Mail Entries To: Jim Matsumoto 6861 Steamboat Way Sacramento, CA 95831	RENO NISEI INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT	Make checks payable to: RENO NISEI TOURNAMENT
Entry Deadline: May 31, 2014 or when squads are filled	JULY 24-26, 2014	(Entry Fee must accompany all entries)
USBC Sanctioned	GRAND SIERRA LANES 2500 East Second Street, Reno NV 89595	ENTRY FEE Prize Fund \$12.00 Bowling 7.00
Handicap: 80% of 220 Men 100% of 220 Women Prize Fund Returned 100%	Chairman: Jim Matsumoto, (916) 392-5212, Jsmats@att.net	<u>Expense 3.00</u> Total \$22.00

RULES

- 1. Open to all Asian bowlers, non-Asian married to an Asian, non-Asian members of a Asian league or association, or any bowler who has participated in any previous Reno Nisei Invitational Tournaments. THE TOURNAMENT CHAIRMAN RESERVES THE RIGHT TO DETERMINE THE ELIGIBILITY OF A BOWLER.
- 2. Tournament shall be USBC sanctioned, and USBC rules and regulations will govern situations not covered by the Tournament Rules. All bowlers must be able to show their current USBC membership if required. In absence of acceptable proof of USBC affiliation, Non USBC members may pay an unattached affiliate fee of \$16.00 for men or \$20 for women or a tournament participation fee of \$5.00. The tournament participation fee does not qualify the bowler for any USBC awards.
- 3. USBC rules 319a, b, c, and e will apply to all entrants.
- 4. Tournament entering average shall be determined by the following priorities:
 - (a) Highest Winter 2012-13 book average listed at bowl.com, 21 games or more. If none, then use (b)
 - (b) Highest Winter 2013-14 book average listed at bowl.com, 21 games or more. If none, then use (c)
 - (c) Highest sanctioned Summer 2013 league average. If none, then use (d)
 - (d) If none of the above, men will enter at 220 and women will enter at 220.

USBC Rule 319a-2: When the previous season's average is used, and at the time of bowling an entrant has a current average for 21 or more games that is 10 pins or more higher than the prior season's average, the current average must be used.

USBC Rule 319a-3: Failure to use the correct average shall disqualify score if submitted average is lower than the correct average resulting in more handicap. Prize winnings shall be based on submitted average if it is higher than the correct average. Corrections in averages may be permitted up to the completion of the first game of a series.

Bowlers re-rated or readjusted by a local association or federation must use the re-rated or adjusted average and report it to the tournament director.

- 5. Tournament director reserves the right to reject, re-rate, or <u>re-adjust</u> any or all entrants prior to participation.
- 6. Handicap shall be based on 80% of 220 for men and 100% of 220 for women. The minimum entering average for women is 125 and 140 for men.
- 7. Prize ratio will be 1 per 10 entries.
- 8. Any bowler who has won a total of \$900.00 or more from three previous Reno Nisei Invitational Tournaments will be subject for possible readjustment.
- 9. Senior Mixed Team (same time as mixed team squads) and Mixed Team: At least one woman on the team. Bowlers must bowl in order listed. Replacements must bowl in position of original entrant. Minimum age for senior events is 55. Proof of age may be required.
- Doubles: 1) one man and one woman; 2) two women; or 3) two men. Two prize funds: 1) Mixed and two women; 2) Two men. Senior Doubles (same time as doubles squads): 1) one man and one woman or 2) two women. One prize fund. Minimum age for senior events is 55. Proof of age may be required.
- 11. Mixed No-Tap Doubles: one man and one woman with a combined age of 100 or more. Minimum age of 45. Proof of age may be required.
- 12. Entrants with the earliest postmark shall have time preference.
- 13. Bowlers can bowl any number of Senior Mixed Teams or Mixed Teams, if at least two members are different. Bowlers may bowl any number of Senior Mixed Doubles, Doubles, or Mixed No-Tap Doubles but cash only once with the same partner
- 14. Prize list shall be posted before start of Tournament. 100% of prize fund shall be paid and distributed to the winners within 30 days of close of tournament.
- 15. A bowler substitution (replacement bowler) not already entered into the tournament MUST provide an average verification at time of reporting the change. If unable to produce the average verification, the bowler may participate with a 220 average.

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Entry #:

Name:

Address:

City:

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State: Zip:

Email:

Bowler	(M) Male (F) Female	Entering Average	USBC #	Team \$22	Doubles \$22	Total Amount
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
9						
10						

Mixed Team	Team Name:			
1		Senior Team?	Squad C 1 st	Choices 2 nd
2				
3				
4				

Mixed Team	Team Name:			
1		Senio Tearr	Squad 1 st	Choices 2 nd
2				
3				
4				

Doubles (No Tap, Mix, Men)	Senior Team?	Squad 1 st	Choices 2 nd
1			
2			
1			
2			
1			
2			
1			
2			
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2			
Sq 1 Mx NoTap 7/24 11:00am Sq 5 Mx Sq 2 Mx NoTap 7/24 1:30pm Sq 6 Do Sq 3# Doubles 7/24 4:30pm Sq 7 Te Sq 4 Mx NoTap 7/24 7:00pm Sq 8# Te	am 7/25	9:00am 11:30am 2:00pm 5:30pm	Sq 10 - Sq 11 - Sq 12# - Sq 12# - Sq 13 -

Sq 9 – Doubles 7/25 8:00pm

Doubles (No Tap, Mix, Men)	Senior Team?	Squad Choices 1 st 2 nd	
1			
2			
1			
2			
1			
2			
1			
2			
1			
2			
1			
2			

10 – Doubles 7/26 9:00am 11 – Team 7/26 11:30am

12# – Doubles 7/26 3:00pm

Sq 13 – Team 7/26 5:30pm

Note: Min 25 No Tap or Mixed Dbls to have any squad