## 2023-2024 King of the Hill Tournament

## Tournament Rules

1. Eligibility
a. Only members of the Burlington Area USBC Association may bowl in this tournament.
i. Memberships may be purchased at the time of entry.
2. Squads
a. Tombstone will have 2 squads.
i. Limited to the first 24 entries
b. Kingpins will have 1 squad.
i. Limited to the first 48 entries
3. Entry Closing Date
a. Closing date for entries is March 7, 2024, at 9 PM.
b. All entries must be received by the tournament director by the above time.
c. All money must be turned in at the time of entry.
4. Averages
a. Falsifying averages will result in disqualification.
b. You will use the highest average based on the following:
i. Your highest single league average of 21 games or more for the 20222023 season.
ii. Your highest current league average of 12 games or more as of Feb 11, 2024.
iii. All others will bowl scratch based on a 230 average.
5. Handicaps
a. The tournament shall be a handicap tournament.
i. Handicap shall be based on $80 \%$ of 230 .
6. Entry Fee
a. Entry Fee will be $\$ 60$.
i. Lineage
7. Kingpins: \$9
8. Tombstone: \$ 12
ii. Expense
9. The expense fee shall be $\$ 3$.
10. Prizes and Awards
a. Plaques and cash will be awarded.
i. Plaques will be given out at the Annual Hall of Fame and Awards Dinner.
ii. Prize checks will be mailed out within 30 days of the conclusion of the tournament, but no sooner than 7 days.
b. Prize Fee

Return entries to
Chris Braun: 2612 Subilbe Ave. Burlington, IA 52601
Call or Text: 319-572-7255

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i. The prize ratio for each event will be 1:6.
ii. Top 5 will cash.
iii. Low to cash will receive entry back.
8. Modified Step Ladder
a. Qualifiers 6-8 will bowl one game with highest score advancing.
b. The winner will advance to bowl one game with qualifiers $4 \& 5$.
c. The winner will advance to bowl one game with qualifier 3 .
d. The winner will advance to bowl one game with qualifier 2 .
e. The winner will advance to bowl one game with qualifier 1.
9. Side Pots and Brackets
a. All bracket and side pot money will be paid out at the conclusion of qualifying.
i. Brackets

1. Enter as many brackets as you want.
a. Handicap brackets
i. Handicap brackets will be $\$ 2$ for each bracket entered.
ii. The handicap will be based on tournament handicap.
iii. Will be standard style bracket.
b. Scratch Brackets
i. Scratch brackets will be $\$ 5$ for each bracket entered.
ii. Will be standard style bracket.
2. Brackets paid with entry will be split evenly between Tombstone and Kingpins unless otherwise noted.
3. You may enter brackets prior to the squad start on either day.
ii. Side Pot
4. Side pots will consist of high game and series.
5. Side pots will be scratch.
6. The cost to enter the side pot will be $\$ 25$.
a. This will cover six games and both series.
