

Presenting High Roller  
Tournament # 245

THE 70TH ANNUAL

MILITARY  
BOWLING

CHAMPIONSHIPS  
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EVERY YEAR - OVER  
1,200 PRIZES PAID  
IN TEAM, DOUBLES  
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Open to men & women Vets,  
Retired, Active Duty & DOD!

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**\$190 ENTRY FEE** includes Team, Doubles, Singles, All Events and Out-of-Money prizes!

**6-PERSON  
TEAMS**

**RETIRED & SENIOR RETIRED - BOWLING CENTER**  
**Sunday, January 17 - Friday, January 22, 2027**

**ACTIVE DUTY & VETS - SOUTH POINT PLAZA**  
**Sunday, January 17 - Monday, January 25, 2027**

### Here is how to get your Confirmation & Schedule:

- When your team has completed registration go to [www.high-roller.com](http://www.high-roller.com).
- Click on Your Personal Confirmation which is located up top. Then click on the MBC logo & your division, then find your name!
- You can view and print your confirmation schedule or you can find your friend's schedule.

**It's that easy! Have a problem, call us 702-228-7308!**

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& mention Mention High Roller January  
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code Military Bowling

### ADDED PRIZES!

- For Retired players ages 80 & over in the Bowling Center
- For Retired players ages 70 - 79 in the Bowling Center
- For players aged 70 & over in both AD/Vets divisions in the Plaza
- Prizes for Ladies Only in each division

### OPTIONAL SWEEPERS

Open Age, Age 60 & Over and a No Tap. All feature a \$40 entry fee. All at 9 pm in the Plaza but all divisions may participate!

Returning - The HammerPins 4-game Sweeper Shootout on  
Jan. 16th at 7:00 PM in the Plaza. The link for info and to enter is  
[www.hammerpins.net/Shootout](http://www.hammerpins.net/Shootout). Sponsored by 900 Global!

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# WHAT'S NEW AT HIGH-ROLLER



## REVIEW OF THE NEW AD/VETS 60 & OVER DIVISION

Thumbs up! That's what the word was from the 20 teams that bowled in the debut last year!

To help "kick-start" the new division, money was added to help the prize lists. Although it was appreciated, the word was: It's not just the money, but it's great to bowl with other Vets our age!"

We're anticipating that division will grow this year.

It was good to note that the newly formed division didn't detract from the Open Age AD/Vets division as they registered 178 teams!

## AVERAGE JOE TOURNAMENT MOVES TO JANUARY

Now in it's 9th year, the AJT will be hosted by South Point Plaza January 14, 15 & 16, just prior to the start of the 2027 Military Bowling Championships.

Created and managed by Tasha & Norman Bushrod and Caylin Sparks, the event will be added to High Roller's annual schedule. The AJT is a handicap Team & Singles tournament open to all ages.

Flyers and applications will be available soon at [www.high-roller.com](http://www.high-roller.com) on the Tournament Brochures page. An online entry will also be available shortly. For more info, call the High Roller at 702-228-7308 or email [tashabushrod@high-roller.com](mailto:tashabushrod@high-roller.com).



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**ONLY 1 OPENING CEREMONY AND THAT WILL BE HELD IN THE PLAZA SUNDAY,  
JANUARY 17 AT 8:30AM**



**ACTIVE DUTY & VETS DIVISION  
IN SOUTH POINT PLAZA**

This special division is for Active Duty, Vets with an Honorable Discharge and DOD to bowl together with the same camaraderie and reunion atmosphere that MBC contestants have grown to look forward to each year!

**Team, Doubles & Singles are all in the Plaza.**

|                | <b>DOUBLES</b>     | <b>TEAM</b>          | <b>SINGLES</b>      |
|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Squad A</b> | Sun, Jan 17 – 9 AM | Mon, Jan 18 – 5 PM   | Tues, Jan 19 – 1 PM |
| <b>Squad B</b> | Sun, Jan 17 – 1 PM | Mon, Jan 18 – 9 AM   | Tues, Jan 19 – 5 PM |
| <b>Squad C</b> | Sun, Jan 17 – 5 PM | Mon, Jan 18 – 1 PM   | Tues, Jan 19 – 9 AM |
| <b>Squad D</b> | Wed, Jan 20 – 9 AM | Thurs, Jan 21 – 5 PM | Fri, Jan 22 – 1 PM  |
| <b>Squad E</b> | Wed, Jan 20 – 1 PM | Thurs, Jan 21 – 9 AM | Fri, Jan 22 – 5 PM  |
| <b>Squad F</b> | Wed, Jan 20 – 5 PM | Thurs, Jan 21 – 1 PM | Fri, Jan 22 – 9 AM  |
| <b>Squad G</b> | Sat, Jan 23 – 9 AM | Sun, Jan 24 – 9 AM   | Mon, Jan 25 – 9 AM  |

*Sidepots and brackets are by age, not division.*

*Fresh oil for each squad. TIP – don't make travel plans until your squad is confirmed!*

**HIGH ROLLER IS  
MANAGEMENT TEAM**

For the 23rd consecutive year, High Roller, Inc. works closely with the Tournament Committee, Team Captains, hosts and sponsors to ensure an enjoyable experience for all!

