



The Sunshine Cup Challenge

December 7 & 8, 2018

Sun City Center Lawn Bowling Club

The Challenge	Match play, USA Citizens vs Citizens of the World
Host & Venue:	Sun City Center Lawn Bowling Club 1009 N. Pebble Beach Blvd. Sun City Center, FL 33573
Date:	Friday, December 7 th – Saturday, December 8 th , 2018 (Rain Date: Sunday, December 9 th)
Closing date:	November 12, 2018 (no cancellation refund after this date)
Format:	Two, simultaneous round-robin events, Triples (MT/WT – no all-men teams) and Pairs (OP). Each side will have 6 Triples teams and 6 Pairs teams. Each game will be a match between a USA and a World team. Points awarded for each win or tie. After the completion of the two events, the side with the most accumulated points, will collect the entire \$2100 prize pool. Note: prize pool amount conditional on having a full complement of sixty participants. In the event of a tie, the winner will be determined by total shot differential (max 10 points per game).
Participants:	Must be a member of Bowls USA, Bowls Canada or be World Bowls Association affiliated.
Teams:	USA teams must be comprised of citizens of the United States. World teams must be comprised of citizens of countries other than the United States (team members do not have to be all from the same country).
Dress Code:	White or matching-colored team shirts with collars. White or matching-colored slacks, or shorts. Team USA and Team World caps provided. Footwear must be flat-soled and heel-less.
Team Limits:	6 USA Pairs teams, 6 USA Triples teams, 6 World Pairs teams, 6 World triples teams. Other entries will be placed on the waiting list, in order received.
Meals:	Continental breakfast provided, lunch available for purchase.

Schedule of Events

Friday, December 7

8AM – 8:30AM	Check-in
8:30AM-8:45AM	Announcements
8:45AM -11:15AM	Round-robin, MT/WT, Game 1 Round-robin, OP, Game 1
11:15AM – 11:45AM	Lunch
11:45AM- 2:15PM	Round-robin, MT/WT, Game 2 Round-robin, OP, Game 2
2:15PM- 2:30PM	Break
2:30PM – 5PM	Round-robin, MT/WT, Game 3 Round-robin, OP, Game 3
5PM	Cocktail Reception

Saturday, December 8

8:30AM-8:45AM	Announcements
8:45AM -11:15AM	Round-robin, MT/WT, Game 4 Round-robin, OP, Game 4
11:15AM – 11:45AM	Lunch
11:45AM- 2:15PM	Round-robin, MT/WT, Game 5 Round-robin, OP, Game 5
2:15PM- 2:30PM	Break
2:30PM – 5PM	Round-robin, MT/WT, Game 6 Round-robin, OP, Game 6
5PM-5:30PM	Sunshine Cup and Prize Presentation

Other Conditions of Play

- Bowls USA Laws of the Sport of Bowls Crystal Mark Third Edition will govern play.
- Trial ends – two bowls up and back, each game, each day, unless agreed otherwise.
- No practice before opening announcements.
- No dead ends. The single re-spot rule, at the 2-meter mark, will be used.
- Check-in and draw on arrival. Announcements at 8:30am. Games begin at 8:45am. A team not ready to play 15 minutes past the scheduled start time will forfeit the game. The opposing team will receive a win.
- Trips to the head. As per Appendix A.4

	Lead	Vice	Skip
Triples (3 bowls)	After 3 rd bowl	After 2 nd and 3 rd bowls	After each bowl
Pairs (4 bowls)	After 3 rd and 4 th bowls		After 2 nd , 3 rd and 4 th bowls

- All games are 14 ends.
- Equal distance bowls, zero shots scored, end played.
- Tournament Committee only will update the tournament charts.
- Round-robin play. At the start of the event, each team will be given six score cards with opponents and rinks assigned. Triples are Mixed Triples / Ladies Triples (no all-men teams). Pairs are Open Pairs.
- Game points: 3 for win, 1 for a tie, 0 for a loss.
- The Tournament Committee cannot be responsible for erroneous results due to incorrect or illegible score cards. Report any discrepancies immediately. The Committee also reserves the right to make any necessary changes and enforce a 2½ hour, game time limit, if necessary.

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Entry Form

Entry fee is \$40.00 U.S. per person (add \$5.00 surcharge for checks drawn on Canadian banks - does not apply to RBC Georgia.) Closing date, November 12, 2018 (no cancellation refund after this date). Prize pool amount conditional on having a full complement of participants (60).

Please send ONE entry form per Pairs team and/or Triples team.

Make checks payable to: Sun City Center Lawn Bowling Club

Mail with entry form to: SCCLBC c/o Eric Porr
1809 Fort Duquesna
Sun City Center, FL 33573

Email: eric@suncitycenterlbc.com Phone: 941-281-0106

Please indicate whether a,

USA Team (Must be US Citizens) or **World Team** (Must be citizens of a country other than the USA)

(Maximum 6 Pairs teams and maximum 6 Triples teams for the USA. Maximum 6 pairs teams and maximum 6 Triples teams for The World. Other entries will be placed on the waiting list – in the order received).

Signup for either Pairs or Triples. Pairs and Triples are played on the same days

Open Pairs	Name	Club		Amt
Pairs Skip			\$40	=
Pairs Lead			\$40	=

Or

Mixed/Women's Triples*	Name	Club		
Triples Skip			\$40	=
Triples Vice			\$40	=
Triples Lead			\$40	=

* No all-men Triples teams.

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$

Submitted by:

Address:

Telephone/Email:

Club:

PLEASE PROVIDE EMAIL AND/OR TELEPHONE NUMBER FOR ENTRY CONFIRMATION

Please give your teammates all the necessary information. Skips are responsible for their team.