

Rogue Valley USBC Association

HALL OF FAME

The Rogue Valley USBC Bowling Association Hall of Fame shall be dedicated to the recognition of the outstanding bowlers and dedicated servants of the Rogue Valley area who through their competitive skills, high personal standards and dedicated principles have enriched the general welfare, spirit, reputation and progress of the sport of bowling.

Nominations:

Any bonafide member of the USBC Rogue Valley Bowling Association may submit nominations to the Association Manager. A standard form will be employed for nominations, and it shall be the responsibility of the Recognition Committee to obtain additional information on the nominee if the information submitted does not provide sufficient information to determine qualifications of the candidate.

A candidate must have been an active USBC/WIBC member for (25) years of which (10) shall be as a bowler or supporter of the Rogue Valley Bowling Association.

CATEGORIES:

1. (SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE) must have compiled an outstanding record in participation in sanctioned leagues and City Tournaments and participated in service which promotes bowling activities. Participation in USBC and USBC sanctioned tournaments may be included on the nomination form.
2. (METIORIOUS SERVICE) Must have given distinguished service in the promotion of bowling activities through administrative or organizational work, or in any manner deemed meritorious.

To be eligible for election to the Rogue Valley Bowling Association Hall of Fame as a nominee:

- Any prospective member must be at least 50 years of age at the time of nomination. The age limit may be waived in what the Board would unanimously agree are extraordinary circumstances.
- Must have been an active USBC/WIBC member for (25) years of which (10) shall be as a bowler or supporter of the Rogue Valley Bowling Association.

- A prospective member must have an outstanding record of achievements in performance or service while a member of the Rogue Valley USBC Bowling Association or the former membership organization.
- A prospective member cannot, at any time, have been suspended by the former American Bowling Congress, the former Women's International Bowling Congress, the former Young American Bowling Alliance or the United States Bowling Congress.
- A prospective member must have bowled in a minimum of ten (10) Rogue Valley Championship Tournaments.
- Candidates in any category should submit documentation of all performance or service achievements yet understand achievements in Rogue Valley USBC Bowling Association activities will receive priority consideration.

It is not the responsibility of the Hall of Fame Committee to provide information on said candidate. The information provided must be complete and accurate or the application will be returned for additional information.

Selection of Nominees:

The Recognition Committee shall review all nominations submitted and select candidates judged by the committee qualified and deserving of the honor. The eligible candidates deemed to be most qualified and deserving of the honor shall be forwarded to the Hall of Fame Committee.

Selection:

After careful review and consideration of all nominations, the Hall of Fame Committee may select three (3) nominations to be inducted into the Hall of Fame. Nominations not selected by the Committee for induction to the Hall of Fame shall be retained in the Association files for two (2) years.

Awards:

Suitable award(s) shall be made to the elected candidates and shall be presented with a fitting ceremony.

The Association President shall appoint all members for both the Recognition and Hall of Fame committees.

RECOGNITION COMMITTEE: The committee shall consist of the Board of Directors designated Hall of Fame Committee. The committee's responsibility is to review the candidate's applications and verify the applicant meets the requirements.

HALL OF FAME COMMITTEE: The committee shall consist of (4) representatives of the Rogue Valley Hall of Fame (2 men and 2 women) and (2) representatives (1 man and 1 woman) of the

Association Board of Directors who shall review all nominations submitted by the recognition committee and select candidates judged to be most qualified and deserving of the honor.

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METHOD OF SELECTION: The Hall of Fame Committee will consider all nominations for each category. The final selection will be limited to a maximum of three (3) inductees each year, with no more than two (2) inductees in any one category.

It will require (4) votes cast to approve a candidate. Votes may be cast as a secret written ballot, a voice vote or an electronic vote as decided by the majority of the committee before action is taken on each category.

a. The committee will vote on each candidate separately and then determine a numerical ranking of those deemed as eligible candidates.

b. If a candidate receives (4) votes of the committee but are not selected for the present year, they will be added to the ballot for the next two consecutive years with the committee's approval and after two years they will need 50% of votes cast to remain on the ballot.

