



July 18, 2021 Huntsville Annual meeting was held at Madison Bowling Center at 2:00 PM included in this report is the submitted reports.

Actions taken during meeting:

A Burnham motioned to accept reports, motion carried

S Young motioned to accept proposed budget; motion carried

2021-2022 Proposed Budget

Based on 1400 members @ \$8 per Adult Bowler each = \$11,200

Line-Item	Amount
Salary	\$6000
Website	\$100
Service Program	\$2500
Office Supplies	\$600
Nationals Meeting	\$500
Annual Meeting	\$100
RVP	\$300
Hall of Fame	\$1000
Contingent Misc.	\$100
 Balance	 \$\$11,200

We welcomed Greater Decatur Association to Huntsville USBC as we are absorbing them effective August 1, 2021.

Bylaw proposal to change number of members to add 2 members from the Greater Decatur Association to our board. 1 elected for a 3-year term the other appointed by President to be elected for a 3-year term next year. L Proctor motioned to accept; motion passed.

Elections:

President – Michael Webber

3rd Vice (Youth) – Emily Lindsey

Youth Director/Director – Rhonda Swaim

Director 10 – Patrick Proctor

Director 11 – Mary Parrish

Director 12 – Brian Burnham

Director 13 – Marykaye Caudle

Director 19 – Ed Campbell (3-year term)

Director 20 – John Campbell (appointment)

R Swaim gave report on scheduled Secretary/President meetings and up coming tournaments for 21-22 season.



At the end of scheduled tournaments for the Open/Woman a new 4-year contract will be sent to 4 houses regarding the cost of lineage for the following years. Rotation will be Decatur, Redstone, Pin Palace, Madison.

Report Submitted by:
Rhonda Swaim
HUSBC Association Manager

2020-2021 Manager Report

As the season started on a sad note with centers not sure if they were going to open or at half capacity, things look pretty scary.

We had several bowlers that did not come and bowl this season and we are hoping to see them soon. This being said our membership was down with current being 1175 down from 1575 last year.

We hosted 2 State tournaments the Senior and the Open. We will have another State tournament this coming year in April, the State Woman's.

We had the following income from these tournaments.

Senior Tournament Brackets:	\$1775 (applied to National meeting budget)
Open Tournament Brackets:	\$4814 (will apply \$1000 to National meeting budget. Remainder to general fund)
50/50 for Vets State Senior:	\$1270 (given in November 2020)
50/50 for Vets State Open:	\$2162 (will be given in November 2021)

Nationals sent each Association \$1 for each member based on numbers from 2018-2019 season, we received \$1779. The board decided to purchase a new computer with \$600 from that and apply the remaining to our local tournaments as added prize money for all events.

The money in the budget for the National meeting will carry over for another 2 years as they did a virtual meeting this year. This will help us have enough money to carry the board members to the next meeting.

New this coming season we will be absorbing the Greater Decatur Association into the Huntsville Association. We will be adding AMF River City Lanes to our rotation of the Open/Woman City Tournament and if Family Times has a youth league, we will add them to the rotation of the Youth Tournament. We welcome the members to Huntsville Association. They will no longer be paying a dual membership if they already bowl in Huntsville Association.

This year we will have the Local Senior Tournament in September with the Local Open/Woman in November. In February we will have the Local Youth City and will host the State Woman's in April. We look forward to seeing many at these events.

Report submitted by
Rhonda Swaim
Association Manager



August 9, 2020 HUSBC held a meeting at Pin Palace at 2:00 PM.

Board looked over Financial Statement for August 2020.

Old Business:

None

New Business:

Election of President:

As Hosie Seal Sr stepped down as the Association President on July 19, 2020 due to health of his wife and himself an election was held to finish out his term of 1 year.

The election was held with candidates of Larry Keel and Michael Webber. With the casting of votes Michael Webber was elected to be the Huntsville USBC President. Larry Keel will remain as 1st Vice President.

Thus, leaving the 2nd Vice President position open for a 3-year term it was announced and asked who on the board would like to run for this position. We had 2 Sharon Young and Don Millitello. With the casting of votes Don Millitello was elected as 2nd Vice President.

Tournaments:

We have the State Senior Tournament coming in October at Redstone Lanes. We need to know who is available to help work this. Redstone will be issuing tickets to get on post during the tournament. R Swaim stated the information is needed asap and asked members to check calendars.

Local Open/Woman City Tournament:

R. Swaim asked board if they still wanted to keep the tournament in November for a back-to-back tournament work schedule. Board decided to do so. This tournament will be November 7-8, 14-15 and 21-22 at Pin Palace. Lineage will be \$10.50 per 3 games to make event cost an even amount raised prize fund by \$.50 so entry fee will be \$25 per event.

