

**WORLD BOWLING TOUR MAJOR**  
**INTERNATIONAL BOWLING**  
**CHAMPIONSHIPS 2013**  
SUPPORTED BY **DHC**



*Qualification squads - International Bowlers*  
Information

- Official name: WORLD BOWLING TOUR *MAJOR*  
INTERANTIONAL BOWLING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2013 SUPPORTED BY DHC
- Organizer: Japan Bowling Congress
- Approval: World Tenpin Bowling Association – World Bowling Tour *Major*  
Asian Bowling Federation – Asian Ranking Tournament  
Japan Bowling Congress  
\* WBT Major tournaments is newly introduced for the premium tournament with no less than US\$200,000 total prize fund, and have double ranking points.
- Sponsor: DHC Corporation
- Dates: January 15-16, 2013
- Center: Inazawa Grand Bowl (Brunswick Synthetic 116 lanes)  
80-1 Inokuchi-Otsubo-Cho, Inazawa-shi, Aichi-ken, Japan: +81-587-21-2131
- Format: Singles format. Men and women will bowl in different divisions but in the same format. There are eight (8) squads in two days (two in the first day and six in the second day) and each squad consists of 3 games. A bowler can try as many squads as he/she wants to, and his/her best 3-game score will be used for the qualification. The best 36 male and the best 24 female bowlers will qualify for the respective divisions of the main Championships to be held from January 17-19, 2013 in Inazawa Grand Bowl.
- Playing rules: WTBA Rules and Regulations 2013 and basic rules for DHC International Bowling Championships 2013 will apply to the Qualification squads.
- Tie Breaker: In case a tie occurs on the cut line for the main championships, one game roll off will be played to break the tie. In case of an additional tie, 9-10 frame roll off will be played until the tie breaks. In other cases, the bowlers with the same score will share the position and the next position should be vacant.
- Eligibility: Non-Japanese Bowlers. Certification is needed from WTBA Member federation, which the bowler has the membership of. (WTBA Statutes and Playing Rules). Because of the center capacity, maximum number of bowlers is 100 (men and women in total) and registration will be on first come first served basis.

- Squad fee: US\$50 per squad – No other entry fee is needed.
- Official site: [www.jbc-int.jp](http://www.jbc-int.jp) (All the official information will be updated on the site.)
- Entry: Find the entry form in this site.  
 \*Official certification is needed from WTBA member federation via e-mail..  
 \*Your information and photo will be used for ID and might be used for media purpose.
- Deadline: January 10, 2012 (or when the number of participants reaches 100)
- Visa: PBA and KPBA bowlers need to get the Certificate of Authorized Employment (CAE) from the Immigration Bureau of Japan. It will be granted through the organizer. First of all, make an entry, the organizer will assist to get the CAE. After getting the CAE, the applicant will have to go to nearby Japanese Counselor's office with the CAE to get the VISA. Please note that it will usually take two months or more to get the CAE.  
 Other bowlers will follow the ordinary procedure to enter Japan.
- Schedule: Refer to the schedule below.
- Official Hotel: Hotel Com's - Nagoya: Single-JPY7,500, Twin - JPY7,000/person  
 2-23-22, Higashisakura, Naka-ku, Nagoya, Aichi 460-0005  
 Tel: +81-52-931-5811  
 Castle Plaza: Single-JPY8,500, Twin - JPY8,000/person  
 4-3-25 Meieki, Nakamura-ku, Nagoya-shi, Aichi-ken, Japan 450-0002  
 Tel: +81-52-582-2121  
 \* All inclusive of breakfast & tax.  
 \* The number of rooms is limited and the booking will be on first come, first served basis.
- Transportation: Transportation between Chubu International Airport and the official hotels as well as between the venue center and the official hotels will be provided.(Transportation will not be provided to the participants who will stay at the other hotels.)
- Championships: The category of the participants and the numbers.

1	The finalists of the previous event	Men	4	Women	4
2	Champs: World/Regional Championships Medalists: Asian Championships	Men	6	Women	6
	(Total number of Guest bowlers- seeded)	Men	10	Women	10
3	Seed bowlers from PBA	Men	5	Women	2
4	Seed bowlers from LBO	Men	-	Women	4
5	Seed bowlers from JPBA	Men	4	Women	4
6	Seed bowlers from Japan National Team	Men	5	Women	4
	(Total number of seed only bowlers)	Men	14	Women	14
7	Qualifiers from Local Qualifications	Men	77	Women	71
8	Qualifiers from International Qualification	Men	36	Women	24
	Total number of participants	Men	137	Women	119



# Qualification Squads - International Bowlers

## Time Schedule

<Day 1 Jan. 15 (Tue.) >

	time					/lane	max. number of bowlers
	12:00	~	16:00	Ball Check			
Squad 1	17:00	~	18:30	Women	Men	2x2	100
	18:30	~	18:45				
Squad 2	18:45	~	20:15	Women	Men	2x2	100

<Day 2 Jan. 16 (Wed.) >

	time					/pair	max. number of bowlers
Squad 3	8:30	~	10:00	Women	Men	2x2	100
	10:00	~	10:15				
Squad 4	10:15	~	11:45	Women	Men	2x2	100
	11:45	~	12:30				
Squad 5	12:30	~	14:00	Women	Men	2x2	100
	14:00	~	14:15				
Squad 6	14:15	~	15:45	Women	Men	2x2	100
Lane Maintenance							
Squad 7	17:30	~	19:00	Women	Men	2x2	100
	19:00	~	19:15				
Squad 8	19:15	~	20:45	Women	Men	2x2	100
-	21:15			Announcement of the qualifiers			