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October 14, 2025

**OFFICIAL CALL TO THE
66th Annual UAW Region 2B Bowling Tournament**

**Jugs Bowling Center • 5111 Jackman Rd. • Toledo, Ohio 43613
February 21 & 22 and February 28 & March 1, 2026
*Entry deadline is November 21, 2025***

To: All Local Union Presidents, Financial and Recording Secretaries in Region 2B, UAW

Greetings:

Enclosed are a Tournament Notice for display at your worksite and an official entry form. Each team captain from the 2025 Regional Tournament has also received an entry form via email. You may make copies of the enclosed form or download additional entries from our website: <https://region2b.uaw.org>. Online registration is available at <https://bit.ly/r2bbowling>.

Final standings and prize lists will be posted exclusively on our website under the call letters heading. The UAW Region 2B Recreation Department will oversee the tournament.

We are again offering the optional Gosser Challenge this year, for an additional \$100.00 per team, or \$20.00 per single bowler. (Prizes will be based on total participation; details will be provided at the tournament.) Any proceeds from this Gosser Challenge will go to the Richard T. Gosser Scholarship Program. This program helps the children and dependents of members all across Region 2B achieve their dreams of higher education. Please include this payment on the same check or money order with your registration fees. For more information regarding the Richard T. Gosser Scholarship Program, please visit our website at <https://region2b.uaw.org/call-letters/richard-t-gosser-scholarship-program>.

To process any winnings your team (either as a team or individually) earn, the enclosed W9 (form Rev. March 2024) **MUST** be completed. Winnings ***CANNOT*** be processed without this completed form. A single copy of this form is enclosed; you are welcome to make copies or there will be additional copies available at the tournament. It can also be downloaded directly from the IRS website <https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/fw9.pdf>. A W9 is only necessary if you earn winnings.

The events will be contested in two divisions — Women and Open —to align with USBC divisions, with separate prize lists for each. Scoring will be based on a 90% handicap. Please take care to read the rules and regulations on the official entry form. Special attention should be given to the entry form regarding average verification. A bowler's 2024-2025 average must be verified upon completion of their bowling by the Local Area Bowling Association Secretary in the event any of the Tournament Bowlers would become eligible for any prizes. Your entry fee must be paid by CHECK or MONEY ORDER ONLY, payable to UAW Region 2B (*ABSOLUTELY NO CASH WILL BE ACCEPTED*).

The Regional Tournament is a qualifying event for the UAW International Finals Championship. The affiliation fee will be paid out of the Regional entry fees. The National Tournament divisions are set up differently than our Region 2B Tournament with Women, Open, and Mixed divisions. Therefore, at the end of the tournament, teams will be recognized for qualification based on the National Tournament criteria. Ratio will be 1:4.

I look forward to seeing bowlers from your Local Union or Unit participating in the Region 2B Tournament!

In solidarity,



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Enclosures: Reg Form, W9, Team Contact Form

cc: Rick Smith, Assistant Director, UAW Region 2B
Regional Staff
2025 Team Captains via Email