**GULF COAST USBC**

**ADULT HALL OF FAME**

**GUIDELINES FOR NOMINATION**

**1. NOMINEES MAY BE CURRENT OR FORMER MEMBERS IN GOOD STANDING FOR A MINIMUM OF FIFTEEN (15) YEARS. A NOMINEE CANNOT BE NOMINATED TO THE GULF COAST USBC HALL OF FAME**

**IF THEY ARE A PRIOR MEMBER OF THE ST. PETERSUBURG B.A. OR ST. PETERSBURG WOMEN’S B.A. YOUTH MEMBERS ARE NOT EXCLUDED FROM BEING NOMINATED ONCE THEY HAVE MET THE CRITERIA FOR NOMINATION IN THE GULF COAST USBC HALL OF FAME. NOMINEES MAY BE SELECTED FOR MERITORIOUS SERVICE AND BOWLING ACHMENTMENT BUT WILL ONLY RECEIVE ONE (1) HALL OF FAME LIFETIME RING.**

**2. THERE WILL BE TWO (2) CATEGORIES, OPEN TO BOTH MALE AND FEMALE BOWLERS: IN WHICH AWARDS MAY BE GIVEN: MERITORIOUS SERVICE AND BOWLING ACHIEVEMENT.**

**3. NO MORE THAN TWO (2) AWARDS WILL BE GIVEN IN EACH**

**CATEGORY.**

**4. ALL APPLICATIONS MUST HAVE AT LEAST ONE (1) RECOMMENDATION LETTER ADDRESSING THE SPORTSMANSHIP**

**AND CHARACTER OF THE BOWLER.**

**5. NOMINATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY SOMEONE OTHER THAN**

**THE NOMINEE.**

**6. ALL APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED IN A LEGIBLE MANNER.**

**THE OFFICIAL 2025 FORM WILL BE THE ONLY ONE ACCEPTED. ANY APPLICATION RECEIVED INCOMPLETE WILL BE RETURNED.**

**7. THE HALL OF FAME INDUCTION WILL BE AT THE GCUSBC ANNUAL**

**MEETING.**

**8. THE HALL OF FAME BOARD WILL MEET AFTER THE MARCH 31ND**

**DEADLINE TO REVIEW THE APPLICATIONS FOR ELIGIBILITY. THE**

**BOARD WILL THEN PRESENT ELIGIBLE APPLICATIONS TO THE**

**HALL OF FAME COMMITTEE FOR VOTE.**

**9. THE HALL OF FAME COMMITTEE WILL CONVENE AND VOTE ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS INTO THE HALL OF FAME.**

***YOU MUST BE* *PRESENT AT THE MEETING TO VOTE, EITHER IN PERSON OR VIA***

***ZOOM.***

**10. ANY INFORMATION BEFORE 2001 (BEFORE MERGER) FOR BOWLING ACHIEVEMENTS MUST CONTACT USBC HEADQUARTERS TO OBTAIN THIS INFORMATION.**

**ALL PERSONS NOMINATED, BUT NOT CHOSEN WILL BE ROLLED OVER TO NEXT YEAR’S NOMINATIONS.**