



# SYC TEXAS SHOWDOWN

NOVEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup> – DECEMBER 2<sup>ND</sup>, 2018 IN FORT WORTH, TX



# ABOUT THE SYC



The [Storm Youth Championships](#) (SYC) was created to celebrate all of the great things about youth bowling. All SYC's are considered National Championships for Storm and we recognize each winner in each division as a Storm National Champion.

We choose to limit the field size so every player, parent, coach, sibling and all other guests can fully participate in all the events listed in this player guide. We want all attendees to have a great experience!

Because charitable giving has long been a focus at Storm, we have aligned the SYC Texas Showdown with a worthy charity, Ballard vs. The Big "C", known as BVBC and \$10 of every entry will go directly to BVBC to help continue to fight the war against cancer. You can learn more about BVBC [here](#).

We hope you'll join us in Texas to celebrate youth bowling and charitable giving.



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## HOST CENTER INFORMATION



The SYC Texas Showdown will be competed in the city of Fort Worth at beautiful Cityview Lanes.

Cityview Lanes owner, Mr. Modelo, and his fine staff are excited to host the SYC bowlers, families, friends and coaches. Please extend a hearty SYC thank you to the team at Cityview Lanes when given the opportunity.

To learn more about the Cityview Lanes complex, visit [cityviewlanesfortworth.com](http://cityviewlanesfortworth.com).

Cityview Lanes  
6601 Oakmont  
Fort Worth, TX  
76132  
817-346-0444

# SYC TEXAS SHOWDOWN PRO SHOP INFORMATION



What's better than having a Hall-of-Famer owning the pro shop? How about two?! Del Ballard, Jr. and Carolyn Dorin-Ballard, two of the all-time greats in the sport own and operate the pro shop located inside Cityview Lanes. It's called Ballard's Bowling Academy. This bowling superstore is fully stocked and ready to serve so be sure to stop in and get your new Storm Intense Fire drilled by the knowledgeable and friendly staff at BBA.

Ballard's Bowling Academy – Cityview Lanes  
6601 Oakmont  
Fort Worth, TX  
76132  
817-768-8748

Manager – Sohn Dupree

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## ENTRY FEE



**\$200 per player includes:**

- **Tournament entry fee**
- **Storm Intense Fire Bowling Ball**
- **SYC Swag Bag**
- **\$10 donation to BVBC**
- **Friday Seminars**
- **Friday practice session**
- **Three 5-game rounds on special oil patterns designed by Kegel**
- **And of course, all the fun interaction with the Storm Pro Staff!**



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## HOW TO ENTER



Entries open on October 1, 2018 at NOON MST on the Storm Website

1. Go to [www.stormbowling.com/syc](http://www.stormbowling.com/syc) to enter
2. Fill out required fields
3. Pay the \$200 entry fee with Visa, Mastercard, or Discover Card – No AMEX

Important notes...

- This event **WILL SELL OUT VERY QUICKLY** and is on a first come first serve basis. Field size is **180 entries**.
- There will be a waiting list created once the field is sold out. Waiting list is on a first come first serve basis as well.

# SYC TEXAS SHOWDOWN DIVISIONS



The SYC is proud to offer 6 divisions based on gender and age. Use the USBC Date of Birth chart below to verify the proper division. The SYC does not currently offer a U17 division.

## USBC Date of Birth Chart

8/1/06 or later = U12

8/1/03 – 07/31/06 = U15

8/1/98 – 07/31/03 = U20

Note: Bowlers in the U12 or U15 division may exercise the option to participate in the U15 or U20 division by notifying [Leanne.Hulsenberg@stormbowling.com](mailto:Leanne.Hulsenberg@stormbowling.com) in writing by November 15, 2018.

All competition is scratch.

