCP for PWD.
- GROUP 2** Male and Female Bowlers with PBC average of 185 and below.  
Additional 2 HDCP for PWD.
- SENIOR MASTERS** Male and Female bowlers regardless of average, and who are at least 50 Years old on or before Dec 31, 2017 are qualified to join in this category.  
Additional 2 HDCP for PWD plus age HDCP.  
Drivers' License or DSWD I.D. Must be presented.
- MIGRATION:** Any qualified bowler can play in any higher division/group , subject to the Maximum hdcp limits of the migrated group.

#### 5. REGISTRATION:

All entries must be registered and submitted with the relevant fees starting on October 7, 2017 at the Sta. Lucia East Bowling Center, in Cainta Rizal. No refunds will be allowed. For charge accounts, prior arrangements with the Secretariat must be made upon registration. All Events fees or any set fees must be paid in full regardless of whether games have been completed or not.

All participants may be requested to leave cell numbers for confirmation of FINALS' ATTENDANCE.

**6. FEES:**

**REGISTRATION FEE:** Php 2,800.00 inclusive of the following:

2 qualifying sets of 3 games each

**RETRIES:**

Singles - Php 600.00 per set of 3 games

SINGLES DOUBLE -UP - Simultaneous qualifying in 2 Divisions

Add: Php 300.00 per set of 3 games.

**FINALS FEES:**

GROUP 1 (33 finalists)	Php 3,300.00	10 games
GROUP 2 (33 finalists)	Php 3,000.00	8 games
SENIORS (33 finalists)	Php 3,000.00	8 games

**7. SCHEDULES /QUALIFYING /FINALS:**

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QUALIFYING SQUAD TIME/SCHEDULES FOR SINGLES-DOUBLES-TEAM-FINALS														
Date	Day	10am	11am	12NN	1pm	2pm	3pm	4pm	5pm	6pm	7pm	8pm	9pm	10pm
7-Oct	SAT	OPENING CEREMONY & REGISTRATION			SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	OILING	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE
8-Oct	SUN		SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	OILING	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE
9-Oct	MON		SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	OILING	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE
10-Oct	TUE		SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	OILING	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE
11-Oct	WED		SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	OILING	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE
12-Oct	THU		SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	OILING	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE
13-Oct	FRI		SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	OILING	FINALS - SENIOR Reg.5pm Roll-off 6pm				SINGLE
14-Oct	SAT	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	OILING	FINALS GROUP 2 Reg.2pm Roll-off 3pm				SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE
15-Oct	SUN	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	SINGLE	OILING	FINALS GROUP 1 Reg.2pm Roll-off 3pm				CLOSING CEREMONY			

**FINALS EVENTS:**

**GROUP 1**

Top 33 qualifiers (1 seeded) will play 10 games series with lane movement every game and positioning in the last game. Top 5 bowlers with the highest Total Pinfalls plus handicaps if any, shall be declared winners.

**GROUP 2**

Top 33 qualifiers will play 8 games series with lane movement every game and positioning in the last game. Top 5 bowlers with the highest Total Pinfalls plus handicaps if any, shall be declared winners.

**SENIOR MASTERS**

Top 33 qualifiers will play 8 games series with lane movement every game and positioning in the last game. Top 5 bowlers with the highest Total Pinfalls plus handicaps if any, shall be declared winners.

**NOTE: IN THE FINALS, NO BOWLER SHALL BE ALLOWED TO PLAY ALONE IN A PAIR OF LANES. PACER/S MAY BE PROVIDED BY THE TOURNAMENT ORGANIZERS WHENEVER NECESSARY.**

**8. PRIZES:**

**SINGLES-** Top 3 BOWLERS WITH THE HIGHEST 2 SETS OF 3 GAMES EA. INCLUSIVE OF HDCP.

**SINGLES EVENT**

	<b>GROUP 1</b>	<b>GROUP 2</b>	<b>GROUP 3</b>
CHAMPION	Php 3,000.00	Php 3,000.00	Php 3,000.00
1st Runner-Up	Php 2,000.00	Php 2,000.00	Php 2,000.00
2nd Runner-Up	Php 1,000.00	Php 1,000.00	Php 1,000.00

**MASTERS EVENTS**

	<b>CHAMPION</b>	<b>1st Runner-Up</b>	<b>2nd Runner-Up</b>	<b>3RD Runner-up</b>	<b>4th Runner-up</b>
<b>GROUP 1</b>	Php 50,000.00	Php 25,000.00	Php 12,500.00	Php 7,500.00	Php 5,000.00
<b>GROUP 2</b>	Php 50,000.00	Php 25,000.00	Php 12,500.00	Php 7,500.00	Php 5,000.00
<b>GROUP 3</b>	Php 50,000.00	Php 25,000.00	Php 12,500.00	Php 7,500.00	Php 5,000.00
<b>Plus TROPHIES up to 2nd Runners-up</b>					

**PERFECT GAME**

**Php 10,000.00 to be divided equally among the Perfect 300 bowlers.**

## **9. UNIFORMS**

Bowlers must wear the generally accepted bowling uniforms reflective of their association, congresses, federation, club or sponsor. Any bowling uniform shall be allowed, except sleeveless and collarless T-shirts. Shorts are allowed for male participants during qualifying days but not in the finals. Wearing of caps or hats is not allowed at any time. Players violating the rule may be penalized with a 10-pins point deduction per game or may not be allowed to bowl.

## **10. BOWLING BALLS**

It is the bowler's responsibility to ensure that all bowling balls used during the tournament is verified for correctness of weights and other specifications. If in doubt, the ball(s) may be verified by the Tournament Technical Committee. This committee reserves the right to recall any ball(s) for inspection at any time.

## **11. TIE BREAK PROCEDURES**

When a tie occurs for the last place in the Qualifying or Finals, the high-low tie-breaker scheme will be applied to determine the positions. If a tie still exists after the tie-breaker, the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> frame roll-off will be used and/or repeated until the tie is broken. When a tie occurs for first place in the Finals, a one game roll-off shall be held to determine the positions. If there's still a tie, the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> frame roll-off will be used and/or repeated until the tie is broken.

## **12. AWARDS**

Awarding of prizes shall be held immediately after the finals of each Division or Group.

## **13. VERIFICATION OF SCORES**

It is the bowlers' responsibility to ensure that the correct score for each game is recorded in the official score sheet by signing on the official score sheet.

## **14. INTERPRETATION OF RULES**

The Tournament Committee reserves the right to make the final interpretation of the Rules and Regulations cited herein.

## **15. PROTEST**

- a. **Scores** -- Must be submitted in writing to the Tournament Committee within 12 hours of the event. No protest made after the prize presentation will be entertained.
- b. **Foul** – Must be brought to the attention of the Tournament Organizer before the delivery of the next ball. No complaints made after the 2<sup>nd</sup> ball has been bowled shall be entertained.

## **16. MARSHAL**

The Tournament Director shall assign at least 2 marshals during the games to oversee the proper implementations of all the rules and regulations as indicated herein.

## **17. SPECIAL NOTES**

The Tournament Director, or in his absence, his appointed official on duty, reserves the right to accept or reject any entry as deem fit. All questions arising in these Rules and Regulations will be decided by the Tournament Director whose decision shall be final.

## **18. MISCELLANEOUS**

Smoking is strictly prohibited in areas other than the designated "SMOKING LOUNGE". Only current playing bowlers and Tournament Organizer are allowed to stay within the bowlers' area. Coaches friends, etc., are designated to stay **behind the counter** of the bowlers' area. Proper decorum must be observed by everyone at all times.

### **THE TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE**

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