

You're Invited...

The Portland bowling community invites you once again to join us in late May for a fun party weekend. Sure it's about bowling! But it's also about fellowship and making new friends.

Portland keeps its bowling to only six games to allow you more time to get out to our local bars, attend our Saturday night bowling social, or even to go shopping in our no-tax retail environment. Whatever your pleasure...you'll find it in Portland. Portland is tops when it comes to hospitality. You're invited to give us a try!

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26 Years of Fun & Fellowship

\$300 for a 300!

For the 2nd year in a row, Sunday's **Portland Community Bowling League** is sponsoring a \$300 Cash Prize to the first bowler to roll a perfect 300 Game. The Rose Bowl Classic Tournament evolved from this league in 1983.

The Economy and Bowling

Last year it was the price of gas, and this year it could be employment or other. At the time we prepare our 2009 entry form, we are torn about the course of this economy. We know that for many, entering our tournament could be a hard choice to make. **Therefore, the 2009 Rose Bowl Classic Committee has decided not raise our entry fee and will leave our entry fee unchanged.**

For more information or history, see
www.rosebowlclassic.com

Rose Bowl Entry Fee Breakdown

TOTAL	\$75.00
Lane Fees	\$10.00
Awards Party	\$25.00
Prize Fund	\$33.00
Administrative	\$ 7.00



the
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Welcomes
The Rose Bowl Classic
Bowlers

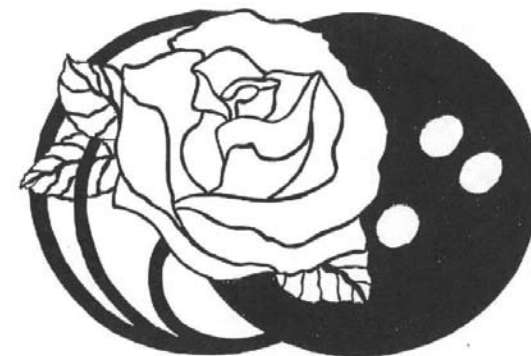
We wish each and everyone
a great time and a
perfect game!

OPEN

Monday - Friday 11:am
Saturday & Sunday 2:pm

*The Embers
Nightclub*
PORTLAND, OR

110 NW Broadway
Portland, Oregon 97209
503-222-3082



Rose Bowl Classic 26

May 29th - 31st, 2009

Join us for our
All New Saturday Night Special

LEATHER
& Lace

Saturday Evening May 30th, 2009

Sponsored in part by



SCRATCH DIVISIONS

Portland offers an optional Scratch Division competition to allow bowlers a bonus competition to win more dollars. Your Scratch competition is based on your performance in all six games. We award cash based on the following: (Due to our early Sunday Awards Brunch, we are not able to feature a Scratch Masters roll-off event.)

Your \$16.00 entry fee is divided in the following increments in each division:

- **\$3.00 for the single high scratch score;**
- **\$5.00 for the high 3 game series; and**
- **\$8.00 for the high 6 game total series.**

Depending upon the number of entries in each category, it is multiplied by the dollar figure above. Ex. If there are 20 entries in Division E, the payout would be **\$60 for your single high scratch game** out of six games; it would be **\$100 for either your doubles or team series scratch series**; and it would be **\$160 for your six game scratch series**, if it was the highest in your Division. So go for it...make a few big bucks for no additional effort on your part.

We awarded over \$1,300 in the Scratch competition last year. This is an easy way to win more money, without having to bowl even more games.

Division A:	200 and above
Division B:	189-199
Division C:	176-188
Division D:	164-175
Division E:	150-163
Division F:	136-149
Division G:	135 & below

PATHETIC PERFORMANCE

INSURANCE PROTECTION

Portland's original Pathetic Performance Insurance Protection provides that some lucky bowlers will receive a refund of their entry fee if they fail to place in the cash column. For an additional \$1.00 on your entry fee, you are entered in the program. We will draw as many rebates as paid premium fees allow. (Refunds are reimbursed only up to what the bowler has actually paid. No refunds on free entries.)

RECOMMENDED HOTELS

We strongly urge you to make room reservations as early as March. Please visit our website for a variety of hotel options.