Returned Award Tickets:

We had 3 tickets returned with awards for the 19-20 season. The board decided that the 3 people would receive a \$2 discount on their membership fee for the 20-21 season if they bowl. Motion was made by S Young and seconded. Motion passed.

National Convention:

We can have up to 5 delegates for the National meeting to be held in Chicago, IL in April. The attendees will be Rhonda Swaim, Larry Keel, Nedra Keel, Patrick Proctor and Larry Honea with an alternate who is Laurie Proctor. R Swaim will take care of the room information and get everyone registered for the meeting.

Report submitted by:

Rhonda Swaim

HUSBC Association Manager



December 6, 2020 HUSBC held a meeting at Pin Palace at 2:00 PM.

Financial Report and Association Manager Report was emailed to board as follows:

The local has hosted the State Senior Tournament in October. We had a great turnout and thanks to those that helped work it. All went well both with the tournament and the center. We ran brackets and made \$1775.00 to go towards the National meeting in April. We sold enough towels between the State Youth and the Senior we are now in the black. We are \$11 to the good. We also ran the 50/50 for Veterans and collected \$1270. The Association was paid \$287 and paid it to the workers of the tournament.

Our next State Tournament will be in May which is the State Open with doubles/singles at Redstone and team at Pin Palace. Workers will be needed at both houses. Trudi Beard is loaning us her extra printer to run brackets at Pin Palace. We will purchase ink for it when the time comes.

We held our local Open and Woman City Tournaments in November. Turn out for them was as follows with a comparison of last year.

Open 19-20	Open 20-21	Woman 19-20	Woman 20-21
Teams 15	Team 23	Team 8	Team 6
Doubles 23	Doubles 34	Doubles 15	Doubles 8
Singles 43	Singles 64	Singles 29	Singles 16
AE 33	AE 62	AE 25	AE 11
AE Sr 28	AE Sr 37	AE Sr 18	AE Sr 7

Keep in mind with the COVID-19 things are going to be down in count. The Open was up though. M Webber gathered several teams and R Swaim got 2 Open and 1-woman team.

The financial report from them is as follows:

Woman

Event	Number	Fees	Lineage	Expense	Prize
Team	6	\$ 600.00	\$ 252.00	\$ 48.00	\$ 300.00
Doubles	8	\$ 400.00	\$ 168.00	\$ 32.00	\$ 200.00
Singles	16	\$ 400.00	\$ 168.00	\$ 32.00	\$ 200.00
All Events	11	\$ 55.00			\$ 55.00
All Events Senior	7	\$ 35.00			\$ 35.00
Total		\$ 1,490.00	\$ 588.00	\$ 112.00	\$ 790.00

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Open

Event	Number	Fees	Lineage	Expense	Prize
Team	23	\$ 2,300.00	\$ 966.00	\$ 184.00	\$ 1,150.00
Doubles	34	\$ 1,700.00	\$ 714.00	\$ 136.00	\$ 850.00
Singles	64	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 672.00	\$ 128.00	\$ 800.00
All Events	62	\$ 310.00			\$ 310.00



All Events Senior	37	\$	185.00		\$	185.00
Total		\$	6,095.00	\$ 2,352.00	\$ 448.00	\$ 3,295.00
						\$ 6,095.00

I am going to give it another week or two for any corrections of scores that may be needed and then cut the winners checks. I would like to have a tournament committee to work on times for our local tournament. With Doubles and Singles being at 3:30 PM it puts everyone getting out of the center very late. In addition, the house starts to get busy on Saturday night around 5-6 PM and we really need to free up their lanes. As we only use Madison and Pin Palace now for this tournament this will put Madison in a crunch.

Veterans' donations have been great this year. So far, we have collected \$3368. A special thanks to Huntsville Tractor & Men's league for turning in \$400. Last year we raised \$2481.00. Thanks for all of your hard work on this.

Leagues:	\$1871
State:	\$1270
Tournament:	\$ 227

I am attaching a comparison of leagues from last year to this year so you can see the differences. We are currently at 980 members last year we had for the season 1577. Hoping things will get better so bowlers will come back later in the season.

Report motion to accept by L Bodart was approved

Old Business:

None

New Business:

President wants all committees to submit a report to board or email to Association Manager at the next meeting. If the committee does not have a report that will be stated, as some won't have one. Example is Hall of Fame does not take place until 2021-2022 season. Remember when your committee meets, they can be virtual, in person or by email. Please invite President Michael Webber and Association Manager.

National Convention:

Will be held virtual this year so money set for the trip will be carried over for the next time the Association attends in the 2022-2023 season.

Welcome to new board members: James Lavigne III, Dale Tolgo, and Emily Lindsey 3rd Vice President.

