## Newcomers Bowling League Rules 2023-2024

- 1. Bowl weekly for 30 weeks on Wednesday except Wednesday before Thanksgiving, Christmas Day and New Year's Day.
- 2. Bowling fees will be \$11.00. You will pay only on the days you bowl.
- 3. Teams will consist of 3 women.
- 4. We will cancel bowling on KPS snow days. On late starts we will bowl as usual.
- 5. One bowler from each team must bowl on each Wednesday. The other 2 bowlers could be put in as absent if needed.
- 6. If no one is able to bowl for your team, please make the game up one week prior or one week later than the date missed.
- 7. Whoever bowls, whether a sub or team member is the person who pays that day.
- 8. Put the \$11.00 bowling fee in the envelope and give to the Secretary. If the Secretary is not present, give envelope to acting secretary.
- 9. If a bowler arrives late it must be before the 4<sup>th</sup> frame, and then can make them up. If bowling ahead to leave early, it must be 7<sup>th</sup> frame or later.
- 10. If your team cannot bowl that day, please let someone know so people are not waiting.
- 11. An average will be set the first week bowled.
- 12. The average is 200 minus 3 game average x .8= handicap.
- 13. If absent that day score is 10 pins less than average. Set that bowler as absent in the scoring machine. (Vacant score is 100.)
- 14. The league will be divided into 2 halves. After 15 weeks the team with the most wins will be first half winner, same with the last 15 weeks. If there is a tie on either, there will be a 3game playoff TBD by the winning teams. If different team win each half, a playoff will not be scheduled.
- 15. If bowling a blind team, each bowler will deduct 10 pins off her average and that will be the blind teams score.