Greater Carlyle USBC **Bowling Association** 2023 WOMENS SINGLES SCRATCH CLASSIC

USBC Certified Tournament Rules

- 1. All female members of the Greater Carlyle USBC are eligible to enter.
- 2. Any person bowling in any event must have a sanction card filed with the Greater Carlyle Association Secretary prior to bowling, or scores will not be allowed.
- 3. Upon request, you must show your Greater Carlyle USBC membership card in order to bowl. You must check in at least 30 minutes before time to bowl.
- 4. This is a one day scratch tournament to be bowled on Sunday, December 10, 2023 in conjunction with the Greater Carlyle Singles Scratch Classic.
- 5. All prize money will be paid out 100%.
- 6. Entrants are limited to single entry, and your entry fee must accompany the entry.
- 7. Bowlers will roll five (5) games rotating one (1) pair of lanes to the right after each game. A format based on the number of entries will be determined the day of the tournament to determine the Greater Carlyle Bowling Association Scratch Champion. If there are six (6) or less bowlers a Champion will be declared based on the five (5) game total. If there are more than six (6) bowlers, a "STEPLADDER" final will be bowled base on the total number of bowlers using a one (1) in six (6) ratio. For example: if there are 13 bowlers the top 3 will bowl a "STEPLADDER" final.
- 8. Closing date for reserved entry deadline is December 5, 2023.
- 9. Rule 310a. applies to closing date of entries.
- 10. Rule 322a. of USBC tardy players will prevail.
- 11. Rule 325 of USBC bowling alone will prevail.
- 12. Rule 326a. of USBC tie scores will prevail.
- 13. Rule 329 of USBC appeal or protest will prevail.
- 14. Rule 314 of USBC will prevail. No fees returned.
- 15. If there is a tie in any position that needs to be broken, a 9th and 10th frame roll off be bowled. Each bowler will bowl the 9th frame on the left lane then each bowler will bowl the 10th frame on the right lane. The lanes used will be a neutral pair of lanes. A coin toss will determine who bowls first. If the bowlers are still tied, the process will repeat until a winner is determined.
- 16. Cash prizes will be awarded on a ratio of one (1) prize for each six (6) entries.
- 17. Any bowler who does not adhere to all rules shall be disqualified from any earnings. Please check all rules.
- 18. All decisions of the tournament management are final unless an appeal is made in accordance with USBC Rule 329.
- 19. A minimum of five (5) bowlers is required to conduct the WOMEN'S Scratch Tournament. The GCBA OPEN Scratch Tournament will run in conjunction to this tournament with a maximum of 60 bowlers combined. If I received 55 OPEN Tournament entries before I receive six WOMEN'S Tournament entries, the WOMEN's Tournament will be cancelled. Female bowlers that have already signed up will be given the option to bowl in the OPEN Scratch Tournament.