



Ontario 5 Pin Bowlers' Association

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To: Senior Open Coaches
From: Rhonda Gifford
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SUBJECT: ONTARIO SENIOR OPEN 5 PIN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Dear Senior Open Coach:

Congratulations on having been selected to coach a team at the Ontario Senior Open 5 Pin Championships. These Championships are being held from **APRIL 2-4, 2026**. The Senior Teams will be bowling at Mike's Lanes in Stratford, Ontario. The finals will be bowled at Echo Bowl in Brantford, Ontario.

For all the rules and regulations governing these tournaments please visit our website at the above noted address.

While only one team or individual can win in each event, we wish your team the best of luck in the Provincial Championships.

We have provided you with a package of information regarding the Provincial Championships as follows:

- Senior Open Participant Information Form – **1 for you and each team member**
- Winning Bowler Letters – **1 for you and each team member**
- Schedule of Events
- Hotel Booking Information – **Posted to the website**

CALL A TEAM MEETING IMMEDIATELY!!!

IT IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT THAT YOU CALL A TEAM MEETING IMMEDIATELY TO DISTRIBUTE THE WINNING BOWLER PACKAGES TO YOUR TEAM AND TO REVIEW THE ENCLOSED INFORMATION. ALL INFORMATION MUST BE COMPLETED AND E-MAILED TO rhondagifford@o5pba.ca OR MAILED TO THE ABOVE NOTED ADDRESS NO LATER THAN MARCH 4, 2026. THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR COOPERATION IN THIS MATTER.

SENIOR OPEN PARTICIPANT INFORMATION FORM

We have provided copies of the Senior Open Participant Information Form for yourself and each member of your team. **PLEASE NOTE: ALL PARTICIPANTS AND COACHES MUST COMPLETE THE FORM.** Once your entire team has completed their Senior Open Participant Information Forms, you are asked to return them to the above noted address along with the appropriate payment (if paying by cheque or money order) prior to the deadline date of **MARCH 4, 2026.**

We will accept payment by e-transfer, cheque, or money order. If you are paying by e-transfer send to payments@o5pba.ca and indicate the name of your Zone, your Name and the Team you are coaching (Senior Team).

If you are paying by cheque or money order please make it payable to the Ontario 5 Pin Bowlers' Association. **POST-DATED CHEQUES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

It is the responsibility of the Coach to see that all Senior Open Participant Information Forms are completed and submitted no later than MARCH 4, 2026.

There will be a Coaches Meeting for the Senior Open via ZOOM on **Sunday, March 22** or **Monday, March 23, 2026** at 7:30 p.m. **Please Note: All Senior Open Coaches must attend Meeting #1 or Meeting #2. There will be no Coaches Meeting the day of the tournament.**

The Opening Ceremonies will be held on Thursday, April 2, 2026 at 10:00 a.m. at Mike's Lanes.

We look forward to seeing you in Stratford and Brantford and wish your team the best of luck in the Provincial Championships. If you have any questions regarding any of the above, please do not hesitate to contact the office.

Yours truly,

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