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Tournament on the Web	
Website	<a href="http://www.viennaopen.com">www.viennaopen.com</a>

EBT Status	
EBT Tour	EBT 2016
EBT Stop	13
EBT Category	Gold
Lane Maintenance	Kegel staff, Kegel lane machines and Kegel chemicals

Tournament information	
The tournament is open for	Athletes from World Bowling's member federations
Tournament organizer	Plus Bowling in cooperation with LVWB
Centre	Plus Bowling
City	Vienna
Federation	Austria
First day	24 September 2016
Last day	2 October 2016

Tournament delimitations	
Category	Open
Event	Singles Mixed, Doubles Mixed
Women handicap	8 pins per game
Max women scratch game	292

Tournament contact	
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Centre address	
Address	Plus Bowling GnbR Beheimgasse 5-7 1170 Vienna Austria
Website	<a href="http://www.plusbowling.at">www.plusbowling.at</a>

Centre specifications	
Number of lanes	32
Approaches	Synthetic Active FA-010
Surfaces	Synthetic Active FA-010
Pin decks	Synthetic Duratec PBA

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Pin setters	Brunswick A2
Pins	Twister
Score system	Qubica AMF

<b>Dressing specifications</b>	
Oil machine	Kegel / Details to be announced
Oil	Kegel / Details to be announced
Cleaner	Kegel / Details to be announced
Pattern prepared by	Kegel
Dressing done by	Kegel

<b>Prize money specifications</b>	
Prize fund status	Fixed
Tax on prizes	No

<b>Prize money expressed in €</b>		
<b>Position</b>	<b>Singles Mixed</b>	<b>Doubles Mixed</b>
Position 1	7.000	1.600
Position 2	5.000	1.200
Position 3	3.500	1.000
Position 4	2.500	750
Position 5	2.000	600
Position 6	1.900	500
Position 7	1.800	450
Position 8	1.700	400
Position 9	1.600	380
Position 10	1.500	350
Position 11	1.400	300
Position 12	1.300	300
Position 13	1.200	300
Position 14	1.200	300
Position 15	1.100	300
Position 16	1.100	300
Position 17	1.000	300
Position 18	1.000	300
Position 19	850	300
Position 20	840	300
Position 21	830	
Position 22	820	
Position 23	810	

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Position 24	800	
Position 25	790	
Position 26	780	
Position 27	770	
Position 28	760	
Position 29	750	
Position 30	750	
Position 31-56	600	
<b>Total</b>	<b>62.950</b>	<b>10.230</b>

### Special Prizes

For the **first perfect game** bowled in the tournament with a Columbia 300 ball, the athlete will be awarded a prize of **USD 300**. The athlete must also have the Columbia 300 logo on his shirt. There will be no additional prizes for other 300 games.

**The winning double of each of the squads 5 – 10** conducted on Monday-Wednesday 14.00 or 18.00 will be awarded 2 balls, one for each athlete. Athletes can choose a ball from the official set of tournament balls, which will be either only Columbia 300 or other balls in the EBI family. The official tournament ball set will be announced prior to the tournament.

### Tournament format

#### Qualification

6 games doubles which is counted individually as qualification results for the singles event

#### Desperado Squad

1 game

#### 56 athletes will qualify for the final steps from three categories

##### Category A (44 athletes)

Athletes positioned 1-44 in the general standing of all squads.

##### Category B (8 athletes)

This category includes 8 squads conducted as of Saturday 24 September till Tuesday 27 September.

One athlete will qualify from each of the 8 squads, namely the highest positioned athlete in the squad not already qualified from Category A.

If an athlete is qualified more than one time from this category, the athlete will qualify from the squad with the highest number.

If one or more squads will be added later in squads conducted as of Saturday 24 September till Tuesday 27 September, such squads will not be included in this category.

##### Category C (4 athletes)

Athletes positioned 1-4 in the Desperado Squad.

#### Seeding for the Final Step 1-2

Athletes positioned 9-44 in the A-standing (36), and all athletes qualified from Category B (8) and C (4), will qualify for the Final Step 1

Athletes positioned 1-8 in Category A will qualify for the Final Step 2

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## Final Step 1

48 athletes will play 6 games starting from scratch

Athletes positioned 1-22 are qualified for the Final Step 2

Athletes positioned 23-48 will be ranked 31-56 according to their position in the Final Step 1

## Final Step 2

30 athletes will play 6 games starting from scratch

Athletes positioned 1-18 are qualified for the Final Step 3

Athletes positioned 19-30 will be ranked 19-30 according to their position in the Final Step 2

## Final Step 3

18 athletes will play 6 games with the pin fall from the Final Step 2 carried forward.

Athletes positioned 1-4 are qualified for the Final Step 4, seeded 1-4

Athletes positioned 5-18 will be ranked 5-18 according to their position in the Final Step 3

## Final Step 4

There will be 3 stepladder matches

### Stepladder match 1

The athlete seeded 4 and the athlete seeded 3 will play a one-game match

The loser of the match will be ranked 4

### Stepladder match 2

The winner of match 1 and the athlete seeded 2 will play a one-game match

The loser of the match will be ranked 3

### Stepladder match 3

The winner of match 2 and the athlete seeded 1 will play a one-game match

The loser of the match will be ranked 2

The winner of the match will be ranked 1

## Tournament tie rules

### Qualification

The highest positioned athlete will be the athlete scoring the highest total of all counting qualification games minus the score of the lowest game. If a tie still exists, the highest positioned athlete will be the athlete with the highest total of all counting qualification games minus the score of the two lowest games etc.

