

# MEDITERRANEAN BOWLING CHAMPIONSHIP 2024 Rome - Italy 21- 28 April 2024











....alone we can do so little; together we can do so much...

# The BULLETIN 31 December 2024

This Bulletin will be online and updated if necessary. Please visit the websites and Facebook sites covering the event for updates, scores, and news.

https://www.facebook.com/groups/mccbowling









Dear friends,

On behalf of the Italian Federation of Billiards and Bowling Sports, I extend a warm welcome to each of you to the upcoming championship. It is an honor to gather talented bowlers from across the region, and as the Vice-President, I am thrilled to witness the spirit of sportsmanship and excellence that defines our community.

Your dedication to the sport exemplifies the values we hold dear, and I am confident that this championship will be a showcase of skill, camaraderie, and fair play. As you compete, remember that you are not just participants but ambassadors of the sport, contributing to its rich legacy.

May this championship be a memorable experience for all, fostering friendships and celebrating the passion we share for bowling.

Best of luck to each participant, and let the lanes echo with the sounds of strikes and spares!

Sincerely,

Cosimo Zecca Vice President/FISBB

# THE BULLETIN

In this bulletin, you will find the following items:

- ✓ Preliminary Schedule of Events
- ✓ Official Hotel









- ✓ Committees
- ✓ Fees and payments
- ✓ Info of Bowling Brunswick Rome
- ✓ Info on your stay in Rome
- ✓ Other Information
- ✓ Forms / Deadlines

The official Website: will be announced soon and will be continuously updated with current information. Please note that there will be no more bulletins. Visit also the MBC Facebook page for news and additional commentary. <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/mccbowling</u>

# **Preliminary Schedule**









<b>Sunday</b> All Day	21 April 2024	Last day of arrival of delegations Unofficial Practice
Monday 10:00 - 10:30 10:30 - 11:00 11:00 - 12:00 12:00 - 13:30 13:30 - 14:30 14:30 - 16:00 16:00 - 16:30 16:30 - 17:30	22 April 2024	Team Managers meeting MBC Meeting Lane Maintenance Official Practice – Group A Lane Maintenance Official Practice – Group B Break and Lineup for the Opening Ceremony Opening Ceremony
<b>Tuesday</b> 08:30 - 09:30 09:30 - 13:00 13:00 - 14:00 14:00 - 17:30 17:30 - 18:00	23 April 2024	Lane Maintenance Women's Single - 6 Games Lane Maintenance Men's Single - 6 Games Medal Ceremony - Singles
Wednesday 08:30 - 09:30 09:30 - 13:00 13:00 - 14:00 14:00 - 17:30 17:30 - 18:00	24 April 2024	Lane Maintenance Men's Doubles - 6 Games Lane Maintenance Women's Doubles - 6 Games Medal Ceremony – Doubles
<b>Thursday</b> 08:30 - 09:30 09:30 - 13:00 13:00 - 14:00 14:00 - 17:30 17:30 - 18:00	25 April 2024	Lane Maintenance Mixed Doubles (Group A) - 6 Games Lane Maintenance Mixed Doubles (Group B) - 6 Games Medal Ceremony – Mixed Doubles
Friday 08:30 - 09:30 09:30 - 13:00 13:00 - 14:30 14:30 - 18:00	26 April 2024	Lane Maintenance <b>Team</b> - Games 1 to 3 Lane Maintenance & Break <b>Team</b> - Games 4 to 6
<b>Saturday</b> 08:30 - 09:30 09:30 - 13:00 13:30 - 15:30 20:00	27 April 2024	Lane Maintenance Masters & Master Finals Medal Presentation (Team, All Events, Masters) Victory Banquet
Sunday	28 April 2024	All-Day Departure of Delegations









# **Official Hotel**

Surrounded by a private green park, Hotel Villa Maria Regina is a 4-star hotel located in one of Rome's most elegant residential areas. The hotel offers 115 rooms in a peaceful location outside Rome's historic center, just 4 km from the Vatican City. Hotel Villa Maria Regina provides free private parking. Recently renovated, the hotel offers modern conveniences and services. The hotel also has meeting rooms with natural lighting, a fitness center, and comfortable rooms equipped with modern comforts.

The special rates for MBC 2024, are:

- Single room, € 130 per night
- Double room, € 155 per night
- Triple room, € 180 per night
  - + tourist tax of  ${\ensuremath{\varepsilon}}$  7.5 per person per night

All the above rates include a buffet breakfast, wifi, and VAT

Only bookings directly to the Host Federation will be accepted.

