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SafeSport MAAP Policy

As an association leader with USBC, you should be aware of, and understand, the U.S. Center for SafeSport's 2022 Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies (MAAPP). USBC's version of the MAAPP's are included in the Athlete Safety/RVP Handbook in Section III.

To give you an overview of the MAAPP's, including recent changes, and to answer your questions, the U.S. Center for SafeSport is providing free live MAAPP trainings – tailored specifically for your role as an athlete, parent, coach or administrator. This training is NOT required, but simply a supplement for those who wish to know more about the programs SafeSport has to offer.

You can register for these virtual trainings at [this Center web page](#). Numerous trainings will take place each month, so check back periodically for calendar updates.

 ASSOCIATION MANAGEMENT

Membership Card Date of Birth

As a follow-up to three weeks ago, all memberships now are required to have an accurate date of birth on their profile, or they will not be able to be processed. You will see this in your existing leagues that are moved to inactive with the start of the new season, as the check box to activate the bowler is grayed out. You will need to add in a member's DOB first, to be able to sell them a membership.

We appreciate your assistance in providing this extra customer service and processing the leagues and memberships as they come in. Ensuring accurate dates of birth is essential to keeping up with compliance with SafeSport and USOPC mandates regarding

adult/youth leagues and youth/adult interactions. Thank you in advance for helping keep your WinLABS and USBC databases accurate.



WinLABS Tutorials

With the start of the 2021-2022 season, it never hurts to get refreshed on the best practices for WinLABS! Over the next few weeks, we will be highlighting some of our helpful tutorial videos for association managers to use when preparing to start leagues for this year. For a direct link to each video, please click the linked titles below:

[Activating Leagues](#) – This tutorial provides a quick overview on how to re-activate leagues that took place in the previous season but will retain the same general setup and information for the new season.

[Creating and Sending a Transmittal](#) – Transmittals are how information and data is uploaded from a local association WinLABS database to the national database at USBC HQ. This tutorial shows how to create and send a new transmittal, so your local bowler information can be provided to HQ.



Proposed legislation for 2022 USBC Convention

The deadline to submit a proposed amendment to be considered at the 2022 USBC Convention is nearing. Per the USBC national bylaws, written amendment proposals to bylaws and adult league and tournament rules must be received by USBC Headquarters on or before Sept. 1, prior to the next USBC Annual Meeting. For those who want to submit an amendment proposal, please be mindful of this deadline.

To submit a legislation proposal to USBC, please send to rules@bowl.com.



Live BowITV Podcasts & More

Be sure to visit BowITV.com to check out the week's great content.

You will need to register and sign in through the USBC Community Login to watch.

The upcoming livestream schedule (all times Eastern):

It's time for the 2021 U.S. Women's Open, the second major of the 2021 PWBA Tour season!

All qualifying and match-play rounds will be broadcast live on BowITV from Aug. 26-30,

and the event will conclude live on CBS Sports Network on Aug. 31 at 7 p.m.

It recently was announced that the 2021 USWO will feature a record-setting \$100,000 top prize.

To read more about the event and defending champion Danielle McEwan, click [here](#).