

**Massachusetts State Grange** 

OF THE ORDER OF PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE MASSACHUSETTS YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT PROGRAM

## BOWLING TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION FORM Deadline: April 28, 2024

**Note:** We realize team members can change. Those changes can be made the day of the Tournament as long as registration is submitted by deadline.

Point of Contact (maybe Team Captain). Please include Name, phone number (cell phone, if possible, in case any last-minute changes, the contact person will be notified.

Name:	
	gular basis:
Name of Captain (if differen	than Point of Contact). Please provide best phone numbe
to reach if needed on the da	of Tournament:
Name:	Phone Number:
Members of Team:	range Number:
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2	5
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Name of Alternate Players:	
Female:	Male:

Registration Fee: Please make checks out to the Massachusetts State Grange with note (on memo line): **State Grange Bowling Tournament**.

The cost for each member to participate:

Subordinate & Pomona Members (5 members each Team): \$4.00 per string (includes shoe rental) x3 strings=\$12.00 x 5 members = \$60.00

Junior Grange Members (5 members each Team): \$4.00 per string (includes shoe rental) x 2 strings - \$8.00 x 5 members = \$40.00

Total Registration Fee enclosed:

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## **BOWLING TOURNAMENT INFORMATION** Date: Sunday, May 5, 2024

This year's contest will be held on Sunday, May 5, 2024, at 9:30 am sharp at **Mohegan Bowl, 51 Thompson Road, Webster, MA 01570.** 

## Team Rules/Registration:

- 1. Each team must have five (5) players.
  - JUNIOR: Two (2) players must be female. Junior players must not be over fourteen (14) years of age as of the day of the competition. Junior Granges that are large enough will be allowed to enter two (2) teams. Each Junior player will receive a medal for participation. Junior teams will bowl only 2 strings.
  - **SUBORDINATE:** Players must consist of at least one (1) male and (1) female. Each team must be composed of Subordinate Grange members belonging to not more than two (2) Subordinate Granges in one Pomona area. Teams should have a designated captain. **Note**: There are no age limitations on the team members; **youth members** are encouraged to participate but is not necessary for the formation of a team.
  - **POMONA:** Players must consist of at least one (1) male and one (1) female. Each player must be a member of that Pomona Grange. Team should have a designated captain.
- 2. Each player can play for only one (1) team. Affiliate members may bowl with their affiliate team.
- 3. One (1) male and one (1) female alternate will be allowed for each team. If a member is unable to finish the content, the alternate is then able to bowl the next during and must finish. **Note:** Junior teams may rotate their players at any time **between** strings, so that alternates have the opportunity to bowl.
- 4. Matches begin promptly at **9:30 am**. Any players arriving after the sixth box must wait until the next string to bowl. A regular may not replace an alternate after the string has started.
- 5. If a team member is absent and no alternates are available, the absentee score will be equivalent to the lowest score of the same sex on the opposing team.
- 6. Each Pomona and Subordinate team should have a score keeper. This score keeper does not have to be a Grange member. Each Junior Grange must have an adult score keeper. The score keeper and team captain must report for instruction and registration by 9:15 am.
- 7. The match is decided by total pin fall of three (3) strings. Junior teams will only bowl two (2) strings.
- 8. NBA rules will be observed. Pick up a rule nook where you bowl.
- 9. Even if your Grange is not sending a team, please consider sending a donation to Camp Putnam.

You can register your team by mailing the registration form and check no later than April 28, 2024, to:

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