PORTLAND'S VIRGIN PROGRAM

Portland has another original program meant to reward first timers at our Rose Bowl Classic. By indicating on the entry form that this is your first time, you are entered in a bonus category to win cash prizes for high scores and series in both the men's and women's categories. This program is **FREE** to you. Our sponsors provide the cash awards.

This Year Portland features a new
Saturday Night Adventure!

LEATHER & Lace

A No-Tap Cash Tournament
Wearing what comes au nature!!
7:00 PM - only \$12.00

Okay! We all have a little of both in us. It may just be a leather wrist band, or leather boxers. It may be a little lace brassiere, or a pair of lacey, racey boxers.

It's our same ol' Boxer Bowl, but with a twist! Whatever it is that turns you on, may just turn on a few others bowling alongside you. So break out your leather and lace in any form that it may take and joins us for this fresh take on our annual Saturday Night extravaganza of frivolous fun!

Even if your friends, family or companion are not registered for the Rose Bowl Classic, they can still bowl with you in our Saturday Night Social. Bring 'em along.

This unique mini-tourney has had bowlers across IGBO talking, not to mention shopping for the perfect evening wear. Portland's event appears to have spawned a plethora of similar events around the globe. Portland is proud to set the standard with our now infamous Saturday Night Social.

This event has been a sell out for many years. Don't be turned away. Make your reservations now on the attached entry form.

This event offers it's own cash prize.

Score Big!
Win Big!

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## Schedule of Events

**REGISTRATION – Fri. May 29th, 6 PM – 9 PM**  
**HOLLYWOOD LANES**

4030 NE Halsey ~ 39th St. Exit, off I-84  
(Registration packets for Friday evening bowlers are available at Hollywood Lanes from 6 PM on. Arrive early to allow yourself plenty of time for the practice!)

### BOWLING EVENT

**SHIFT A** Doubles – Fri. May 29th, 7:00 PM

Team – Sat May 30th, 1:00 PM

**SHIFT B** Doubles – Sat May 30th, 9:00 AM

Team – Sat May 30th, 1:00 PM

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SLUMBER Sat Evening May 30th 7:00 PM

BOWL (Lanes must be reserved in advance.)

ALL BOWLING EVENTS

take place at:

Hollywood Bowl 503-288-9237

Located alongside MAX light rail train
from downtown Portland to the Bowling Center

AWARDS BRUNCH - Sun May 31st, 11 AM - 1 PM.

ENTRY DEADLINE: MAY 1, 2009

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION may be obtained from
the following sources:

REGISTRAR

Troy Albin 503-708-1734
(Email: Albin_RBC@yahoo.com)

TOURNAMENT COORDINATOR

Tom Lutes, Jr. 503-577-2846
(Email: Lutes_RBC@yahoo.com)

TOURNAMENT ADVISOR

Tom Geil 503-722-0438
(Email: Pdx Bowl@comcast.net)

For questions visit our website

www.rosebowlclassic.com

Rose Bowl Classic Rules

1. Portland Rose Bowl Invitational Classic is a mixed competition open to men and women by invitation.
2. The receipt of an entry and its acceptance by the RBC Committee shall regulate the number of players who participate. There will be no refunds after acceptance by the Rose Bowl.
3. Entries must be accompanied by the full amount of fees as outlined on the entry form below. RBC Accepts personal checks only up to April 15th. Money orders or cashiers checks are preferred forms of payment, as is payment through PayPal online. There is a \$2.50 processing fee per bowler for each PayPal payment. It is imperative that bowlers send an accompanying email explaining for whom and what team the fees are being sent.
4. Team strength will consist of four (4) members of any blend of men or women, competing on an equal basis in each event. Partial teams or single entries not designating a desired team or teammate on their entry form will be assigned by the registrar. There can be no changes once assigned. Doubles partners must come from the same team.
5. The number of games per event is set at three during the Rose Bowl (for a total of six (6) games). Singles is an all events combination of the doubles and tem event scores. All entrants will bowl only once in each event. Portland's Rose Bowl Committee reserves the right to use substitute bowlers in emergency situations who may have already bowled in a similar previous event. However, the re-bowl substitute can only cash once per pre-scheduled event of Doubles of Team. (Only a bowler's paid and registered scores will be valid for determining Singles All Events.)
6. Substitutes are allowed to bowl at the Tournament Coordinator's discretion. A substitute shall register prior to Tournament play and is required to provide accurate and immediately verifiable proof average as outline in these rules.
7. Late bowlers will start bowling in the frame in which they are ready to bowl. Prior frames will be scored as zero. No practice balls will be allowed for late bowlers. If an event has officially started, a team has the right to request that a substitute bowler immediately take the place of a missing/late bowler. If a suitable substitute is available, they will be supplied to the requesting team. The missing/late bowler forfeits their entry fee for that event.
8. Team Captains must check in for their teams at least 30 minutes prior to the start of each event.
9. All claims of error must be submitted in writing to the Tournament Coordinator within 1 hour after the bowler or team has bowled.
10. Cash prizes: Each event has its own prize list based on at least a 1 to 10 ratio of return, including Singles All Events. We proudly feature at least a 110% cash return on all prize fees.
11. Any and all other events or options offered by The RBC such as Pathetic Performance Insurance or the Saturday night social event, Leather & Lace, are fun events outlined in other areas of this entry form. Participation is at the option of each bowler.
12. Any issues that may arise will be resolved by the Tournament Coordinator, Committee and/or bowling establishment,

