



Tournaments

Executive's 5 Pin Championships

Average Date – Oct. 10, 2010

Entry Deadline – Oct.24, 2010

Zone/DC Finals in league play (optional) begin Nov.21

High-Low Doubles Championships

Average Date – October 10, 2010

Entry Deadline – October 10, 2010

League Rounds – October 18 – November 21, 2010

Tournament Certificates

Rhonda has a limited number of High-Low Doubles, Holiday Classic and Triples certificates available in the office, for any Associations who would like some. Please e-mail Rhonda at rhondagifford@o5pba.ca with the number you require. They will be sent out on a first come, first served basis.

The certificate templates will also be available on the O5 website for you to download.



New President

Please join with us in congratulating Hall of Famer 'Mariano Meconi' on his appointment as the new President of Bowl Canada.

Zone and DC Financial Agreements

All Zone and DC's MUST register a copy of their Financial Agreements with the Provincial Office. These agreements are a condition under which local Zone and Decentralized Associations maintain their charter as members of the Ontario and Canadian 5 Pin Bowlers' Associations. These Financial Agreements were sent out with your recent mailing, which included your Green Book and membership package.

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Provincial Tournaments

Please mark your calendars with the special dates listed below:

Youth Challenge Provincial Championships

February 5, 2011 (Oshawa)

High Low Doubles Provincial Championships

February 26, 2011 (Hamilton)

Executives' 5 Pin Provincial Championships

February 26, 2011 (Hamilton)

Holiday Classic Provincial Championships

April 16, 2011 (Hamilton)

Inter Provincial Championships

April 14 – 16, 2011 (Edmonton, Alta)

Ontario Open 5 Pin Championships

April 20 – 23, 2011 (Hamilton)

Ontario Senior Open 5 Pin Championships

April 20 – 23, 2011 (Hamilton)

Senior Citizens Provincial Championships

May 11, 2011 (Oshawa)

Triples & Booster Club Provincial Championships

May 28, 2011 (Toronto)

National Open 5 Pin Championships

June 1 – 4, 2011 (Surrey, B.C.)

Grass Roots & Elite Coaches

The "Grass Roots Coach of the Year" should come from those individuals who work directly with, and have a positive influence on, our youth bowlers.

The "Elite Coach of the Year" should be recognized for their commitment to skill development of the 5 Pin game, as well as successful coaching experiences in competition.

The Grass Roots Coach of the Year should be nominated for their efforts up to and including the 2009/2010 bowling season.

The Elite Coach of the Year nominations should be based on achievements in the 2009/2010 season.

Nomination forms have been sent to all Coaching Coordinators and can also be found on the O5 Website. Nominations must be received in the O5 Office by the **October 1st deadline.**



Workshops 2010/11

At the AGM a motion was passed to discontinue the SAGM in the non Hall of Fame year. In lieu of the SAGM, we will be holding Regional Meetings / Workshops and we encourage all Zone and DC participation.

DATES:

- Oct.16 & 17 - Belleville
Ramada Inn – **Room Cost \$99+taxes**
- Nov. 6 & 7 - London
4 Points Sheraton–**Room Cost \$100+tax**
- Dec.18 &19 - Toronto
Sports Centre

On the Saturday, we will be offering the following courses, providing we have 6 – 8 participants. **Anyone wishing to participate in one of these courses, please contact Al Hong at the O5PBA office – 416-429-7162 ASAP. These courses will not be offered if we do not have at least 6 participants.**

- Community Coach Program (includes MED for Level 1 coaches)
Community Coaching - Cost - \$45.00
MED only - Cost \$10.00
- Tournament Director's Course (include Judge of Play course) - **Cost \$25.00**
- Lane Certification Course – **Cost \$25.00**

MEETING AGENDA:

- Review minutes of General Meeting #3 from AGM
- Review Audited Financial Statements
- Review workshop notes from AGM
- Update on Average Book
- AGM 2011 Workshops
- Zone / DC concerns
- New Business

IMPORTANT:

Please advise the office as to what meeting you will be attending, so we can book meeting room space. Also advise the office if you will require a room on the Saturday night as soon as possible.

Youth Challenge

This is to advise that the boundaries for the Youth Challenge are based on O5 boundaries and not Bowl Ontario. If you have any questions, please contact your local association of the O5 office – 416-429-7162.

Thought for the Day

Start by doing what's necessary; then do what's possible; and suddenly you are doing the impossible.

~St. Francis Of Assisi

Average Book

This year the rolling average has been changed to the previous 3 seasons. As well, the rolling average is now for all games bowled by a bowler in all O5 affiliated leagues during the previous 3 seasons.

With this change to the calculation of the rolling average, sending out the rolling averages to each Zone cannot be done until all averages for the previous season have been received. The deadline for submission by the Zones was September 17th, 2010. The rolling averages will be sent out to all Zones as soon as they are completed. This should take no longer than September 25, 2010 but will be completed by October 1, 2010.

If you have any questions on the Average Book, please contact the O5 office or John Cresswell at johncresswell@o5pba.ca

Incentive Awards

Details and forms for the Incentive Awards will be e-mailed to all Zone & DC Presidents this week. The incentive forms will also be available for downloading from the O5 website.

Included with this forms is the "Zone/DC" Visitation Report. Please complete and return to the O5 office regardless of whether you require a visit or not. There are incentive points awarded for this.



O5PBA is coming to Facebook

We hope to be up and running by October 1st with our Facebook page. Stay tuned

Bowling School

Bowl Canada has extended the age for YBC Seniors to 19 years of age. This change will have no effect on the age criteria used for attending the Bowling School. Students that are between 13 and 18 years of age on or before December 31, 2010 are eligible and encouraged to submit applications. If you have any questions, please contact the O5 office.

