

2014 Summer Nationals Main Event Qualifying

Qualifying is in squad blocks. You bowl three (3) games across six (6) lanes. The cashing ratio is one (1) in four (4) and one (1) in eight (8) advances to the semi-finals. The Others To Cash (OTC) checks are based on "Mega Pot" entry. If you don't vest in Mega Pot, you will NOT receive an OTC check in that block. Once you have made the Semi-Finals cut, if you enter the main event again, you forfeit your entry fees and your new scores are disqualified. Semi-Finals are three (3) games across six (6) lanes. There are no limits to the number of Semi-Finalists. Director's decision is final. Low to Cash in the Semi-Finals is One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00), if vested in the Mega Pot. Semi-finals check in will start about 1:00 PM Sunday 7/27/14 and bowl about 2:00 PM. We will use a top 32 scores from the semi-final squad(s) to advance to the Match Play Finals at about 4:00 PM. Finalists must be vested in the Mega Pot in order to qualify for the ten (10) squad bonus. The ten squads are based on your entries between January 1, 2014 and July 1, 2014, in your ABT Branch. National members earn the 10 squad Branch Directors Bonus by bowling in National Events.

Please Remember:

SoCal has four (4) Branches, WNY has two (2) Branches, Arizona has two (2) Branches and Washington has two (2) Branches.

Top 4 Finals are expected to start about 6:00 P.M...

Other Finalists Guarantees, the Importance of the "Mega Pot" and bowling at least 10 times:

The Top 32 Finalists prizes will be reduced, if you don't meet the minimum 10 squads between 1/1/14 and 7/1/14, by 1/2 and again by 1/2 if not vested in the "Mega Pot".

Minimum Place Money: 2nd \$5,000, 3rd \$2,500, 4th \$1,250, 5th - 8th \$1,000, 9th - 16th \$750, 17th - 32nd \$500

Bonuses and earned prize funds are paid based on eligibility at time of entry.

Place money for all main event semi-finalists, includes the "Mega Pot", and will be 1/2 the amount earned if not vested. National Life Time Members must pay National Membership fees prior to bowling. National Members earn bonuses by bowling in the National Tournaments.

2014 Summer National Side Event is Doubles

A Portion of each Doubles entry fee will be added to your main event prize fund. Qualifying for the Doubles tournament is by block. Doubles has cross-over option. You may bowl Doubles when you are bowling a regular qualifying squad. Entry fees are \$50.00, per person, for Gold Members, non Gold Members add \$15.00 each. The Cashing ratio is one (1) in four (4) with one (1) in eight (8) teams advancing to the Finals in each block. This Doubles tournament format has a three (3) game format across six (6) lanes. If you are bowling side events only add \$15.00 to your entry fee.

Doubles Finals check in Sun. 7/27/14 8:30 AM; bowl about 9:00 AM. Finals are 3 games, Beat the Board.

The Take "2" Sweepers will be available

Sweeper entry fee is \$20 for Gold members; non Gold members add \$5. One (1) in eight (8) members cash from the qualifying squads in each block. Take you two best games of your three, drop low game.

Director's decision is final on all matters not specifically covered and all rules are subject to change without notice.

If you are not a Gold member, you can purchase a Gold level membership through this event, or by contacting the Amateur Bowlers Tour National headquarters at 801-840-0442.