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## OFFICIAL RULES



1. Event will be held on 11-30-18 through 12-2-18 at Cityview Lanes in Fort Worth, TX.
2. This event is open to any USBC youth member.
3. This event will be certified by the USBC.
4. There will be 6 divisions. U20B, U15B, U12B, U20G, U15G, U12G. If a division has less than 6 players, it will be combined with another division and the player can choose to forfeit their spot to a player on the waiting list.
5. All competition is scratch.
6. Entries close when event is sold out at 180 players.
7. Players will compete in three (3) rounds.
  - Each round will consist of five (5) games.
  - Each round will be played on a different oil pattern designed by Kegel.
  - Players will skip pairs after each game. Skipping procedures will be announced at the event.
  - Top 3 players in each round will be presented Gold, Silver, and Bronze Medals.
8. Tournament Champions will be crowned based on their fifteen (15) game total pinfall.
9. Entry fee is \$200 per player.
10. Each entry includes a Storm Intense Fire bowling ball (available in 12-16 lbs.). Ball will be picked up at Cityview Lanes during registration hours. No advanced shipping to or from the event will be permitted. No exchanges. No Refunds.
11. The staff at Cityview Lanes will be the official score keepers.
12. Conduct: Any conduct deemed inappropriate, including but not limited to, foul language, obscene gestures, and/or abuse of equipment will be subject to disqualification as determined by the tournament committee. Entry fee will not be refunded.
13. Scholarships will be awarded on a 1:4 ratio and all scholarship funds will be administered by S.M.A.R.T.



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## DRESS CODE



- All bowlers must wear suitable bowling tournament attire at practice session and tournament rounds.
- Collared, mock, or crew neck bowling shirts are required.
- Name shirts are preferred, but not required.
- Dress slacks or pants are required for males.
- Females may wear skirts, skorts, dress shorts, or dress slacks. Skirts, skorts, and shorts must be longer than fingertip length when standing with arms down at sides.
- **NO JEANS, NO SWEATPANTS, NO LEGGINGS, NO T-SHIRTS, and NO HATS ARE ALLOWED AT ANY TIME DURING COMPETITION.**
  - **THIS INCLUDES PRACTICE SESSION.**

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## SCORE KEEPING



- The staff at Cityview Lanes will be the official score keepers of the event.
- ALL score corrections must be made by the center staff
- Scores will be updated every 2 games during the rounds and posted on the communications board in each bowling center.
- **EACH PARTICIPANT IS SOLEY RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR SCORE SHEETS.**
  - Players must write down their score after each game
  - Players must take their score sheet to the next pair of lanes
  - Players must keep their score sheet in the bowlers area
  - Players must turn in their score sheet after the round to the front counter of the bowling center

# **SYC TEXAS SHOWDOWN**

## **THURSDAY – 11.29.18**



Thursday is an optional day for tournament participants that want to come to town early. We will have early registration between 3 pm and 6 pm.

If you can make it into town early, this is a great time to beat the check-in line and pick up your new Storm Intense Fire Bowling Ball. Ballard's Bowling Academy will be open and can drill your new ball at a discounted rate.



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## **FRIDAY - 11.30.18**



### **10 am – 5 pm – Official SYC Check-in**

- Pick up your new Storm Intense Fire bowling ball and head to Ballard's Bowling Academy to have it drilled.
  - Special pricing for SYC bowlers will be available.
- Check-in is also where you'll find your lane assignments, swag bag, and be able to ask any last minute questions you might have about the event.

### **1 – 1:45 pm – Ballard's Bowling Academy Seminar**

- Relax and soak in all the knowledge three (3) USBC Hall of Fame Players have to share with SYC bowlers, families and friends. This is a once in a lifetime experience to get up close and personal with BBA HOF Players.

### **2 – 2:30 pm – Storm Pro Staff Seminar**

- Players and parents welcome to listen in as the Storm Pro Staff share their best practice tips and tricks and answers all your questions.

### **3 – 5 pm – Official Practice Session**

- Players can bowl on all lanes.
- All three (3) Kegel SYC Oil Patterns will be available.

# **SYC TEXAS SHOWDOWN**

## **SATURDAY – 12.1.18**



**9 am – Round 1**

- **Five (5) Games of competition on the SYC Kegel Short Oil Pattern - TBA**

**2 pm – Round 2**

- **Five (5) Games of competition on the SYC Kegel Medium Oil Pattern – TBA**

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## **SUNDAY – 12.2.18**



**10 am – Round 3**

- **Five (5) Games of competition on the SYC Kegel Long Oil Pattern - TBA**

**2 pm – Awards Presentation and closing ceremonies**

- **Round Medals awarded**
- **Winners Announced**
- **BVBC Announcement**





SEE YOU IN TEXAS!