



Elite Coach of the Year



Bernie McMillan's coaching skills shine at every level of competition, making this award well-earned. Under his guidance, Middlesex Elgin teams have consistently reached championships, step ladders, and zone qualifiers, with the Mixed Team's 2024-2025 provincial title as a standout achievement. His dedication to the association and focus on building skills while driving competitive success

perfectly captures what the Elite Coach of the Year award represents. Congratulations to Bernie for exemplifying great coaching and elevating 5-pin bowling through hard work and real results.

Grass Roots Coach of the Year



Phil Winter's recognition as Grass Roots Coach of the Year is a reflection of years of dedication to building strong, supportive bowling programs in York Simcoe. His leadership in youth leagues, combined with success coaching both youth and adult competitors at provincial and national levels, demonstrates a commitment that reaches every tier of the sport. Phil's ongoing efforts in fundraising and association

support ensure that bowlers in his zone have access to opportunities that might not otherwise be possible. His impact is exactly what the Ernie Roggie Grass Roots Coach of the Year award was created to honour, making this achievement both fitting and well earned.

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Upcoming Tournaments & Events

High-Low Doubles / Inter-Provincial Championships

Provincial Championships:
February 22, 2026 - Hopedale Bowl

Executives 5 Pin Championships

Provincial Championships:
February 1, 2026 - Waterdown Lanes

Ontario Open & Senior Open

Open Provincial Championships:
April 1 - 4, 2026 - Echo Bowl, C&D Lanes
Senior Open Provincial Championships:
April 2 - 4, 2026 - Mikes Lanes

Youth Challenge

Provincial Championships:
January 11, 2026 - Echo Bowl

Holiday Classic

Provincial Championships:
May 9, 2026 - Nebs Fun World

Ontario Open & Senior Open

Zone rounds are underway! Good luck to everyone playing. Here is a link to the zone entry forms. <https://o5pba.ca/forms?show=ontario-open-and-senior-open-championships-zone-entry-forms>

Once your tournament sites have been confirmed, it is recommended that the completed form be emailed to incentives@o5pba.ca. Before sending your entry forms by email, please ensure that all information is accurate and up to date.

Looking For Volunteers!

The O5PBA is reaching out to zones who are located in the Provincial Tournament locations for volunteers to help out at the upcoming Provincial tournaments.

If you are available to assist at any of these events, please contact Mike Kyte, mikekyte@o5pba.ca, and let him know you are available to help.



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