

FANTASTIC'S INCORPORATED
Application for Membership

Biographical Information

Name: _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Cell No. _____ Telephone No. _____

E-mail _____

Birth Date _____ Hobbies (if any) _____

Bowling Information

How long bowling _____ Highest Current
(Years/Months) _____ Yearbook Average _____

USBC Sanction Number: _____

Leagues currently participating:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Bowling Center</u>	<u>Day/Time</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Club Information

How did you learn of the Fantastic's?

Why do you wish to be a member?

I hereby certify that I have read the Members Section of the Club by-laws attached to this application and that if admitted to membership, I will assume the responsibilities of membership as described.

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

Sponsoring Member Name _____

Fantastic's Inc. Membership

1. Membership in the Fantastic's shall be open to any person who is a member in good standing of the USBC, TNBA or who is willing to become a member of one of the mentioned organizations and can pass a vote of the membership.
2. Members shall seek to bring others into the Club and shall stand for person(s) nominated at the club's semi-annual meeting in July, but will not seek to overturn the objections of the membership of any person so brought, nor object to the person brought by others, except on grounds known to be true.
3. Members shall pay all dues and fines imposed by officers duly elected or appointed and thereby empowered to levy such dues or fines.
4. Those being nominated for membership will be required to complete an application which must be returned with a non-refundable payment of \$25.00 (25% of the first year's dues) at least four weeks prior to the semi-annual membership meeting in July. The Board will schedule a date for a new member orientation meeting. Applicants accepted for membership at the July meeting are accepted with the following stipulations:
 - (1) Six-month probation period, extending from July.
 - (2) Pro-rated dues.
 - (3) Must attend the February membership meeting.
 - (4) Cannot be a member of another bowling club.
5. The Club shall sponsor fund raising events each year in order to help defray the cost of member participation in bowling tournaments approved by the Board and communicated to the members as a club sponsored event. All members will be asked to participate, but not mandatory. Members satisfying participation requirements as set forth by the Board, and who are in good standing, will benefit from the proceeds of such events. Fundraising requirements (money) must be met within 2 weeks of the event in order to avoid being placed on suspension and voted out at the membership meeting in July.
6. In certain circumstances, the club may issue an advance check for tournaments, (i.e. national, state, city, battle of the sexes, etc.) on behalf of club members bowling in these tournaments. This advance check is issued with the understanding that:
 - a. The tournament cost to bowlers are non-refundable.
 - b. The tournament cost to bowlers will be deducted from their allotment, if applicable
 - c. Any outstanding balances resulting from this cost must be paid by the February annual meeting.
7. Club dues and all outstanding balances must be paid by the February annual meeting (can be paid in installments). Members owing money by the May Board of Director's meeting will be placed on suspension. Members on suspension at the time of the June Board of Director's meeting as a result of non-payment may be recommended for removal from the club roster by order of the Board, such revocation shall not be final until voted on by the full membership at its July membership meeting.

8. Members may attend the meetings of the Board of Directors unless said meeting(s) are closed to the general membership by notification of the President or a designated representative.
9. It is expected that all members be present at the Annual Membership meetings in February, July and November of each year.
10. Any member requesting temporary suspension of membership, must be approved by the Board of Directors.
11. If you are an officer or a member on a committee of another bowling club, you cannot be an officer or a member on a committee of this club.
12. The election of all offices will occur at the February membership meeting. In order to be considered for any office, you must be in attendance at this meeting.
 - a. If a candidate for office runs unopposed, 1 (one) vote may be cast at the membership meeting.
 - b. In the event 2 (two) or more people run for the same office, a vote by members in attendance will occur at this membership meeting.