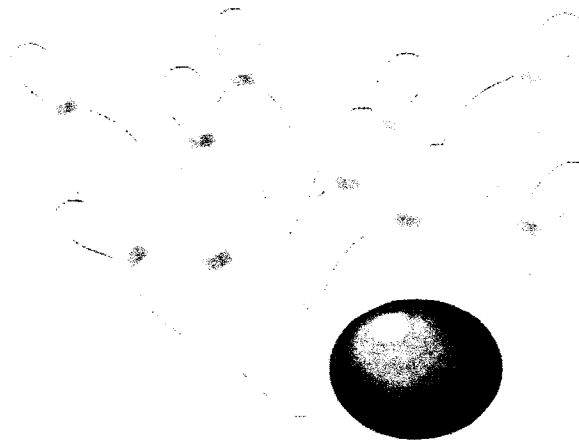


**73rd ANNUAL
NEW YORK STATE AMERICAN LEGION FAMILY BOWLING TOURNAMENT
APRIL 22 THROUGH MAY 7, 2023**

**HOST POST
GLENN S. LOOMIS, POST 332, BATAVIA, NY**

**EVENT CENTER
MANCUSO BOWLING CENTER
BATAVIA, NY 14020**



**OPEN TO THE FOLLOWING CARD HOLDERS:
AMERICAN LEGION, AUXILIARY, SAL, LEGION RIDERS,
MARINE CORPS LEAGUE ,AMVETS, VFW, DAV**



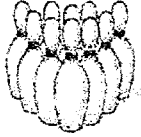


NEW YORK STATE AMERICAN LEGION BOWLING TOURNAMENT RULES IMPORTANT TO TOURNAMENT ENTRANTS

(please read carefully)

1. To participate, a bowler must be paid up 2023 Legion, Auxiliary, Sons of the American Legion or Legion Riders member, but no necessarily a U.S.B.C. member. High score recognition extended to participating U.S.B.C. members only. Eligible Non-U.S.B.C. members can qualify for high score recognition at their option by purchasing an associate membership for a fee of \$10.00. This fee must be paid before participation. **Tournament committee reserves the right to reject any and all entries.**
2. Team captains must be present paid up 2023 American Legion, Auxiliary, or SAL cards at the lane registration desk, one half hour prior to starting time. Teams or individuals failing to appear on lanes prepared to bowl at scheduled time will be given zeroes for each frame missed.
3. A handicap based on 100% of the difference between each player's highest average and the tournament net basis of 210 pins will be allowed in each event of the tournament.
4. Entrant will use his/her highest average based on a minimum of 21 games for the 2022-2023 season. If current 21 game averages as of January 1, 2023 is 10 or more pins higher than 21/22 average, current average must be used. If no average for 21/22, use current average, 21 games or more as of January 1, 2023. All men not having an established average will use 180 as their average and women will use 150 as their average. Any bowler entering tournament with an average of 210 will **not receive negative handicap**. Those entering this tournament with no established average may be re-rated using prior scores in the Legion Tournaments.
5. Tournament managers may disqualify and force the removal from further participation of any bowler, who in their judgement is unfit to continue bowling or who may be distracting other bowlers.
6. The tournament committee will assign lanes prior to the start of the tournament. All events are being held at Mancuso Bowling Center, Liberty Street, Batavia, NY 14020.
7. All entries in this tournament must be made in accordance with U.S.B.C. rules. The tournament managers reserve all rights in this tournament.
8. Individuals may compete on more than one team, but at least 2 members on team must be changed to receive cash prize.
9. Singles event will be bowled immediately following the doubles event. **Singles event will be bowled on same pair as doubles event.** Entrants will bowl three(3) games on one pair of lanes in each event. If doubles event is entered, bowler must also enter singles event. A bowler(s) may enter doubles and singles event more than once with different partners, however, the bowler may cash only once in singles event. A bowler must bowl all six games.
10. **The optional Six-Game Combo will be total pins scored in first doubles and singles. Team event scores are not included in combo scores.** No substitutes will be accepted for 6 game combo unless they replace entrant in all six games.
11. All prize fees will be returned 100%.
12. Minimum of one prize for each six (6) teams entered.