**SPECIAL WOMENS' PRIZES**

**More and more women have been coming out each year so we are increasing the added Singles and All Events prizes for Women Only!**

- Active Duty & Vets Open – 10
- Active Duty & Vets 60 & Over – 3
- Senior Retired Division – 2

**RECRUIT A NEW TEAM & GET YOUR ENTRY FEE BACK!**

***New*** - after your team enters, recruit a new team - for any of the 4 divisions - & receive a \$190 refund of your entry fee!  
Start your recruiting now - no limit to the \$190 rewards you can earn!

**RETIRED & SENIOR SCHEDULE IN BOWLING CENTER**

**Choose a squad and list on the application. TIP – Don't make travel plans until receiving squad time confirmation!**

|                          | <b>DOUBLES</b>      | <b>TEAM</b>          | <b>SINGLES</b>      |
|--------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Ret A</b>             | Sun, Jan 17 – 9 AM  | Mon, Jan 18 – 1 PM   | Tues, Jan 19 – 5 PM |
| <b>Ret B</b>             | Sun, Jan 17 – 1 PM  | Mon, Jan 18 – 5 PM   | Wed, Jan 20 – 9 AM  |
| <b>Sen 1</b>             | Sun, Jan 17 – 5 PM  | Mon, Jan 18 – 9 AM   | Tues, Jan 19 – 1 PM |
| <b>Sen 2</b>             | Tues, Jan 19 – 9 AM | Thurs, Jan 21 – 5 PM | Fri, Jan 22 – 1 PM  |
| <b>Ret C</b>             | Wed, Jan 20 – 5 PM  | Thurs, Jan 21 – 1 PM | Fri, Jan 22 – 9 AM  |
| <b>Ret D &amp; Sen 3</b> | Wed, Jan 20 – 1 PM  | Thurs, Jan 21 – 9 AM | Fri, Jan 22 – 5 PM  |

- Retired or Senior Retired teams or individuals may bowl in Active/Vets Division by choice
- As squads fill, teams will be placed in any available squad. (first-come, first-served)
- ***Fresh oil for each event!***

**TEAMS THAT NEED A PLAYER OR PLAYERS THAT NEED A TEAM**

- To find the list on the website, go to [www.militarybowlingchampionships.com](http://www.militarybowlingchampionships.com), click on Find A Bowler that is listed on the left side.
- If you pick up a bowler from that page, please notify us so we can remove his/her name.
- Or call our office at 1-702-228-7308 for possible assistance in finding a bowler.
- You can also make arrangements with that bowler to send their application and entry fee directly to us if that is easier.



**OUR MISSION:** The Military Bowling Championships brings together military bowlers from home and worldwide assignments to participate in outstanding competition. The competition establishes a comradeship that Active Duty, Veterans, retired military members and DOD employees will always look forward to. See further details and history at [www.militarybowlingchampionships.com](http://www.militarybowlingchampionships.com).

## TEAM RULES FOR ALL DIVISIONS

- **ELIGIBILITY** - All PBA Military members are now eligible with a maximum of 2 PBA members per team: but only 1 with a national title.
- Players must present proof of status. The following is accepted and other forms of ID can be requested: Honorable Discharge Certificate, Active Duty Reserve ID card, VA Disability ID card, DD-214, DOD ID.

## WHO CAN BOWL?

- Active Duty, Veterans with Honorable Discharge, Military Retired, Guard or Reserve from any U.S. branch of Armed Forces or Department Of Defense (DOD) civilian, active or retired
- Players from any of the above categories may bowl in any Division that they fit by their personal status. EX: Retired DOD may bowl in Retired Division or Senior Division if eligible by age.

Before competition begins, each player must produce their Military ID or DOD ID and their USBC card. Players without a sanction card may purchase an "Associate" card on site. **All players that presented their Military or DOD ID cards since 2006 do not need to present them again as they are already on file. Players whose status changed from Active Duty to Retired must present valid ID.**

## TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE

In February 2004, 350 players met to discuss the future of the MBC, then known as Worldwide Military. A committee was formed from players who have bowled many years. Here are the current members as of the 2023 event: **Kathy Brown** – Retired, **Danny Butcher** – Retired, **John Childers** – Retired, **Jim Cruz** – Retired, **Jed Davis** – Active Duty, **Jerry Gavin** – Retired, **David Greene** – Active Duty, **Ron Mercer** – Retired, **Jeff Norton** – Active Duty, **Tony Szeluga** – Retired, **Brad Edelman** – High Roller advisor  
In memory of Committee members Max & Dottie McClrath and Norm Palomares

**DRESS CODE:** A "casual but respectable" appearance is expected from each contestant while bowling. The Dress Code will not be implemented to make any contestant uncomfortable but all players should appear presentable to their peers, the many guests and sponsors. The Tournament Committee recommends long pants and customary bowling shirts, however shorts, hats and t-shirts will still be acceptable attire but must be in good condition and not considered offensive to other players or their guests.

