



Virtualaxis

Ramadan
BOWLING TOURNAMENT
28th July - 8 Ramadan 2012



Rules & Regulation

ORGANIZATION & SANCTION`

Virtual Axis Ramadan Bowling Tournament 2012 is organized by **Sindh Tenpin Bowling Association (STBA)** and under auspices of **Pakistan Tenpin Bowling Federation PTBF** playing rules and regulations shall apply. This tournament is a ranking tournament in Sindh toward the PTBF

DATES & VENUE

VENUE: **THE ROYAL RODALE CLUB**

DATES: **28TH JULY 2012 – 8 RAMADAN**

TIMININGS **11 PM TO SEHRI**

ELIGIBILITY

- This Tournament is open to all Sindh Residents who are members of Clubs affiliated to the STBA and whose membership is current for the duration of the Tournament.
- Only registered players with S.T.B.A. will be eligible to participate
- It is the bowler's responsibility to check the status of qualification.

STBA REGISTRATION

- Each bowler is required to show a 2011 STBA Membership Registration
- Card or proof of payment, before bowling. Any team with a non-registered bowler will be disqualified.
- New registrations accepted prior to qualifying bowling.

REGISTRATION & RULES

Open 22nd July.2012– **Closes** 2300 Hrs 28th July.2012

GAME RULES

- no practice game after tournament start time will be allowed on lanes allocated for tournament.
- any player who wishes to play his 1st round tournament game will be allowed to play from 10th july from 7pm to 11pm duly attested by royal rodale and stba nominee.
- lane will allocated by draw and will move after each game right to left.
- no person is allowed to sit on players game chairs during tournament start
- no smoking is allowed within bowling area during tournament games.
- Lanes sensors will be ON
- Player will earn warning on Over stepping by deliberate action
- After two such warnings, the score will termed as foul.

COMPETITION / FORMAT OF PLAY FOR DOUBLES TEAMS

- Doubles Team comprised of **02 Bowlers**
- Doubles (Score Of Round 1 (2 Games) Will Pair By Score Chart Highest /Lowest.

	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	FINAL
Doubles	2 games / player Teams from Result of Round 1	2 Games / player (cummulitave Score of Round 1 & 2) Top 8 Teams Qualify for Roubd 4	Knock Out Games / player Top 4 play Step Leader	Step Leader 1Games / player

Note: cummulitave Score of Round 1 & Round 2 will determine Position for Final



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ENTRY FEE & REFUND

- STBA members entry Fee for **PKR 1,000/ Player- (for Doubles)**
- New player's entry Fee **PKR 3,000/ / Player (for Doubles)** (2,500 worth STBA Membership for 01 year).
- Only registered members with S.T.B.A. will be eligible to participate,

AWARDS

Prizes in the form of Cash will be presented to the winners of Doubles.

Category	Winner	Runners up	3rd Position	4th Position
Doubles	8,000	6,000	4,000	2,000

CHECK IN PROCEDURE

All Payers are to CHECK-IN AT LEAST 30 MINUTES BEFORE THE SCHEDULED TIME FOR THE GAMES; failing which he/she will be disqualified and the respective reserve will be called. (Maximum 3 announcements per bowler @ 1 minute per call). The clock in the bowling center will be the official Clock.

REGISTRATION OF BOWLING BALL/S

The onus is on the bowlers to ensure that all bowling ball/s used during the tournament are verified for correctness of weight and other specifications conforming to WTBA General Playing Rules & Regulations. If in doubt, the ball/s may be verified by the Tournament Technical Committee.

SLOW BOWLING

Slow bowling is not allowed and bowlers must bowl when it is their turn to do so.

VERIFICATION OF SCORES

- Bowlers are required to verify and sign the score sheet after bowling. After the scores have been recorded, that cannot be changed unless there is an obvious error in recording or calculation. The Tournament Official immediately upon discovery shall correct obvious errors.
- Each day score chart will be displayed on board duly attested by players and can be checked (if disputed) by any player from printed score sheet
- In the Event of any interruptions caused by power failure or any other logical reason, the following procedure shall be followed:
 - Any part of a game that cannot be recalled will be re-bowled from the first frame.
 - If more than one game cannot be recalled, the series will be declared null and void and a fresh series be rescheduled
 - If only one frame is missing, the bowler shall continue from the last frame bowled.

DRESS CODE

- Bowlers are required to be appropriately dressed for the bowling.
- Male bowlers are required to wear 3rd SSB Ranking Bowling Tournament T-shirt, long pants and proper bowling shoes.
- Female bowlers will Shalwar Kamez or long pants with 3rd SSB Ranking Bowling Tournament T-shirt, and proper bowling shoes.
- If, in the opinion of the Championship Committee, a bowler is not appropriately dressed, he/she may not be permitted to bowl. In any event of television coverage for the respective Finals, it is the prerogative of the Championship Manager to nominate/stipulate the attire to be worn.

PROTEST

Protest involving eligibility or general playing rules must be submitted in writing to the Technical Committee not later than 24 hours after the game in which the infraction occurred or before prize presentation, whichever is the sooner. If no written protest is filed, prior to the expiry period as stated above, the game or games shall stand as bowled. Each protest under this rule shall not be construed to cover a similar or previous violation.

MATTERS NOT PROVIDED FOR

- The Championship Committee, whose decision shall be governed by WTBA General Rules & Regulations, shall decide any matter arising, which is not covered in these Rules & Regulations. Such a decision shall be final, subject to an appeal to be made in writing to Sindh Tenpin Bowling Association General Council within 24 hours of the decision of the Championship Committee.