13. Minimum of one prize for each ten (10) entries in all other events.
14. Trophies or Plaques will be awarded in all four events of the tournament on the basis of scores with handicap.
- 15.. Ties for all positions qualifying for prizes, shall be divided equally among all entrants in that position. Duplicate trophies or plaques will be awarded for first place ties.
16. No entry fees will be refunded if it is discovered that a team and/or individual has failed to comply with all U.S.B.C. and tournament rules and regulations.
17. All entries must be accompanied by check or money order (make checks payable to **BATAVIA LEGION BOWLING TOURNAMENT**). Entry confirmations and the final results will be emailed/mailed to captains.
18. Reservations and entries close on April 1, 2023.
19. Reservations will be accepted for date and time on entries on a first-come, first-served basis.
20. Bowlers who have qualified for a prize of \$300.00 or more in any event in a tournament within the previous 12 months must report: actual score, position and amount won for possible re-rating before bowling. Any bowler who reports a lower average than required or who fails to report a prize of \$300.00 shall forfeit tournament entry fee and prize winnings.
21. It shall be each bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of their average; whether originally submitted by the bowler, team captain or others. **Failure to use proper average or make corrections prior to or at time of bowling, scores will be disqualified.** Be especially familiar with U.S.B.C. rules governing adjusted averages. This rule applies to all bowlers.
22. By direction of the Department Bowling Committee at meetings held in past years, members of the American Legion, The American Legion Auxiliary, The Sons of the American Legion, The American Legion Riders, and members of The Canadian American Legion Posts bordering New York are eligible to participate in this annual tournament, with the understanding all participants must be 21 years of age and have a valid, paid current membership card. Exception: Auxiliary and/or SAL bowlers 18-21 years of age must submit signed parental consent form at time of entry submitted (so as not to jeopardize any amateur or scholastic eligibility).



NOTICE:

All equipment will be checked & verified for **"NO"** balance hole existence!

If present, registration will be delayed until hole is plugged!

All equipment for **"NO THUMB BOWLERS"** will be checked & verified for **"PALM PLACEMENT MARKING"**

If not marked, registration will be delayed until ball is etched!

<<<AVERAGE VERIFICATION NOTICE>>>

The three-year, Tournament Average Yearbook is
NOW the data used to:

- A. Confirm a League average
- B. Confirm Tournament average
- C. Composite average IS the entering average

NOTES:

1. If NO average or NON-BOWLER

MEN: 180
WOMEN: 150

2. Doubles & Singles will be bowled
on the same pair-no moving.
3. The average of the Yearbook
WILL BE the entering average.
IF NO DATA is present -
the 180/150 rule will apply



REGISTRATION/ENTRY FORM MONEY BREAKDOWN '23

	How much \$	Team/ x 4	Dbls/ x 2	Sgls/ x 1	6 gm combo	Total Owed
Prize Fund	\$8.00/bowler	\$44.00	\$22.00	\$11.00	\$0.0	\$77.00
Lineage	\$3.00/game	\$36.00	\$18.00	\$9.00	\$0.00	\$63.00
Expenses	\$6.00/bwlr	\$24.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$24.00
6 gm combo	\$2.00/bwlr	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.00	\$8.00
Assoc Dues	\$0.50/bwlr	\$2.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.00
TOTALS		\$106.00	\$40.00	\$20.00	\$2.00	\$174.00
Cost/Entry		\$106.00	\$80.00	\$80.00	\$8.00	\$274.00

**Make Checks Payable to:
BATAVIA LEGION BOWLING TOURNAMENT**

Mail Entries to:
Mark Brown
PO Box 177
Attica, NY 14020

DISCLAIMERS:

- 1) By signing the Registration Form, you are certifying all data is accurate. If NOT correct, all monies will be forfeited.
- 2) By entering a lineup, you are affirming all bowlers are eligible members. Cards will be verified at Registration Desk when signing in.

2023 73rd Annual NYSALFBT 2023

HOST POST: Glenn S. Loomis Post 332
8960 Alexander Road
Batavia, NY 14020

HOST CENTER: Mancuso Bowling Center
214 E. Main Street
Batavia, NY 14010
(parking on Liberty Street and Center Street)

EVENT PLAY DATES

- DAY 1: 4/22/23 - Saturday/DB's & SG's
Opening Ceremonies @ 1:00 PM
Bowling: 2:00 PM squad
- DAY 2: 4/23/23 - Sunday/Team Play
Bowling: 10:00 AM squad
- DAY 3: 4/29/23 - Saturday/DB's & SG's
Bowling: 2:00 PM squad
- DAY 4: 4/30/23 - Sunday/Team Play
Bowling: 10:00 AM squad
- DAY 5: 5/6/23 - Saturday/DB's & SG's
Bowling: 2:00 PM squad
- DAY 6: 5/7/23 - Sunday/Team Play
Bowling: 10:00 AM squad

DRIVING DIRECTIONS:

