Mount Pleasant Youth Bowling League Rules 2021-22 Season

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Junior/Senior (JS) Bantam-Prep (BP)

1. League will be sanctioned by the United States Bowling Congress (USBC).
2. League will begin on September 11, 2021 and end on January 22, 2022. League will bowl 18 weeks and allow 2 weeks for snow dates and/or fun day. Weekly schedule will be posted above the league standing sheets. We will bowl the Saturday after Thanksgiving. No bowling will be held December 25 or January 1.
3. Masks are recommended but not required *unless* state or federal regulations change dictating a requirement.
4. Youth Tournament will be January 29, 2022, weather cancellations permitting. Rules and entry forms will be available January 8.
5. Weekly bowling fee will be $8.00. Lineage is $7 and prize fund is $1.
6. Three games will be bowled each session. One point will be awarded for each game won and one point for total pins.
7. Three games will be required to establish an average. Handicap will be 100% of the difference between the bowler’s average and 200.
8. Vacancy scores will be the lowest average of the opposing team’s roster. If two or more vacancy scores are needed, the average of the next-to-lowest bowler will be used. The handicap will be that of the average used. If a bowler misses two weeks, without payment of fees, bowler could forfeit their spot on the team.
9. Pre-Post bowling will be allowed *unless* COVID-19 restrictions need to be reinstated. Reservations to pre/post- bowl should be made with the proprietor prior to bowling. Pre/post-bowling should occur within one week of Saturday missed. Score sheets are at the front desk for this.
10. **Bowlers are responsible for fees each week regardless of whether they bowl or not.**
11. Street shoes, food, and beverages will not be allowed in the settee areas.
12. All teams will have 4 bowlers. If a team is unable to fill a spot or loses a bowler, the vacancy score will be used. A legal lineup will consist of two bowlers. Pre-post bowling scores do count as a rostered member.
13. If a team does not bowl, they will forfeit wins to the opposing team.
14. Shoe rental will be charged to bowlers arriving after the start of bowling. Bowlers arriving before the start of bowling will not be charged rental fees.
15. If the weather forces a cancellation, it will be on the “Mount Pleasant IA Bowling Association” Facebook page, the “Mt. Pleasant Youth Bowling League-Iowa" Facebook page, and KILJ by 7:30 AM.
16. Bowlers will not be eligible to receive end-of-season prizes if they do not pay for 2/3 (12 weeks) of the season.
17. ELECTRONICS, such as phones, games, iPads, iPods, etc., will **NOT** be allowed while bowling.
18. Objections to these rules must be in writing and addressed to the Youth Committee and/or the MPUSBC Board.