Next meeting will be April 11th at Madison Bowling Center at 2:00 PM.

Report submitted by:

Rhonda Swaim

HUSBC Association Manager



April 11, 2021 HUSBC held a meeting at Madison at 2:00 PM.

In February the Huntsville Youth City Tournament was held at Redstone Lanes.
Youth City 20-21 Redstone

Event	Number	Fees	Lineage	Expense	Prize
U8-10 Boys Singles	3	\$45.00	\$25.50	\$1.50	\$18.00
U8-10 Girls	1	\$15.00	\$8.50	\$0.50	\$6.00
U12 Boys Singles	2	\$30.00	\$17.00	\$1.00	\$12.00
U12 Gils Singles	2	\$30.00	\$17.00	\$1.00	\$12.00
U15 Boys Singles	8	\$120.00	\$68.00	\$4.00	\$48.00
U15 Girls Singles	1	\$15.00	\$8.50	\$0.50	\$6.00
U18 Boys Singles	15	\$225.00	\$127.50	\$7.50	\$90.00
U18 Girls Singles	8	\$120.00	\$68.00	\$4.00	\$48.00
U8-U10 Doubles	1	\$30.00	\$17.00	\$1.00	\$12.00
U12 Doubles	2	\$60.00	\$34.00	\$2.00	\$24.00
U15 Doubles	4	\$120.00	\$68.00	\$4.00	\$48.00
U18 Doubles	16	\$480.00	\$272.00	\$16.00	\$192.00
U12 Team	1	\$60.00	\$34.00	\$2.00	\$24.00
U15 Team	2	\$120.00	\$68.00	\$4.00	\$48.00
U18 Team	9	\$540.00	\$306.00	\$18.00	\$216.00
Totals		\$2,010.00	\$1,139.00	\$67.00	\$804.00

Nationals gave each Association a refund based on the number of members from 2018-2019. We received a deposit of \$1779. The Finance Committee met to decide what to do with the money.

Old Business:

Open State will be held at Pin Palace for Team and Redstone for Doubles/Singles on the 1st 3 weekends in May. Redstone brackets will be run by Trudi Beard and Pin Palace will be Aimee Burnham. Board members will be needed to work this event. L Keel has some discount cards from Logan's to give out during the State Open tournament.

National meeting is virtual this year. It will be last week in April; delegates should have been receiving emails regarding this. Money will carry over for 2 more years.

New Business:

Finance Committee met regarding the money given by Nationals. Recommendations:

As computer needs to be replaced, take \$600 to purchase a new one. The remaining amount of \$1179 be put in local tournaments. P Proctor made a motion to accept, motion passed.

The tournament committee met and are making the following recommendations.

The extra money from Nationals be added to the local all events in the amount of \$2 per bowler, the youth would go for scholarship of all events. We would do this for the next 3 years unless the money runs out



before that time. If there is any money left over after 3 years, the remainder would be put in the General Fund to be used as needed. L Bodart motioned that we accept recommendation, motion passed.

Some other changes to the Open/Woman City tournament are as follows:

Move squad times to 9:00 AM and 1:30 PM on Saturday and Sunday. Also, any event can be bowled on any shift. Remove limit on entries to team event and doubles event. Motion to accept by A Burnham, motion passed.

Add a "Find A Team Weekend", this would be if a bowler wants to bowl but does not have a team or doubles partner. This would be the 1st weekend of the tournament. They would send in the total amount of entry for team, doubles, singles and all events. The Association Manager would then put teams together for them. If we don't have enough bowlers to fill, the board members would step up and pay for the needed entries and bowl. Motion to accept by E Figer, motion passed.

We will be hosting the State Woman tournament in 21-22, all events will be held at Redstone. They are working out the details but will be last of March to 1st 2 weeks in April or all of April.

Local Tournaments for the 21-22 Season

Senior – September 18-19 & 25-26, if Pin Palace agrees will be there

Open/Woman – November 6-7, 13-14 & 20-21 at Madison

Pepsi Sectional – February 5 at Pin Palace

Youth – February 12-13 at Madison

State Annual meeting:

Delegates – M Webber, D Battle, M Parrish, B Burnham, A Burnham

Our current membership is 1059 down by 508 we will see how many we pick up this Summer. Most of the centers are open for full service without skipping lanes. Redstone still has mask mandate being a Military Installation.

Annual meeting

July 18, 2021 at Madison Bowling Center

Report submitted by:

Rhonda Swaim

HUSBC Association Manager

National Convention

USBC will no longer require all members to be Safe sport trained if it is considered an adult/youth league. No one under the age of 18 will not be allowed to bowl in an adult league. League will have to be classified as adult/youth and prize money will only be allowed to go into SMART for them. According to National meeting there is no longer a waiver for this. The league President and Secretary will be required to have the Safe sport training and be RVP certified by USBC to have an adult/youth league.