From the North

I-87 South to US - 9 N
continue onto NY 67 W
Take I-90 W to Exit 48

From the East

I-787 N to Exit 5
I-90 W to Exit 48

From the South

I-90 E to Exit 48

From the West

I-190 South to I-290 E
to I-90 E to Exit 48

73rd ANNUAL NYS DEPT APPROVED AMERICAN LEGION HANDICAPPED BOWLING TOURNAMENT

TEAM EVENT
 Mancuso Bowling Center
 214 East Main Street
 Batavia, NY 14020
 (585) 343-1319

DOUBLES & SINGLES
 Mancuso Bowling Center
 214 East Main Street
 Batavia, NY 14020
 (585) 343-1319

Tournament Director:
 Mark Brown
 (716) 474-7960

Name: _____ Post Name: _____ Post #: _____
 County: _____ Date: _____

Team	Circle 1	2021/22 Ave	1/1/23 Ave	Singles/Dbles	Ave	6 gm	Score #
	M/F			1		Y/N	
	M/F			2		Y/N	
	M/F			1		Y/N	
	M/F			2		Y/N	

Total \$ _____ Dbles \$ _____ Singles \$ _____ 6 Gm Combo \$ _____ Grand Total \$ _____

VENT- MANCUSO BOWLING CENTER
 - 4/23; 4/30; 5/7/23

DOUBLES/SINGLES - MANCUSO BOWLING CENTER
 Saturday - 4/22; 4/29; 5/6/23
 2:00 pm

LAST DAY FOR ENTRIES: 4/1/2023

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: BATAVIA LEGION BOWLING TOURNAMENT
 Mail entries to :
 2023 Bowling Tournament
 Mark Brown
 PO Box 177, Batavia, Ny 14011

Picture _____ Address _____

In the NYS Legion Bowling Tournament must be paid up 2023 members of the American Legion, American Legion Auxiliary, Sons of the American Legion, Department of NY. The captain certifies that all players whose names are entered on entry form are members of: Memo of Organization

Team	Doubles	Singles	Combo	DATES PREFERRED: TEAM	DATES PREFERRED: DBLES/SINGLES
\$44.00	\$22.00	\$11.00	\$2.00	1ST CHOICE	1ST CHOICE
\$36.00	\$18.00	\$9.00		2ND CHOICE	2ND CHOICE
\$24.00					
\$2.00 (rules)					
\$108.00	\$40.00	\$20.00	\$2.00		

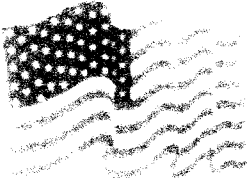
Hotels

La Quinta Inn & Suites
8200 Park Road
Batavia, NY 14020
(585) 344-7000

4/21-4/23/23	\$129.00/night
4/28-4/30/23	\$129.00/night
5/5-5/7/23	\$139.00/night

Best Western Crown Inn
8210 Park Road
Batavia, NY 14020
(585) 344-8882

4/21-4/23/23	\$109.00/night
4/28-4/30/23	\$109.00/night
5/5-5/7/23	No Rooms available



**73rd Annual NYS Dept Approved
American Legion
Handicapped Bowling Tournament**

Subscription Contract

**Glenn S. Loomis #332
8960 Alexander Road
Batavia, NY 14020**

I have contracted the sum of \$ _____ for an ad in the
Glenn S. Loomis #332 American Legion Souvenir Program to be published for
the 2023 Bowling Tournament.

Copy of ad to be inserted: (Please type or print clearly below or attach a copy)

Whenever possible, please attach a copy of a previous ad, newspaper ad or
other camera ready copy

RATES		FORWARD TO:
Full Page	\$100	Bowling Sourvenir Program
Half Page	\$ 60	Glenn S Loomis Post #332
Quarter Page	\$ 40	8960 Alexander Road
Business Card	\$ 25	Batavia, NY 14020

ALL ADVERTISING MATERIAL MUST BE RECD BY MARCH 1, 2023

Company/Post: _____ **Email:** _____

Address: _____ **City:** _____

Phone: _____ **Zip:** _____ **Solicited by:** _____

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____



Batavia Downs Gaming & Hotel will be one of the Host Hotels for the
73rd Annual New York State American Legion Bowling Tournament
They Will have Rooms available at a Discounted Rate.

April 21 & 22, 2023

\$129.00 a night

Group Code LEGION421

April 28 & 29, 2023

\$129.00 A night

Group Code LEGION428

May 5 & 6th, 2023

\$139.00 a night

Group Code LEGION5-5

(This weekend is the Kentucky Derby so there will be a full party at Batavia Downs)

Free Hot Breakfast daily and \$10.00 Free Play.

To book on line please go to

www.bataviadownsgaming.com

Add the Group code per date of your stay

Or Call the Hotel at Batavia Downs directly