

## **FAQs on TOURNAMENT PAYMENT OPTIONS**

## **BRACKETS**

1. Will brackets be accepting cash this year?

We will be accepting cash, credit card, prepaid cash cards from all major credit card providers and traveler's checks.

2. Why the change from last year?

Contact reduction is no longer a major concern, and some customers prefer the cash option.

3. Are there prepaid cash cards for sale on-site?

No, but most major retail stores sell prepaid credit cards.

4. What if my credit card blocks the transaction?

We suggest notifying your card company in advance that you be traveling and how much you intend to purchase.

5. Will winnings go back to my credit card?

Winnings will be paid out at the designated location in the South Point Casino for the Open Championships on-site at Stardust Bowl for the Women's Championships.

7. Can I use multiple credit cards if I do not have enough money on one card to cover my purchases?

Yes, but you will need to fill out a separate order form for each transaction. We can't split an order on separate cards.

8. If a bracket product does not fill, how will refunds be handled?

In most cases, your refund will be posted and paid with bracket winnings in the casino.

9. How will under-21 payout work?

Under-21 earnings at the Open Championships will be paid on-site at the Bowler Services Counter. Under 21 earning at the Women's Championships will be paid on-site at Bracket Pickup.

10. How will brackets earnings not picked up be paid out?

Unclaimed bracket earnings over \$10 will be paid on prize checks at the end of the respective tournament.

13. Can I pay in advance by cashier's check?

Yes, those wanting to pay in advance by cashier's check should contact the tournament management for details on the process.

## **OTHER OPERATIONS**

1. Will cash be accepted for other purchases such as BBE, membership, balances due, future registration and all-events?

No, cash is only accepted for bracket purchases.

2. What about your other vendors such as the USBC Bowling Store, ball booths, etc.

Individual vendors will make their own decisions regarding cash handling.

## **BOWLERS JOURNAL & PRACTICE**

- 1. Will cash be accepted for the Bowlers Journal Championships or practice sessions?

  Payment for Bowlers Journal entries and practice sessions will be credit card-only.
- 2. How do I enter individual events or more than one event in the online registration system?

The registration system and \$40 fee secure you a spot to bowl. Specific events you wish to enter will be selected and additional payment(s), if necessary will be made when you check-in.

3. What if I paid too much in the online registration?

We will refund your card the difference.

Additional questions can be addressed to: <u>USBCopenchampionships@bowl.com</u>