



March-April OPEN 2023



TenPinCam
WORLDWIDE LIVE BOWLING

COMPETITION GENERAL RULES

1. Schedule

Tournament date: 2023 March 01 – 2023 April 15

Maximum number of participants: no limit.

Minimum number of participants: 16.

2. Organization information

Participants play tournament games, in their own alleys, connected to the TenPinCam platform. Platform uses connected video cameras & it's own built in scoring engine to register the results of the games.

By registering in the tournament participants accepts that his games will be watched by the registered users of TenPinCam platform, some of the games may be casted to social media.

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Oil pattern: not regulated, players can choose any program.

Bowling Centers: Any Bowling Center, connected to the TenPinCam

Referee: Karina Maslova (Latvia)

3. Registration

Registration is open until April 15, 2023.

4. Entry fee

Any players registered on the TenPinCam application.

* Players who have a monthly app subscription are entered into a drawing for an increased prize fund.

* see regulations Prize fund.

5. Regulations

5.1. Age of participants: **NO LIMITED!**



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5.2. Participants

5.2.1. Registered users and verified persons, who are using the TenPinCam platform in accordance with Terms & Conditions.

5.3 Game rules.

5.3.1. Registered players will play Drop In - 2 games in total.

5.3.2. Games can be held by choice both on the cross-lane system or on the European system. (Bowling Center has to be connected to the TenPinCam platform).

5.3.3. The number of players on the lane is not limited (from 1 to 6).

It is important for each player to register their participation in the tournament in their TenPinCam application (account) and activate the game with the same lane number as others the same time.

Each player enters the results of his game in his application by itself!

5.3.4. The player can choose any day/any time from 01st of March – till 15th of April.

5.3.5. The number of reentries is not limited.

5.4. Draw result

5.4.1. In case of a tie, the player, who has best last game result (with the handicap), gets higher place. If the tie persists – the game before with the handicap will be decisive.

5.5. Bowling Balls

Any bowling balls can be used. Ball surface can be changed at any time.

5.6 Information technology.

The tournament take place only on lanes, connected to the TenPinCam platform.

Players are eligible to submit registration on www.tenpincam.com, or via the mobile app – download links available on the website.

Players must bring their own device to the tournament; the game is controlled & registered either on www.tenpincam.com or via Mobile app. The device has to be compatible with the platform – players are requested to check the usability, and if possible, play a test game prior to the tournament to get acquainted with the format.

Players has to make sure the device will not run out of battery during the game.

To start playing, the device must be connected to TenPinCam.com WiFi, which is enabled in any bowling alley (password: TenPinCam).

5.7 Slow Bowling & Timeouts.

The frame timing is controlled automatically by the TenPinCam platform.



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For each frame (the 10th frame inclusive) the Player is given the time limit – 5 minutes. During this period the Player must ensure the correctness of the entered score of the preceding frame of the opponent, complete his frame, enter his score and confirm it.

Where the Player fails to confirm the frame score in time subject to the rules, upon expiry of the time the Player receives a yellow card. In case of a repeated delay of frame in excess of 5 minutes (after receiving a yellow card in the same frame or in any other subsequent shots of this game) the Player shall receive a defeat.

The player has the right to take 5 minutes TimeOut – maximum twice per each game. Please use the respective button in the TenPinCam interface.

6. Additional Terms

- 6.1. Oil dressing should be ordered from the bowling alley by player's choice.
- 6.2. The players can submit appeals in the TenPinCam app. This can be done during the game by using the respective function in TenPinCam interface. The deadline for submitting an appeal is 16th of April 23:59 Baltic time. Deadline for review of appeal up to 48 hours after the appeal has been submitted.
- 6.3. All tournament games can be watched by the referee & other participants, as well as the registered TenPinCam users.
- 6.4. Spectators, the same as the players, have the right to appeal if they believe the rules of the game have been violated.
- 6.5. The referee must consider all appeal games.
- 6.6. Warm up time is unlimited. The game begins as it is announced in the regulations of this tournament. If the player fails to confirm the start of this game in TenPinCam on his device within 5 minutes from the scheduled time, he will be awarded a defeat in this game.
- 6.7. The other conditions are in accordance with the general TenPinCam rules or IBF rules.

7. Handicap system

- 7.1. If the player is playing on the platform for the first time - the first three games the player gets dynamic handicap, starting with 4th game – static handicap. If a player has already played more than three games on the platform then a static handicap is assigned to him, based on a handicap scale. If there are enough games played on the app, the last 8 games are taken into account.
- 7.2. The tournament organizer and participants expect a FAIR PLAY. During the tournament,

the referees will make sure that the handicap is not intentionally overestimated due to poor results played in other tournaments. If the referee establishes the fact of falsification of the handicap deliberately, then he has the right to cancel the game, without refunding the tournament fee, or disqualify the player.

7.3. Handicap scale:

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|-----|----|-----|----|--------|----|
| 205 | 1 | 185 | 15 | 165 | 29 |
| 204 | 1 | 184 | 15 | 164 | 29 |
| 203 | 2 | 183 | 16 | 163 | 30 |
| 202 | 3 | 182 | 17 | 162 | 31 |
| 201 | 4 | 181 | 18 | 161 | 32 |
| 200 | 4 | 180 | 18 | 160 | 32 |
| 199 | 5 | 179 | 19 | 159 | 33 |
| 198 | 6 | 178 | 20 | 158 | 34 |
| 197 | 6 | 177 | 20 | 157 | 34 |
| 196 | 7 | 176 | 21 | 156 | 35 |
| 195 | 8 | 175 | 22 | 155 | 36 |
| 194 | 8 | 174 | 22 | 154 | 36 |
| 193 | 9 | 173 | 23 | 153 | 37 |
| 192 | 10 | 172 | 24 | 152 | 38 |
| 191 | 11 | 171 | 25 | 151 | 39 |
| 190 | 11 | 170 | 25 | 150 | 39 |
| 189 | 12 | 169 | 26 | 149 | 40 |
| 188 | 13 | 168 | 27 | 148 | 40 |
| 187 | 13 | 167 | 27 | 147... | 41 |

8. Prize fund

with out subscription

* with subscription

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|-----------------------|--------|-----------------------|----------------|
| 1st place | 80 eur | 1st place | 300 eur |
| 2nd place | 70 eur | 2nd place | 250 eur |
| 3rd place | 50 eur | 3 rd place | 200 eur |
| 4 th place | 40 eur | 4th place | 150 eur |
| 5th place | 35 eur | 5th place | 100 eur |
| 6th place | - | 6th place | 75 eur |
| 7th place | - | 7th place | 50 eur |
| * 300 points | - | * 300 points | 300 eur |
| Best female player | - | Best female player | 50 eur |
| Lucky player | - | Lucky player | TenPinCam gift |

* with monthly subscription -

Players who have a monthly subscription on the TenPinCam application apply for an increased prize fund with a subscription. The player has the right to subscribe at any time during the tournament. All games that make it to the leader board will be checked to see if they are abandoned at the time of the current subscription or not. The player's prize depends on this in accordance with the place taken in the tournament.

** 300 – (1st thrown result with out handicap in any March started tournament)

*** For the youths under 18 years old – equivalent value prizes in other form (gift voucher from local pro shop, bowling center or similar).

!!! The award deadline is 2023 April 25th

9. The tournament organizers

TenPinCam in cooperation with Bowling Centers, connected to the TenPinCam.