



# TAT NORTHEAST AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIPS

**November 3rd - 5th, 2023**

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**The Las Vegas Megabuck tournament comes to The Meadows Casino!**

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# 2023 TAT Northeast Championships Entry Form



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**Don't mail check after 10/25/23**

## \$99 Entry Fee, \$99 Re-Entries

**Select Scratch Division:**  35 & Under  Age 36-49  Handicap: Age 50 & Over  
 Handicap: 215 & Under  Handicap: 189 & Under

### Circle Qualifying Squads

<b>Friday, Nov. 3rd</b>	Check in & Free Practice 1-2 PM	3 PM	5 PM	7 PM
<b>Saturday, Nov. 4th</b>	9 AM	11:30 AM	CUT + OIL	3 PM
<b>Sunday, Nov. 5th</b>	10 AM	CUT	12:30 PM	OIL

**Finals 3:30 PM**

### Divisions – Handicap Scratch

- If you average over 215 you bowl in the Scratch Division by age
- Handicap Divisions: Must average under 215 for Last 2 winter seasons for a minimum of 21 games
- Handicap is 80% of 220, Max of 46 pins per game

### Qualifying

- 3 games Qualifying by Division.
- 1 in 6 cut by Division
- 5 cut to Finals 2 Cuts on Sunday 10 AM & 12:30PM
- Re Oil after 12:30PM on Nov 5th

### FINALS – Sunday Nov 5th 3:30 PM

- Bowlers bowl on the pair against bowlers in their division
- 2 out of 4 or 5 advance off each pair, 3 on a pair 1 advance, 6 on a pair 3 advance
- Division Champions bowl 1 game to determine final placing



### The Meadows Casino & Racetrack

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## TAT Northeast Championship Eligibility Rules:

Rules include this page, articles in this brochure and updates distributed and posted on site, mailed or emailed.

**1. PLAYING RULES** - Rules of the TAT Mid Northeast (TATNE) stated herein, will govern all participants. USBC rules may apply at director's discretion. The TATNE manager will have the right to resolve all questions and disputes arising. All decisions shall be final and binding.

**2. Eligibility** - TATNE is open to male or female bowlers who:

**(Rules b, c, f, g, h, j do not apply to bowlers 60 years of age and over)**

- Have not paid a full membership to the PBA or PWBA since and including 2022
- Have not appeared on a nationally televised PBA finals since and including 2012
- Have never had PBA Tour 1 status or have never had Exempt status
- Have never won a PBA, PWBA or LPBT National Tour title or a PBA National Senior Tour title which includes the U.S. Open, U.S. Senior Open, USBC Masters and USBC Senior Masters both men and women's events since 2005.
- Was not a member of any National or Junior National team since 2019
- Have not won a REGULAR Division Singles, Doubles, All Events, or Team All Events Eagle from 2016 forward. Standard and Classified Division Eagle recipients are Eligible to bowl. (Team Eagle doesn't count)
- Have not won a PBA Singles Regionals since and including 2022 (Non-Champions don't apply)
- If \$10,000 was won in the 215 Division, the bowler must bowl in their age division. Any 189 division bowler that reaches the TAT top 5 must bowl in the 215 or age division in their next TAT tournament.
- Eligibility and division will be determined based on international & U.S. record for players residing outside of the U.S.
- Any person who was an employee of Meadows Bowling Center since November 3rd, 2023 is not eligible.

Participants must sign an eligibility affidavit on page 6. If the bowlers is later deemed ineligible, he must forfeit/repay any prize money won or sit out corresponding events. There shall be no liability on the part of the TAT An to any entrant TATNE Managers have the right to refuse, re-rate or re-classify any entrant at their discretion before, during, or after the tournament.

**3. Decision of the Tournament Directors are final**, including, but not limited to eligibility of players, equipment, conduct and any other factors that may lead to a player's disqualification or rerating in a Division. Directors reserve the right to declare anyone ineligible and the right to refuse entry.

**4. Bowling balls** must be within compliance of USBC specifications for tournament play. Balls are not allowed until their world-wide release date.

**5. Attire & Courtesy** – All PBA/PWBA approved attire must be worn in finals. No jeans, shorts, cargo pants, or hats. Dress code applies only to TAT main finals. The Tournament Directors have the right to disqualify any entrant under this rule at anytime during the main finals. The surface of any ball may not be altered once each squad begins. A one lane courtesy will be observed.

**6. Persons under 18 years of age** must use a SMART FUND and have a signed parental consent form. Bowlers age for this event will be as of Nov 3, 2023.

**7. Qualifying and Finals round** will be by age or average division. These are separate divisions and qualify separately by Squad(s).

**8. Cut scores** are 1 in 6 for each division of paid entries. Ties for the last Qualifying spot, both players will make the finals but split the \$200 prize each getting \$100 for making the finals. If any division does not have 4 bowlers in a cut, the cut will be carried over to the next cut.

**9. In TAT Finals**, ties to advance broken by 9th & 10th roll-off. It is the bowler's responsibility to be present.

**10. Event cancellation** caused by any act of God, war, catastrophe, or legalities, etc, determined by Tournament Director will result in the return of unused entry fees.

**11. True Amateur Tournaments Inc., Storm, The Meadows Casino** and the TAT staff are not responsible for errors made in the brochure or at the tournament. Anyone that does not pay for their entry upon completion of the tournament may forfeit all winnings.

**Participant's Agreement:** I have read and agree to abide by the rules and regulations of True Amateur Tournaments, Inc. and agree I am eligible to compete. Tournament Director has the right to re-rate, re-classify, and refuse entry to anyone.

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