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To be eligible for consideration for the Rogue Valley Hall of Fame, the applicant is required to meet the requirements of the category in which you feel the applicant is best qualified. Please be sure that you fill out the application as completely as possible to meet the criteria including additional pages to demonstrate qualifications.

Meritorious Service: To qualify for the Meritorious Service category, a member of the Rogue Valley USBC Association must have met at least six (6) of the following criteria:

- Served as an officer or director of the local association
- Served as chairman of an association committee
- Served on an association committee • Worked during a local championship tournament (examples include keeping score, verifying scores, tournament desk, etc)
- Served as a local league officer • Served as a state officer or director
- Served as a state delegate
- Served as a USBC delegate
- Have made exceptional contributions to bowling
- Attended local association meetings
- Attended local/state workshops and jamborees
- Have actively been involved in the promotion of bowling in areas outside the association normal yearly activities Lane Performance

Superior Performance: To qualify for the Superior Performance category, a member of the Rogue Valley USBC Association must have met a least four (4) of the following criteria:

- Held an average of 210 (men) 190 (women) or more for a minimum of five (5) years in the Rogue Valley USBC Association
- Have won a local championship (Team, Singles, Doubles, and/or All Events)
- Have won a state championship (Team, Singles, Doubles, and/or All Events)

- Have won a USBC Open and/or Women's National Championship (Team, Singles, Doubles, and/or All Events)
- League accomplishments (first place team, high individual game or series, etc)
- Other Tournament Accomplishments
- Special USBC Awards which could include: Women (700 Series, 300 Game, and/or any other awards that are offered by USBC) Men (750 Series, multiple 300's, and/or any other awards that are offered by USBC)
- Other Bowling Achievements

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Nominating Person Information:

Name:

Address:

Contact:

Select One Hall of Fame Category:

Superior Performance: An individual has established a documentable record of outstanding performance in the sport of bowling. Some portion of the candidate's record must have been established as a member of the Rogue Valley USBC Bowling Association. Achievements might include but not be limited to local, state, or national tournament championships; multiple years of award recognition in high score categories. The most important criteria will be performance above and beyond the ordinary. To be eligible for the category of superior performance, a past or present member's accomplishments must have been made while a member an active USBC/WIBC member for (25) years of which (10) shall be as a bowler or supporter of the Rogue Valley Bowling Association A minimum of 3,000 points is required (2,500 superior/ 500 meritorious service are required). Points are awarded for every occurrence of and accomplishment

Meritorious Service: An individual has demonstrated service, devotion, ideas and ideals, contributions, or milestone achievements above and beyond the ordinary to the sport of bowling and outside the framework of competitive bowling. Some portion of the candidate's service must have been established as a member of the Rogue Valley USBC Bowling Association. To be eligible in this category, a past or present member shall have made valuable contributions to this association in the sport of bowling, and to have been involved in the sport of bowling for (25) years of which (10) must be as a bowler or supporter of the Rogue Valley Bowling Association. A minimum of 1,500 points are required. Points are awarded for every occurrence of an accomplishment.

Nominee Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Contact: Telephone/Email _____

Date of Birth: _____ USBC ID: _____

Credentials: Membership Years: Rogue Valley Bowling Association _____ USBC _____

Number bowled: Rogue Valley Tournaments: _____ USBC
Tournaments _____

Rogue Valley Tournament Titles and Top Finishes: Include event title, and other notable accomplishments.

Other Tournament Titles and Top Finishes: Include tournament name, place, finish, and other notable accomplishments.

Rogue Valley League Bowling Accomplishments: Include Honor scores (number of), league championships, other notable accomplishments.

Service to Rogue Valley USBC Bowling Association: Include position with Rogue Valley, years of service, committee work, special projects, etc.

Service to Bowling: Include positions and years as: league officer, youth coach, proprietor, tournament operator, other volunteer work.

Other Information: Include any other information you feel applicable.

* Return Nomination form to: Rogue Valley Bowling Association