

**Florida State USBC Association, Inc. Scholarship
Committee**



To: Assn. Secretaries, Managers, Center Managers, Board Members, and Youth Directors

From: **Cecilia Butler**, Chairman of the Scholarship Committee *CB*

Date: January 2025

Subject: **Patsy Wedding Annual Youth Scholarship Application
2024-2025 season**

To Whom It May Concern:

The Patsy Wedding Annual Youth Scholarship application is available for all 10th – 12th grade students, College Students, or Trade/Technical School Students that are in your bowling programs. The Florida State USBC Association shall award multiple scholarships yearly worth up to \$1,000 each.

Please distribute this important application and information to anyone who meets the eligibility requirements for this scholarship opportunity. Completed scholarship applications must be postmarked no later than May 1, 2025.

As always, thank you for all you do for the youth bowlers in your center and the Florida State USBC Association, Inc.



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Patsy Wedding Annual Youth Scholarship Application

ELIGIBILITY RULES

Any 10th– 12th grade High School Student, College Student, or Trade/Technical School Student is eligible to make an application for this scholarship provided they meet the eligibility requirements listed below. Students may receive this scholarship ONLY two times. Students must meet the following requirements:

- (a) Must be a USBC Youth bowler who has not reached their 18th birthday as of August 1st of the current season and has maintained compliance with USBC Youth Rule 400: or, a USBC member who has not reached their 20th birthday as of August 1st of the current season and has bowled a minimum of 2 full seasons as a USBC Youth bowler.
- (b) Maintain a legal residence in the State of Florida;
- (c) Must be a participating member of a youth/collegiate (or adult) bowling league certified in the State of Florida by USBC and be in good standing for the current season.

IF YOU COMPLY WITH THE ABOVE, PROCEED TO THE APPLICATION.

PLEASE USE THE CHECKLIST ON THE LAST PAGE TO ENSURE YOU HAVE COMPLETED ALL OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE APPLICATION. INCOMPLETE AND LATE APPLICATION SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Completed applications should be mailed to the address listed on the last page of the application.



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(PRINT LEGIBLY OR TYPE FILLING IN ALL THE BLANKS)

Applicant Name _____ DOB _____ Current Age _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

E-Mail _____

Father's full name: _____ Occupation: _____

Mother's full name: _____ Occupation: _____

USBC ID # _____ Local Assn. Name _____

Current School of Attendance _____ Expected Grad Year _____

To what Colleges, Trade or Technical Schools have you applied _____

What is your intended major or course of study? _____

Please Circle Y or N for the following. Provide name of activity or organization for all Y answers.

Y / N: Local Youth Leadership Program? If Y, were you active in the last 3 years? Y/N

Y / N: Honors Classes: If Y, list classes _____

Y / N: Charity or Civic Organization activities? Name of Organizations _____

Y / N: Religious Organization activities? _____

Y / N: Are you employed currently? If Y, Employer Name and job title _____

Y / N: Have you previously received a FSUSBC Scholarship? **(This does not include Local, Youth Leader, Pepsi or State Tournament Scholarships)**

Applicant Signature: _____



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Applicant Name: _____ Date: _____

Coach's Name: _____ Phone: _____

Name of primary Center in which applicant currently bowls: _____

Please Circle Y or N for the following.

Y / N: Applicant currently holds a USBC ID Card?

Y / N: Applicant participated in Youth Program(s)? How many years? _____

Y / N: If *over age 18*, has the applicant completed RVP training?

Y / N: Applicant observes all bowling rules?

Y / N: Applicant knows how to keep score?

Y / N: The applicant has participated in a tournament in the last 3 years? Please enter the number of times the bowler participated in each tournament:

City (local): _____ State: _____ Landen: _____ Pepsi: _____ FL HDCP: _____ other tournaments: _____

Coach's Comments: Do not write on back of this page, use additional sheet if necessary.

Coach's Signature: _____



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Other Required Items:

1. ESSAY BETWEEN 250 AND 500 WORDS:

Topic: Why do you wish to attend college, trade, or technical school, and what plans do you have for the future?

2. OFFICIAL SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT(S) MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH YOUR APPLICATION. TRANSCRIPTS MUST BE SIGNED, DATED, AND SEALED IN A SEPARATE ENVELOPE. Home school transcripts may be signed by a parent. Private schools may sign a statement to go along with the transcript if the policy of the school is to not sign the transcript until after all course completion.

CHECKLIST

- Page 1** completed and signed by applicant.
- Page 2** completed and signed by coach.
- Essay** completed and included with application
- OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT(S) INCLUDED WITH APPLICATION.**

Only the current application form will be accepted. Completed applications must be postmarked no later than *May 1, 2025.*

RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION TO:

Cecilia Butler, Chairman of the Scholarship Committee

P.O. Box 25943

Sarasota, FL 34277