

MONCKS CORNER, SC

WANTED

IRONMAN CHAMPION

2000 R NEFF (H)
2001 T CHRISTENSON (H)
2002 R NEFF (H)
2004 D MALIKOWSKI (S)
2005 L BARNETTE (H)
2006 D WARHURST (H)
2007 N CASSARA (H)
2008 J HORN (S)
2009 J OLIVER (H)
2010 L PLATT (S)

2020



2011 L PLATT (S)
2012 J GARRICK (H)
2013 E LAMBIE (H)
2014 S BAKER (S)
2015 T COLLINS (H)
2016 D GIBSON (H)
2017 A DILEY (S)
2018 J KOESTER (H)
2019 A DILEY (S)
2020



IT'S YOUR TURN
AUGUST 7-9

\$ 10,000

CASH REWARD

JAMES E STRODE MEMORIAL IRONMAN

BOWLTHEIRONMAN@YAHOO.COM

IRONMAN 2020: THESE ARE YOUR RULES

Any rules not listed will be available at the tournament desk or covered by USBC rulebook.

Marathon Entries from the 2019 IRONMAN may secure their spot in the 2020 tournament by paying their invitational entry fee of \$200 by 1 February 2020. **INVITATIONAL ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN (NLT) 1 February 2020.** Any 2019 Marathon bowler that does not enter by the February deadline are subject to a \$50 late fee up to March 1. After March 1 bowlers will need to qualify under the Win-A-Spot option. See the Win-A-Spot eligibilities and registration page for details.

NO SINGLE ENTRIES WILL BE TAKEN FOR THE 2020 IRONMAN!

Brackets Available	Progressive Strike Pot PSP	ENTRY FEE \$200	Handicap for the 20 th Anniversary IRONMAN 80% of 210 (as it was in year 1) with max handicap of 32 per game.
High Games Pots	Ball Give-A-Ways	<u>Funds Distribution</u> \$49.50 Lineage \$150.50 Prize Fund	Averages based on a 3 year composite. Summer league averages are included in USBC composite and will be valid for 2020 IRONMAN.

- 2020 IRONMAN consist of 11 shifts. **Bowlers must participate in a minimum of 5 shifts to win \$10,000** . Any bowler participating in less than 5 shift and becomes the 2020 IRONMAN Champion will win \$5,000.
- Sign-in opens 1 hour prior and closes when the lane lights come on for practice.
- No headphones, ear buds, etc may be used while bowling. Devises may be used while in settee area.
- Clothing that displays any profanity or exposes parts of the body not appropriate to our bowlers or spectators will not be allowed.
- All new USBC rules in relationship to balls and equipment will be enforced during this years IRONMAN.
- Practice consists of 2 balls (only) on each lane of your starting pair.
- Each shift consists of 3 games across 6 lanes moving one pair to the right after each game. Bowlers must complete all 3 games of each shift they start. **Not finishing or dropping before games are completed, regardless of reason, will eliminate the bowler from participating in the following scheduled shift. Any shift not finished will not count as a shift towards the 5 required for the top prize. If bowler drops during the 11th shift (last shift of tournament), they will be disqualified from the tournament.**
- Participants are required to bowl at a pace that allows completion within the allotted squad times. Tournament director reserves the right to address slow pace bowlers and penalize accordingly.
- Auto-seed shifts are at 8 am. Handicap division 8 August 2020 and scratch division 9 August 2020. The bowler with the highest score advances to the *qualifying round*. This does not preclude bowler from needing 5 shifts for the \$10,000 first place money.
- Individual score sheets must be turned in to tournament desk at the conclusion of each shift. Leaderboard will be updated after each squad showing the current cut. After the 11th shift the final board update will identify those qualifying for the next round.
- The top 19 bowlers (scores) from each division and auto seed will advance to the *qualifying round* on 9 August 2020 for a total of 20 bowlers participating in the qualifying round.
- Qualifying round is 3 games across 6 lanes cut to top 16 in each division to the bracket finals. Only bowlers making the bracket finals cash.
- Bracket finals are double elimination. Championship match(s) consist of Handicap vs. Scratch bracket winners. Games are continuation of the double elimination format.
- The female and male at the conclusion of the 11th shift with the most accumulative pins will receive a ball of their choice. Balls donated by Swamp Fox's pro shop. Drilling not included.
- All prize money will be awarded at the conclusion of tournament on 9 August 2020.

USBC CERTIFICATION # 04006

20th Anniversary James E Strode Memorial IRONMAN

It is our absolute pleasure to bring you the 20th Anniversary IRONMAN. During our weekend of pain and pleasure, please take a moment to enjoy what is for so many bowlers, local and out of state, their favorite tournament of the year. For that reason, this year we are offering a first place prize (\$10,000) that celebrates all our participants and adds a few thousand extra reasons for your favorite fan to come support your game. We humbly apologize for the single entry bowlers unable to participate this year.

Logistically it was not possible, however it will return in 2021.