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## Tournament Rules:

- **Playing Rules** – Rules of the Military Bowling Championships. (MBC) stated herein, and those of the USBC will govern all participants. The High Roller (HR) manager will have the right to resolve all questions and disputes. All decisions shall be final unless an appeal is made in accordance with Rule 329.
- **General** – The MBC is primarily a team event with teams comprised of 6 players. Individuals can only be on one team. Team, Doubles and Singles are 4-game events. Squads may be added.
- **Competition** – All events are scratch. Competition is in 4 Divisions: 2 Active/Vets, Retired or Senior Retired. If a team has at least 1 Active Duty or Vet who is not Military retired, that team will bowl in the Active Duty division by new age rule. If a team is comprised of Retired and Senior Retired members, that team will bowl in the Retired division. To bowl in the Senior Retired division, all team members must be at least 60 years old by to January 19, 2025 and be retired. HR manager must approve any roster changes prior to bowling. In Team, Singles & Doubles, each participant may enter only once.
- **Substitutions** – Once competition has begun, subs are allowed providing the sub is not on another team. Players can only compete in one division.
- **All-Events** – Purses are determined by adding scores from Team, Singles & Doubles separately by each division.
- **Prizes** – All prizes will be mailed by Thursday, January 28th. Prizes earned will be paid with High Roller check. Of the \$190 entry fee, \$30 is lineage, \$20 is for tournament expense, approximately \$28 is for operational expense and approximately \$110 is prize money returned 100%. Prizes include trophies, plaques, pennants, lapel pins, gifts, after gifts and other awards and displays.
- **Tournament Conduct** – The HR manager shall have the right to reassign participants, if for any reason, the MBC cannot be completed on all or some of the lanes, or on the dates drawn in any round. If by fire, war, weather conditions, gas shortage, water damage, labor unrest, terrorism acts or threats, mechanical malfunctions, acts of God, etc., it becomes impossible to conduct the MBC and/or companion events, all unused portions of entry fees shall be returned.
- **IRS Reporting** – It is the tournament's legal obligation to report an individual's earnings (not profit) of \$600 and over, including Brackets and Sidepots. 1099 forms will be issued to those players.
- **Refunds** – All entry fees can be refunded 100% with notice to the HR manager of at least 24 hours before bowling starts. Hotel fees can be refunded with 48 hours notice of scheduled check-in date. Once competition begins, refunds are at the discretion of the HR manager.
- **Event Status** – Regardless of personal status or age, each player bowls singles and doubles in the same division that they bowled the team event.
- **Closing Date** – Closing date to enter is January 23, 2027 or upon full field.



# 2027 MILITARY BOWLING CHAMPIONSHIPS ENTRY FORM

**NEW ADDRESS:** High Roller, PO Box 33009, Las Vegas NV 89133  
1-702-228-7308 • Fax with credit card:1-888-794-2010  
Enter online at: www.high-roller.com • Make checks payable to High Roller

**Check box to be placed on a team**  
(Entry Fee must be paid)



Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Captain: \_\_\_\_\_

(Mr.) (Ms.) Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date \_\_\_\_\_ SSN# \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

(Players cannot receive prize checks w/o SS# on file and cannot receive an age related prize w/o birth date on file.)

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work or Cell \_\_\_\_\_

USBC# \_\_\_\_\_ Where are you staying? \_\_\_\_\_

**Team Captains - turn in an application for each team member. PLEASE - NO STAPLES.**

**Please do not send mail that needs to be signed for as we only visit the Post Office at night.**

**Team Division:**  AD/Vets Open Age  AD/Vets Age 60 & Over  Retired  Sen Retired

Charge my account \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Card # \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_ 3-Digit CRC \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Name on card \_\_\_\_\_

**Personal checks and business checks accepted until January 5, 2027  
Make checks payable to: High Roller**

## ENTRY FEES

**Tournament Entry** - \$190

**Add sidepots for 3 events** - \$20

**Open Age Sweeper in PLAZA** - \$40

Mon, 9 PM  Wed, 9 PM

Fri, 9 PM  Sun, 1 PM

**Age 60 & Over Sweeper in PLAZA** - \$40

Mon, 9 PM  Wed, 9 PM

Fri, 9 PM  Sun, 1 PM

**No Tap in PLAZA** - \$40

Tues, 9 PM  Thurs, 9 PM

Sat, 1 PM

**Sweepers and No Taps are scratch, are 3-games and will have fresh oil.**

**Amount submitted \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**Participant's Agreement:** I have read and agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the 2027 Military Bowling Championships.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Participant Signature)

## LINEUPS FOR ALL 3 EVENTS

**IMPORTANT** Team Captain Only - List squad choices:

1st Choice \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd \_\_\_\_\_

**TIP - don't make travel plans until confirming squad times.**

**Only Team Captain form needs the Doubles Section filled out. This will be the same lineup used for all 3 events, left lane & right lane.**

Doubles #1 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

Doubles #2 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

Doubles #3 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

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