



ADULT SPECIAL OLYMPICS BOWLING LEAGUE

BOWLING INFORMATION AND RULES FOR THE ADULT SPECIAL OLYMPICS BOWLING LEAGUE IN CHANDLER

LOCATION:	Chandler AMF (Warner and Arizona Ave.)
WHEN:	Saturdays, 9:30 a.m.
LENGTH:	12-week league from May 17-August 2, 2008
COST:	\$8.00 per week (includes 3 games of bowling, free shoe rental and end of the season party, including trophies and awards).
CONTACT:	Collette Prather 480-782-2709

IMPORTANT DATES August 22 – Bowling Party



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"League Rules"

1. **Consumption of alcohol will not be permitted during league play.**
2. Each team will consist of four (4) bowlers.
3. Averages will be established after (3) games or the 2nd week of bowling.
4. Teams will be established the first week of bowling.
5. If a bowler is absent, his average minus (10) pins will be used for that day.
6. If all team members are absent, they will automatically forfeit the game.
7. If a bowler is absent, he/she still must pay **\$3.00**.
8. Tardy bowlers will be allowed to bowl the entire game, only if the player arrives before the 3rd frame is finished. If the bowler arrives after the 3rd frame, he/she will have to wait for the 2nd game to start to play. You may forfeit your space for the day also if you arrive over 15 minutes late.
9. Composite averages are determined by adding the total number of pins from all games, and dividing that score by the total number of games bowled.
10. All handicaps will be based on 80% of 200.
11. Bowlers will keep all snacks and sodas out of the active bowling area.
12. The focus of this program is competitive play, not instruction. Limited instruction may be provided if enough staff or volunteers are available the first two weeks of play.
13. Foul lights will be used. After a foul ball has been thrown, the bowler or scorekeeper must re-rack the pins to the second ball.
14. Bowlers will switch lanes each frame.
15. **Bowling begins at 9:30 a.m. Your space may be given away if you arrive after 9:45 a.m. If you don't attend, participate or let anyone know you will be gone after the first three weeks, you may forfeit your position on the team.**
16. Lane courtesy will be used throughout league play.
17. You may make up games during the previous week or upcoming week to when you are absent only to be counted in the league standings

SPECIAL NOTE: Athletes must have a current Special Olympics Medical/Parent Release form on file with the City of Chandler's Therapeutic Recreation Program to participate. You may get the form on our website at www.chandleraz.gov/therapeutic.

If you would like to be a bowling coach, please call Collette Prather at 480-782-2709.

Rules #1, 5, 9, 10, 13, & 14 follow Special Olympics Arizona standards.