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SafeSport Training and NCSI Background Check

All local and state association board members are required to be registered volunteers. USBC's Registered Volunteer Program (RVP) is made up of three parts:

- 1. Active USBC membership
- 2. Yearly training provided by the U. S. Center for SafeSport
- 3. Current background check conducted by the National Center for Safety Initiatives (NCSI)

These three parts make up the Registered Volunteer Program, though it is a common misconception that the background check is the only requirement. An individual must meet all three requirements of the program to qualify as a registered volunteer, and thus, serve as a board member.

The expiration date that can be seen on the RVP badge is the expiration of the member's background check, since it is good for two years. Each screen also is done in the off year to ensure nothing new arises with each RVP. Background check expiration dates and SafeSport expiration dates do not necessarily line up, depending on when each was completed.

SafeSport training must be updated **annually** with a refresher course.

Links to complete training and the background screen can be found by logging into your <u>BOWL.com</u> account and then clicking on Athlete Safety.

For any additional questions, please contact <u>RVP@bowl.com</u>.



Growing Your Youth Program



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To learn more, click on the image above to be taken to the Youth Resource Center!



Live BowITV Podcasts & More

Be sure to visit **<u>BowITV.com</u>** 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):

The BowITV team is headed to Las Vegas for the 2021 Super Senior Classic and USBC Senior Masters. Both will be broadcast exclusively on BowITV from start to finish.

The two events will be held consecutively at Sam's Town Bowling Center from Sept. 9-

19.

The Super Senior Classic, for USBC members 60 and older, will be held from Sept. 9-13, with qualifying officially getting underway Sept. 10 at noon.

The Senior Masters, for USBC members 50 and older, will run Sept. 13-19. Qualifying will begin Sept. 14 at 11 a.m.

Don't miss a minute of either event!

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