For more information about the Hotel, please visit <u>https://www.villamariaregina.com</u>

# Committees

#### **Jury of Appeal**

Will be announced at the Managers' Meeting

#### **Championship Committee**

-Marios Nicolaides, MBC Championship Director -TBA, Host Tournament Director

#### **MBC Host Tournament Committee**

Host Tournament Director:	ТВА
Segretarial Bowling FISBB:	Stefania Sisti
Referees:	ТВА
Results:	Bowling center staff
Live Streaming:	Rick Vogelesang









# Fees and payments

# Entry fee

The MBC 2024 entry fee was defined as € 190 per person.

This fee is payable to all members of the delegations, including athletes, coaches, managers, heads of delegations, and other officials connected to each team.

# Guest fee

The MBC 2024 guest fee was defined as €130 per person.

This fee is for additional guests arriving with the teams and staying at the official hotel. The fee includes airport transfers, shuttle service, bus transfer to the banquet as well entry to the banquet itself. Such guests can not have any duties related to any team.

# Extra Fees

There will be a € 65 charge for other visitors and unregistered guests booking for the banquet on the final night.

Unofficial practice will be paid directly to the Bowling Brunswick Rome for € 20 per lane per hour.

# **Payment information**

All fees (including hotel accommodation) must be pre-paid before the event.

After receipt of forms A-D, an invoice will be issued and sent to each federation participating stating the deadline for payment and Bank account information.









# **Bowling Center**

Bowling Brunswick was founded in 1963 by a group of American and Italian entrepreneurs. The idea was to create a unique leisure center in Rome. Over time it became a point of reference for all Romans.

Center address	
Address	Lungotevere dell' Aqua Acetosa 10, 00197
	Roma - Italy
Phone	Tel: +39 06808 61147
Center specifications	
Number of lanes	24
Approaches	Brunswick synthetic
Surfaces	Brunswick PRO LANE™ LANE SYSTEM
Pin decks	Brunswick synthetic
Pin setters	Brunswick A2
Pins	Maple Leaf-WINSOME
Score System	Qubica
Dressing specifications 2	l0 feet
Oil machine	Kegel Kustodian Walker
Oil	KEGEL Navigator
Cleaner	KEGEL Defence C
Pattern	Prepared by MBC Committee.
	The championship pattern will be announced in due time.









# **Other Information**

### Travel

Transportation will be provided to all participants as follows:

- Transportation on arrival from the Leonardo da Vinci–Fiumicino Airport (FCO) to the official Hotel and on departure from the official Hotel to the Airport.
- Transportation from the official Hotel to the bowling center and from the bowling center to the official Hotel

# Website

The official website of the MBC is <u>https://mbcbowling.squarespace.com/</u> (under construction) and it will be continuously updated with all information concerning the championship. You can also view information on our Facebook page <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/mccbowling</u> Please note that there will be no further Bulletins after this Bulletin. Follow the website and our Facebook page for news updates and hints.

# Results

All results and standings will be published online on our website.

# Shuttle (Airport, Hotel, Bowling Center)

All delegations will be meeting at the airport upon arrival and will be transported to the official hotel.

A similar delivery service will be provided for the departures. Federations must provide their flight arrival and departure times with form E to make this service work properly.

A shuttle bus service between the official hotel and the venue of the presentation party (if needed) will also be provided to all athletes, coaches, officials, and guests with an official entry.

# **Equipment Storage**

Bowling equipment will be stored in a designated area at the bowling center.

# Proshop

Services are provided inside the bowling center

# Farewell banquet

The farewell banquet will be held on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> of April 2024 from 8:00 pm. Tickets for the banquet will be charged €65 (subject to availability) – the banquet will be complimentary for all athletes, members of the official delegations, and guests registered on Form B.

# Managers and MBC meeting

Both meetings will take place at the official hotel premises – Hotell Villa Maria Regina.









#### **Unofficial Practice**

Lanes will be available for unofficial practice. Squads for unofficial practice sessions will be based on lane hours at € 20 per lane per hour and are to be paid directly to the bowling center on-site. Spots will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. Please submit your reservations for the unofficial practice directly to the bowling center at massimiliano.pece@brunswick.it. Please show up in time to avoid your spot being given away.

#### **Team Registration**

Each team manager must turn up for team registration in the center/hotel as soon as possible after arrival. During the registration, we will validate the names of athletes, the nationality of the athletes, and all payments.

# **Forms and Deadlines**

Attached to this bulletin are the forms related to the MBC 2024.

- Form A: Entry form Deadline 31<sup>st</sup> of January 2024.
- Form B: Hotel Form Deadline 29<sup>th</sup> February 2024.

Form C: Names in the delegation - Deadline 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

Form D: Room list with names - Deadline 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

Form E: Arrival and departure - Deadline 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

Form F: Ball Registration Form - Before the Official Practice