Tournament Averages

- A. VERIFICATION OF ALL BOWLER'S ENTERING AVERAGES MUST ACCOMPANY THE ENTRY FORM.** All bowlers are required to submit average verification with their entry form or it may be returned without processing. The return of any entry may impact the date sensitive entry fee, increasing the base fee. All bowlers are forewarned that waiting for a master list of league averages to be sent by their league secretary does not fulfill this requirement.
- B.** The RBC registrar will verify all submitted averages. The USBC sponsored site and/or IGBO site "TAD" will also be used for verifications.
- C.** All bowlers who have won a prize of \$300 or more in one event in the last 12 months must report their actual scores, position and amount won at the time of this entry. Failure to do so could result in expulsion from the tournament. All bowlers are cautioned to be aware of the average adjustment requirements of USBC rule #319e. While the tournament is not sanctioned for 2009, we do follow the rules of USBC.
- D.** All bowlers are required to submit their previous year's averages. If a bowler's 2008-09 average is more than ten pins lower than their 2007-08 average, a five (5) pin maximum drop rule will apply. USBC Rule #319b will apply in its entirety.
- E.** Handicaps will be calculated of the difference between 230 scratch and the entering average. Handicap cannot exceed a bowler's average. (Noting that a handicap of 110 will be the cap, as it is the median difference for the average calculation.) Negative handicaps will not apply.
- F.** Professional bowlers, identified as belonging to a professional bowling organization, shall not be permitted to bowl in this tournament.
- G.** Bowlers will use their highest league (USBC/IGBO) average from the 2008-09 season (minimum 21 games) as of April 1, 2009.
- H.** If no 2008-09 average exists, bowlers will use their highest league average from the 2007-08 season (minimum 21 games) of summer 2008.
- I.** If no average, as outline above, exists, then the entering average will be set at 230, with zero (0) handicap.
- J.** Sport bowling USBC Rule 205 will be applied. A bowler must submit and use their adjusted Sport Bowling League average utilizing the USBC Average Adjustment Scale (see rule 203). If this average is higher than their standard league. Failure to comply may result in disqualification.
- K.** It is each bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of his/her average, whether submitted by the bowler, his/her team captain or others. Failure to report, and thereby use an incorrect average will result in disqualification, unless corrected by the time of registration.
- L.** All averages, team lineup or other pertinent scoring and lane information must be corrected within 24 hours of receipt of bowler's confirmation sent via email by the Tournament Registrar. Failure to contact the Registrar within that time frame will result in a \$5.00 late processing fee on registration night. (Last minute changes often result in errors between the bowling house and the tournament score keeper. This \$5.00 late processing fee is designed to minimize the number of last minute changes.