### Desperado

A tie influencing who will qualify for the first final step will be broken by playing a 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> frame roll off, repeated until the tie is broken.

### Final Step 1-3

Ties influencing who will qualify for the next final step, and ties for any of the first 4 positions in step 3, will be broken by playing a 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> frame roll off, repeated until the tie is broken. In all other tie situations in step 1-3, a procedure similar to the procedure for the qualification will be followed.

### Stepladder Final

In case of a tie in any game in any match in the stepladder final, a one-ball roll-off on a full set of pins will be played and repeated until the tie is broken.

## Lane assignments and lane movements

Lane draws

Carried through by Notaries Public

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Athletes per pair	Four in qualification squads Four in the Final Step 1 Three in the Final Step 2 and Step 3
Frequency of movement	After each game
Movement method	Left lane athletes moves left; right lane athletes moves right
Number of lanes to move	Between two and six lanes

<b>Booking policies</b>	
Booking restriction before	With the exception of squads bought in one or more of the Special Packages, a maximum of three squads can be booked before the tournament starts and maximum two of the bookings can be for squads on Friday and Saturday
Booking restriction during	Saturday morning squad has to be paid when requested Besides that none
Total number of bookings	Unlimited
Booking cancellations	Possible
Registration deadline	30 minutes before scheduled squad times

<b>Qualification squads and fees in €</b>						
Squad	Day	Date	Time	Spots	E fee	Re fee
Squad 01	Saturday	24.09.2016	13.00	60	100	-
Squad 02			17.00	60	100	80
Squad 03	Sunday	25.09.2016	10.00	60	100	80
Squad 04			14.00	60	100	80
Squad 05	Monday	26.09.2016	14.00	60	80	80
Squad 06			18.00	60	80	80
Squad 07	Tuesday	27.09.2016	14.00	60	80	80
Squad 08			18.00	60	80	80
Squad 09	Wednesday	28.09.2016	14.00	60	130	*100
Squad 10			18.00	60	130	*100
Squad 11	Thursday	29.09.2016	14.00	60	170	*140
Squad 12			18.00	60	170	*140
Squad 13	Friday	30.09.2016	09.00	60	170	*140
Squad 14			13.00	60	170	*140
Squad 15			17.00	60	170	*140
Squad 16			21.00	60	170	*140
Squad 17	Saturday	01.10.2016	08.00	60	170	*120
Squad 18			12.00	60	170	*140
Squad 19			16.00	60	170	*140
Squad 20			20.00	60	170	*140
Desperado			23.30	-	50	-

**For re-entries marked with \***

If an athlete buys his first re-entry, it is the price as mentioned in the list above.  
The 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> re-entry will cost € 120 instead of the regular prices.

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The 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> re-entry will cost € 100 instead of the regular prices.  
Beginning from the 6<sup>th</sup> re-entry, the fee is 80 instead of the regular prices.

Every re-entry will be counted, so if an athlete for example plays his entry on Monday and his first 3 re-entries Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 4<sup>th</sup> re-entry on Thursday will cost him € 100 instead of € 140.

If the re-entry fee of the squad is lower than the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> and so on, then players have to pay the lower fee.

## Special Packages

### Monday/Tuesday: "Squad & Ball - Special"

2 squads on Monday and/or Tuesday for € 300.

Included is the purchase of the "official tournament ball", which will be announced prior to the tournament. Drilling and inserts are not included.

### Thursday/Friday/Saturday: "Once a day - Special"

3 squads on Thursday till Saturday (one start per day) for € 400.

At least one squad has to be played either Friday at 09.00 or 21.00 or Saturday at 08.00 or 20.00 (for example Thursday at 18.00, Friday at 21.00 and Saturday at 16.00).

### Friday/Saturday: "Early & Late - Special"

3 squads on Friday and Saturday for € 380.

At least 2 squads have to be played either Friday at 09.00 or 21.00 or Saturday at 08.00 or 20.00 (for example Friday at 09.00, Friday at 21.00 and Saturday at 12.00).

## Conditions for Special Packages

All packages have to be paid before the athlete plays his first squad of the package.

The athlete has to fix those 3 squads before the first squad has been played, but not necessarily during the tournament registration. It can be done also while paying the package at the tournament desk.

Regardless if the athlete needs all 3 squads, the athlete will not get any refunds of this package once it has been chosen. Those squads also can't be sold or given to any other person.

Buying a Special Package doesn't mean that an athlete can't play any other squads during the tournament or in between his chosen squads!

For example:

An athlete can fix the "Once a day -Special" for squads 8, 12 and 15 and can of course also play in squad 11, which then will counted as his 3<sup>rd</sup> re-entry (because he has already paid his first 3 squads) and will be charged accordingly.

## Schedule for the final steps

### Sunday 2 October 2016

08.00: Final Step 1

11.30: Lane maintenance

12.30: Final Step 2

15.15: Final Step 3

18.30: Stepladder Final

20.00: Award Ceremony Singles

*Following: The famous Vienna Open Athletes Party at the Plus Bowling Center*

## Hotels provided by the organizer

There are several hotels offering special room rates during the Vienna Open

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You will find detailed information on the website [www.viennaopen.com](http://www.viennaopen.com)

**Other information**

Reservation for a squad is only binding if done by email. The athlete will receive a booking confirmation. Reservations done by phone are not binding for the organizer!

The order of bookings will be first-come-first-served.

A current list of reservations can be found on the website and will be updated daily!

Lane maintenance provided by Kegel, Lake Wales - Florida