	Bellevue Invitational Bowling Tournament December 5th & 6th, 2015 Conducted and Sponsored by Bellevue High School Teams Squad Times: 10:00 am with Bakers around 1:00 pm NOTE: *** JV on <u>Saturday</u> & Varsity on <u>Sunday</u> ***							
TOURNAMENT FORMAT Boys will bowl 3 regular games; Girls will bowl 3 regular games and 3 Baker games. Field will be cut (determined by # of entries). Each team will shoot Baker matches with winning team receiving 30 pts. for a win (15 for ties). Field will be cut to the top 4 with a stepladder 2-game Baker match roll-off Finals. (Format subject to change depending on # of Team entries).			Team Entry Fee: \$80.00	Tournament Address Leopard Lanes 601 Chateau Drive Bellevue, NE 68005 (402) 291-3033				
SCHOOL Name: City: Boys Girls Varsity (9th - 12th) Junior Varsity (4th - 12th)								
NAMES (Preferred Order of Bowlers)		USBC Card Number			Age	Grade		
1								
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*** ALL ROSTERS & SUBS WILL BE APPROVED BY THE TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE ***								
Entries are limited and accepted in order of receipt								
Coach's Name:	Addre	ss:		City:	Phone:			

Tournament Rules

- 1. The Bellevue Invitational Tournament is sponsored by the Bellevue Area Bowling Clubs and is open to all bowling teams of high school students in good academic standing and attenting a High School (public or private). Teams are composed of students attending one particular school unless approved by the Tournament Director prior to the tournament date. In case of bad weather or player not showing up, a team may borrow another team's player only by approval of the Tournament Director. This is a fun-time tournament.
- 2. The Bellevue Invitational Varsity High School and JV Tournament will be USBC Certified. Accordingly, all participants must be USBC Youth members. Any bowler not a USBC Youth member must pay a \$2.00 participation fee.
- 3. Entry fee is \$80.00 per team. Please pay in advance. Bowling: \$31.00, Scholarship Awards: \$29.00, Expenses: \$15.00, and \$5.00 to the NHSCA to run the Nebraska High School Championship

4. The highest finishing varsity boys and girls teams, not yet qualified, will qualify for the Nebraska High School Championships. Qualifying points for the NHSBCA Championship will be awarded to the top 10 teams.

- 5. The will be separate divisions for boys and girls, varsity and junior varsity teams.
- 6. Playing strength of each boys team shall be five (5) bowlers, (girls team four bowlers) although a team's roster may carry up to eight players.
- 7. Absent Bowler Rule for 2014/2015 season. If a team is short a bowler, they may still bowl qualifying with a sub. If no subs are available, then they may use an appropriate blind score from the Absent Bowler Chart.

Absent Bowler Chart						
Division	Blind Score	Bakers				
JV Boys	140	0-9				
JV Girls	100	0-9 (3rd frame)				
Varsity Boys	150	0-9				
Varsity Girls	130	0-9 (3rd frame)				

8. All competition will be scratch (no handicap).

9. Substitutions are not allowed during a game, qualifying or Baker, except in the case of an extreme accident or injury. Line-up may change on any single game.

10. Tournament format (SEE FRONT of this form).

11. All players, coaches, and spectators are expected to behave in a positive manner. Abusive language and/or gestures will not be tolerated and may result in a player or team being ejected from the tournament.

- 12. Players, coaches, and tournament officials only are allowed in the bowling area. All other spectators must remain behind the bowler's area.
- 13. Awards will be provided by the Bellevue Area Bowling Club as follows:

Each Division:

One 1st place team award as determined by the Tournament Director

1st place individual awards (trophy, medal, plaque, certificate) as determined by the Tournament Director

2nd, 3rd, and 4th place awards (trophy, medal, plaque, certificate) as determined by the Tournament Director

High Game and High Series (same bowler cannot win both awards)

14. Scholarships awarded will be using smart account #11594. Scholarship amounts will be announced at the coaches meeting or during awards presentations.

15. Any changes announced prior to the beginning of competition will take precedence.

16. USBC Rule 308 requires all award fees collected in an event or division of an event to be returned 100 percent to the participants in that event or division of that event.

Entries close December 1, 2015

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