1ˢᵗ Memorial Day Classic Tournament

Organized by the Guam Bowling Congress in celebration of its 40ᵗʰ anniversary.

Divisions

The 1st Annual Memorial Day Classic is a tournament support by the Guam Bowling Congress in efforts to promote the sport of tenpin bowling. The tournament will be a master qualifying (MQ) style format and will feature three divisions which include the Open, Graded and Seniors divisions.

Division	Description
Open	Open to all bowlers, all division and ages with no handicap assessed during Qualifying and the finals. Female players will receive 8 pins handicap.
Graded	The Graded division is a handicapped division. All bowlers who are eligible for the Budweiser Prince of the Lanes division are permitted to play in the Graded division. Handicap will be assigned to each player with the latest handicap based on the Guam Bowling Congress Book average. The tournament director has every right to re-rate players in this division and adjust handicap accordingly.
Senior	All players with the minimum age of 50 years old. Handicap will also be assigned to the player based on the Pin Point Senior Bowlers of the month event.

Qualifiers

Point	Details
Qualifying Schedule	Qualifying will be done during league nights or on the weekends during the hours of 1200pm-400pm with one tournament committee member present. Weekend Qualifying must be reserved and is only permitted if a pair of lanes are available. Reservations for weekend Qualifying must be made with the tournament coordinator prior to qualifying. Lanes fees will be included on weekend Qualifying on top of the MQ fees.
Fees	The fees include $15 dollars for the first two (2) entries of MQ and $10 for every re-qualifying. Masters Finals fees will be $50 for all divisions to the top 16 qualifiers on Monday.
Qualifying on League Nights	Qualifying during league nights will be coordinated with the tournament coordinator. Payment must be given to the tournament coordinator prior to bowling the MQ on league nights. A Qualifying sheet will be filled out by the secretary or tournament coordinator and turned in for recording.
Declaration of Division	Prior to qualifying, players must declare which division by marking the correct division on the recap scoresheet prior to qualifying.

Tournament finals

On Monday, May 27th, a roll call will start at 12pm and end at 1230pm. Late bowlers will not be allowed to participate. If a player is not present after 1230pm, the next qualifier will be called.

Round	Details
Round 1	The finals will commence at 1235pm with practice bowling of 10 minutes for warm up. Players will change lanes, moving four lanes to the right until all four games are complete.
Round 2	The top four players will then proceed to round 2. All four players in each division will bowl one game. Each division will bowl round 2 on one pair of lanes with all players in their respective division.
Round 3	The top two scores in each division will advance to round 3 which will be the division finals. The winners of round three will be declared the division champion and will proceed to round 4.
Round 4	In round 4, the grand champion will be declared with the Open champion, Graded champion, and Senior Champion bowling one game on lanes 15-16. The highest score, including handicap for the Graded and Seniors division, will be declared the Memorial Day Tournament Grand Champion. The second highest score will receive the second-place prize and the lowest score will be awarded the third-place prize.
Tie Breaker	In case of a tie for the 16ᵗʰ slot of the qualifying session or rounds 1 through 4, a one ball sudden death roll-off will be played. Possible sudden death roll-offs will be at the end of rounds 2, 3, and 4. In the case of a roll off no handicap will be used.

Prizes

Grand Champion: **$1,000.00**

Overall 2ⁿᵈ Place: $500.00

Overall 3ʳᵈ Place: $250.00

Division.Prize.Breakdown	Open	Classified	Senior
Runner.Up	$150.00	$150.00	$150.00
9ʳᵈ.Place	$100.00	$100.00	$100.00
0ᵗʰ.Place	$50.00	$50.00	$50.00

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