Important Instructions for completing your Entry Form

- A. Please print legibly or type the entry form completing, eliminating the need for us to call you.
- B. Providing an email address for each bowler will allow for quicker confirmations.
- C. Indicate your shift preference for Doubles - Friday night or Saturday morning.
- D. Please provide us with a Team Name on the Entry Form or we will create one for you. Indicate your team bowling order in the space provided.
- E. Provide your birth date and day (year not required) for IGBO to identify bowlers with similar names.
- F. Provide a USBC or CTP number for ease in looking up averages.
- G. We require both years of averages (See Tournament Averages (D.).
- H. Personal Checks should be made payable to Rose Bowl Classic, and be mailed by April 15, 2009.

Key Dates for Postmark Deadlines

By April 15th	\$70.00 (Save \$5.00)
By May 1st	\$75.00 (Standard Fee)
After May 1st	\$85.00 (\$10 Late Penalty)

Mail Entries to:
Rose Bowl Classic
P.O. Box 137
West Linn, OR 97068

For more information:
www.rosebowlclassic.com, or
or contact RBC 26 Team on reverse.

Team Name: _____

Team Captain : _____

Check Shift for Doubles Shift A: Fri Night 7:00 PM Doubles
All Team Bowl Sat 1:00 PM Shift B: Sat Morn 9:00 AM Doubles

Doubles Team #1

Bowler Name: _____
Team Order #: _____
Birth date: Mo: _____ Day: _____
2008-09 Average: _____
2007-08 Average: _____
League Name: _____
USBC/CTP #: _____

Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____
Sex: Male Female (circle one)
Virgin Program:
Is this your first RoseBowl? Yes No (Circle one)

Payment Information
Base Entry fee (\$75)(see Key Dates): \$ _____
Scratch Division (\$16) \$ _____
Pathetic Performance Insurance (\$1) \$ _____
Sat Nite Leather & Lace Bowl (\$12): \$ _____
Additional Banquet Tickets (\$25) \$ _____
PayPal Fee (\$2.50 per bowler) \$ _____
Total Payment Bowler #1: \$ _____

Bowler Name: _____
Team Order #: _____
Birth date: Mo: _____ Day: _____
2008-09 Average: _____
2007-08 Average: _____
League Name: _____
USBC/CTP #: _____

Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____
Sex: Male Female (circle one)
Virgin Program:
Is this your first RoseBowl? Yes No (Circle one)

Payment Information
Base Entry fee (\$75)(see Key Dates): \$ _____
Scratch Division (\$16) \$ _____
Pathetic Performance Insurance (\$1) \$ _____
Sat Nite Leather & Lace Bowl (\$12): \$ _____
Additional Banquet Tickets (\$25) \$ _____
PayPal Fee (\$2.50 per bowler) \$ _____
Total Payment Bowler #2: \$ _____

Pay Pal Billing Name: RosebowlClassic@yahoo.com Payments accepted through PayPal require a \$2.50 processing fee per bowler.

Doubles Team #2

Bowler Name: _____
Team Order #: _____
Birth date: Mo: _____ Day: _____
2008-09 Average: _____
2007-08 Average: _____
League Name: _____
USBC/CTP #: _____

Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____
Sex: Male Female (circle one)
Virgin Program:
Is this your first RoseBowl? Yes No (Circle one)

Payment Information
Base Entry fee (\$75)(see Key Dates): \$ _____
Scratch Division (\$16) \$ _____
Pathetic Performance Insurance (\$1) \$ _____
Sat Nite Leather & Lace Bowl (\$12): \$ _____
Additional Banquet Tickets (\$25) \$ _____
PayPal Fee (\$2.50 per bowler) \$ _____
Total Payment Bowler #3: \$ _____

Bowler Name: _____
Team Order #: _____
Birth date: Mo: _____ Day: _____
2008-09 Average: _____
2007-08 Average: _____
League Name: _____
USBC/CTP #: _____

Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____
Sex: Male Female (circle one)
Virgin Program:
Is this your first RoseBowl? Yes No (Circle one)

Payment Information
Base Entry fee (\$75)(see Key Dates): \$ _____
Scratch Division (\$16) \$ _____
Pathetic Performance Insurance (\$1) \$ _____
Sat Nite Leather & Lace Bowl (\$12): \$ _____
Additional Banquet Tickets (\$25) \$ _____
PayPal Fee (\$2.50 per bowler) \$ _____
Total Payment Bowler #4: \$ _____

Team Grand Total: \$ _____