All youth bowlers that turn 18 during the season of a youth league must take safe sport training.



National fees will not go up this year but will go up \$2 to make it a total of \$15 effective August 1, 2022.

Vote on changes

2020 LEGISLATION

League Rules (majority needed)

Amendment No. LR 1 - Rejected (214 accept, 516 reject)

Rule 105, Absentee and Vacancy Scores

Requires the use of a vacancy score until the person actually bowls.

Tournament Rules (majority needed)

Amendment No. TR 1 - Adopted (552 accept, 87 reject)

Rule 309a, Cash, Bonds or Merchandise Prizes

Requires tournament managers to provide copies of prize lists and financial statements to tournament participants.

Amendment No. TR 2 - Rejected (51 accept, 586 reject)

Rule 319c, Average Adjustments (Rerating)

Limits the ability of a tournament manager to adjust a player's average upward for future events.

Amendment No. TR 3 - Rejected (61 accept, 569 reject)

Rule 319c, Average Adjustments (Rerating)

Allows the player who has had their average adjusted in a commercial tournament to appeal this adjustment to USBC.

Amendment No. TR 4 - Rejected (24 accept, 600 reject)

Rule 319c, Average Adjustments (Rerating)

Eliminates the reporting requirement of average adjustments.

Amendment No. TR 5 - Rejected (31 accept, 603 reject)

Rule 319c, Average Adjustments (Rerating)

Limits the reporting period for average adjustments to 12 months.

Bylaws (two-third votes needed)

Amendment No. B 1 - Rejected (136 accept, 492 reject)

USBC National Bylaws

Article III, Membership and Dues

Section B, Dues

Makes the payment of state dues optional.

Amendment No. B 2 - Rejected (142 accept, 482 reject)

USBC National Bylaws

Article III, Membership and Dues

Section B, Dues

Waives all dues (national, state and local) for those age 80 and over.



Amendment No. B 3 - Rejected (167 accept, 449 reject)

USBC National Bylaws

Article III, Membership and Dues

Section B, Dues

Allows membership bought in a summer league to extend through July 31 of the following year.

Amendment No. B 4 - Adopted (574 accept, 49 reject)

USBC National Bylaws

Article IV, Board of Directors

Section A, Eligibility

Requires an individual who intends to run for a position on the USBC Board of Directors to meet eligibility requirements prior to nomination.

Amendment No. B 6 - Adopted (588 accept, 29 reject)

USBC National Bylaws

Article VII, Committees

Section A, Standing Committees, Item 1

Allows the Chair of the Nominating Committee to be appointed by the USBC President.

Amendment No. B 7 - Adopted (553 accept, 51 reject)

USBC State Association Bylaws

Article V, Board of Directors - Management

Section C, Election of Directors

Allows the state to adopt a deadline for the submission of qualifications for nominations to be submitted at least 24 hours, but no more than seven days, prior to the opening of the annual meeting.

Amendment No. B 8 - Adopted (559 accept, 35 reject)

USBC State Association Bylaws

Article VI, Officers

Section B, Election

Allows the state to adopt a deadline for the submission of qualifications for nominations to be submitted at least 24 hours, but no more than seven days, prior to the opening of the annual meeting.

2021 LEGISLATION

League Rules (majority needed)

Amendment No. LR 1 - Rejected (39 accept, 557 reject)

Rule 100g, Handicap

Mandates adult leagues use handicap based on 100% of 300.

Amendment No. LR 2 - Rejected (25 accept, 553 reject)

Rule 100g Handicap

1. Defaults handicap to 100% of 300 if no league rule.

2. Mandates negative handicap if not using 100% of 300.



Amendment No. LR 3 - Adopted (511 accept, 75 reject)

Rule 106c, Interrupted Game/Series

Allows a league officer to authorize practice.

Amendment No. LR 4 - Rejected (126 accept, 466 reject)

USBC Playing Rules

Rule 113a, Definitions

Allows leagues to adopt a rule to allow total pinfall to break ties.

Amendment No. LR 5 - Rejected (15 accept, 570 reject)

Rule 122, Meetings

Requires rule changes to be handled the prior season, and any changes for the new season requires written and unanimous consent of all team captains, with exception to "league cap" and "average handicap."

Bylaws (two-third votes needed)

Amendment No. B 1 - Adopted (545 accept, 35 reject)

USBC National Bylaws

Article IV, Board of Directors

Section E, Authority and Duties

Provides for the board to make emergency decisions, in extreme situations, to temporarily suspend bylaws and rules.