

**Beer League**  
**Fall 2025 Bylaws**

**League Officers:**      President:                      Jake Eskanos  
                                 Secretary/Treasurer:    ABC House (Chris Fiser) 303-790-2695

**Schedule:**      League bowls 15 weeks beginning Thursday, September 4, 2025 and ending Thursday, December 18, 2025. The league will not bowl November 26, 2025 due to the holiday. Practice will start at 8:00pm and league play will begin at 8:10 pm.

**Team Roster:**    4 bowlers per team any mix, with rosters not exceeding 7 people.

**Bowling Fees:**   The weekly fee to be paid by each member each week is \$20.00 and the fee breakdown is as follows:

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| Linage                | \$16.50 |
| Prize Fund            | \$2.75  |
| Secretary/Banking fee | .75     |

The last two weeks of bowling shall be paid by the 5<sup>th</sup> week of bowling. Bowlers may not be more than 2 weeks in arrears. A bowler must give two weeks' notice if they must quit the league.

**Averages:**      Averages will be established the first night of bowling regardless of the number of games bowled. If it is believed a bowler(s) are not bowling up to their ability (sandbagging), it will be up to the discretion of the league officers to rerate the bowler(s). Should the league officers feel that the low scores were bowled intentionally, the scores will be removed and replaced with zeros.

**Handicap:**      Handicap shall be 90% of the difference between individual's average and 210. Handicap will be computed after the first night of bowling and applied to the games bowled that night.

**Legal Lineup:**   A legal line up shall consist of 2 bowlers (1 regular and 1 substitutes) and must be present by the end of the 3<sup>rd</sup> frame of any game. A vacancy bowler does not count towards a legal line up. Late bowlers may enter a game provided 3 frames have not been completed.

**Substitutes:**    Substitutes will be allowed, however no new subs on position rounds.

**Absentee Score:** A bowler's average will be used for a maximum of 3 consecutive weeks. Beginning the 4<sup>th</sup> consecutive week missed the blind score will be reduced by a flat 10 pins until the bowler returns or a substitute is used.

**Vacancy Score:** The vacancy score will be 120 per game with 81 pins handicap. In the event of a vacant team, the team bowling against the vacancy team must bowl within 40 pins of their team average to receive the win for that game.

**Forfeit:** In the event of a forfeit, the team present must bowl their average minus 40 pins, to receive a win for that game. Points not won for failing to bowl the minimum score will not be credited for the team that forfeited.

**Divisions:** The league will consist of two divisions. Each division will consist of 20 teams. The first 13 weeks of league, teams will compete with other teams in the same division. Week 14 will be a position round within each division. Week 15 will be a head-to-head position between divisions.

**Position Rounds:** Week 14 be a position round within each division, and week 15 will be a head-to-head position round between division.

**Standing Points:** The following points will be awarded each week, for a total of 4 points:

1 Points for each game won

1 Point for team series won

**Pre-Bowls/Make-Up:** Pre-bowls and make-ups are permitted and must be scheduled in advance with the bowling center. All make-ups must be completed within 2 weeks from their regularly scheduled date. All pre-bowls and make-ups must be completed prior to position rounds. Only pre-bowls are permitted on position rounds.