Opening ceremonies will kick off the weekend beginning @ 3:30 on 7 August with our rules recap and the following events:

Recognition of the Marathon bowlers who have bowled all 19 years

Introduction and recognition of the 19 IRONMAN champions and the hanging of their new champions' banner

Live performance of the National Anthem

Some of what we've learn in 19 years

Bowlers love our wood lanes ONCE a year

We still make bowlers mad where they don't come back

Nicknames are optional

Don't be late for a squad or you won't bowl

Everyone that bowls is family except "you know who"

Johnny needs a wrap it up box

Almost everyone has a chance

Parking lot is big enough for an RV

Double burn, enough said

Sleeping optional, pain inevitable, & breakfast is a must

Barbershop gets crowded

Everyone loves the big check

Or, is it everyone wants the big check

WE LOVE THE GAME

Bowlers final thoughts

Give us your best, worst, or most memorable IRONMAN moments and receive a chance to win the 20th Anniversary commemorative IRONMAN bowling ball. Do not have to be present to win.

Write here and send in before 1 March 2020

Shift Dates and Times

Friday 7 Aug

4 pm - 6:30 pm - 9pm

Saturday 8 Aug

8 am - 10:30 am

1 pm - 3:30 pm - 6 pm - 8:30 pm

Sunday 9 Aug

8 am - 10:30 am

IRONMAN Invitational Entry Form

Swamp Fox Lanes

312 Rembert C. Dennis Blvd, Moncks Corner, SC 29461

SCRATCH

HANDICAP

Marathon Entry
\$200.00
Up to 1 Feb 2020

Marathon Late Entry
\$250.00
From Feb- 1 Mar 2020

Entries after 1 Mar will not be accepted

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

USBC Number _____ E-Mail _____

Additional Information:

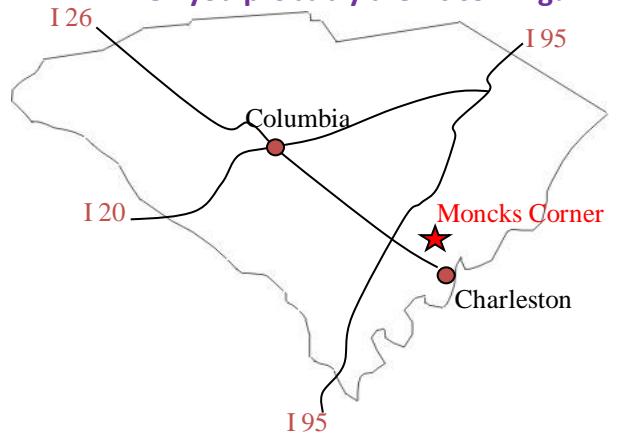
James Strode II, Tournament Manager

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Need directions?

Then you probably aren't coming!



Swamp Fox Lanes

Not a 2019
Marathon Entry?



Then this is the ONLY
way in!

Eligibility

Must be a United States Bowling Congress (USBC) member in good standing. Professional Bowlers Association (PBA) members and non-PBA members that have: 1) ever won a national title or 2) won a regional title in the past five years are not eligible to participate unless title came after entry into the 2020 IRONMAN Tournament or are a past IRONMAN Champion.

Format & Payout

Win-A-Spot consists of a 6 game sweeper, high pin count wins MARATHON entry into the 2020 IRONMAN. Cash payout for additional places based on entries. Sweepers will be held the 2nd Saturday of each month January thru June, with July 2020 being a reserve/makeup date. Handicap and Scratch Division have an opportunity to win one spot based on a minimum of 15 entries in their division per day. Winner of the Win-A-Spot must participate in the 2020 IRONMAN in the division they won their spot. Win-A-Spot dates with less than 15 entries will proceed with a cash payout only. Entry fee is \$80 per event: (\$13 winners IRONMAN entry, \$21 daily sweeper prize fund, \$6 lineage, \$40 IRONMAN prize fund). Pays 1:5 which includes winner. Win-A-Spot winners may opt to take a cash payout in lieu of the IRONMAN entry. Reservations and/or walk-ins allowed with availability. **PRE-PAY/REGISTRATION is recommended.** Any spots not won will carry forward to the next date at the discretion of tournament manager.

Handicap

Handicap 80% of 210 based on the composite average for the 2017-18 and 2018-19 bowling seasons. Composite averages must consist of a minimum of 21 games or more. Bowlers without an average or have a composite average of 210 or higher must compete in the scratch division.



Win-A-Spot Calendar

2020

JANUARY 11

FEBRUARY 8

MARCH 14

APRIL 11

MAY 9

JUNE 13

(Make-Up Date, If Needed)

JULY 11

No Refunds for Paid Entries

WIN-A-SPOT ENTRY FORM WIN-A-SPOT

Payable and Mail to:
Swamp Fox Lanes, 312 R. C. Dennis Blvd, Moncks Corner 29461

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Email _____ Phone _____

USBC # _____ Average _____

Date(s) requested (Please Circle)

2020					
January	February	March			
April	May	June			

Please Circle
Division
Scratch
Or
Handicap

\$80
per entry

Amount Enclosed