

BOWLING SAFETY RULE 1

WEAR PROPER BOWLING SHOES

BOWLING SHOES FEATURES A NON SLIP SURFACE THAT KEEPS THE APPROACH SURFACE SMOOTH AND PROVIDE BOWLERS WITH THE BEST GRIP FOR THE MOST ACCURATE SHOT

WEARING OUTSIDE SHOES COULD CAUSE YOU TO STICK AS YOU LEAN FORWARD TO RELEASE YOUR BOWLING BALL, CAUSING YOU TO TIP FORWARD AND FALL

BOWLING SAFETY RULE 2

BOWLING BALLS

IF THE HOLES ARE TOO BIG FOR YOUR FINGERS, IT MIGHT ALSO BE TOO HEAVY FOR YOU. YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO CONTROL IT, AND YOU COULD DROP IT, INJURING YOURSELF OR OTHERS DUE TO THE WEIGHT.

IF THE BALL HAS HOLES THAT ARE TOO SMALL, IT COULD GET STUCK ON YOU FINGERS AS YOU TRY TO RELEASE IT. THIS COULD CAUSE INJURY FROM SOMETHING AS MINOR AS BLISTERS TO SOMETHING MAJOR LIKE DISLOCATING, WRENCHING OR SPRAINING YOUR SHOULDER, ELBOW, WRIST OR FINGERS

BOWLING SAFETY RULE 3

BALL RETURN

ALWAYS BE CAUTIOUS AROUND THE BALL RETURN. THE BALL RETURN HAS MOVING PARTS. SERIOUS INJURY CAN RESULT FROM REACHING INTO THE BALL RETURN OPENING.

DO NOT OVERCROWD THE BALL RETURN. BALLS ON THE BALL RETURN TRAY MIGHT GET KNOCKED OFF BY RETURNING BALLS.

BOWLING SAFETY RULE 4

FOUL LINE

LANES ARE TREATED WITH OIL AFTER THE FOUL LINE AND ARE EXTREMELY SLIPPERY. CROSSING THE FOUL LINE CAN CAUSE YOU TO SLIP AND FALL RESULTING IN SERIOUS INJURY.

BOWLING SAFETY RULE 5

TAKING TURNS

GIVE WAY TO BOWLERS ON YOUR RIGHT.

YOU SHOULD APPROACH THE LANES WHEN IT IS YOUR TURN TO BOWL.

IF THERE ARE A LOT OF PEOPLE BY THE BOWLING AREA, BALLS COULD ACCIDENTLY HIT THEM AND MULTIPLE INTERFERENCES CAN BE CAUSED.

STAY BACK AND GIVE EACH BOWLER AS MUCH ROOM AS POSSIBLE DURING A TURN.

BOWLING SAFETY RULE 6

BOWLING WITH CHILDREN

PLEASE TELL YOUR CHILDREN TO APPROACH THE LANES CAREFULLY WHEN THEY BOWL.

DO NOT LET THEM COME INTO THE LANE BEHIND YOU, SINCE THEY CAN BE HIT BY A SWUNG BALL.

ALLOW ONE CHILD TO BOWL AT A TIME. A CHILD CANNOT HOLD/CONTROL THE BALL PROPERLY AND THE BALL MIGHT DROP ACCIDENTLY.

BOWLING SAFETY RULE 7

FOOD OR DRINK

NO FOOD OR DRINK ARE ALLOWED ON THE APPROACH AND BOWLERS AREA.

SLIPPERY, WET, STICKY SPOTS OR SUBSTANCES CAN AFFECT A BOWLER'S SLIDE AND DELIVERY AND CAUSE A FALL AND SERIOUS INJURY.