



# Ontario 5 Pin Bowlers' Association

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To: Zone/Decentralized Association Tournament Directors  
From: Rhonda Gifford  
Program Coordinator

**SUBJECT: PROVINCIAL TRIPLES 5 PIN CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Dear Tournament Director:

The Zone/DC Finals of the Provincial Triples 5 Pin Championships shall consist of three (3) games and must be completed on or before **APRIL 19, 2026**. For all the rules and regulations governing this tournament please refer to Page 9-1 in the Green Book.

Enclosed for your information are the following documents:

- **2025-2026 Eligibility Chart**
- **PA Announcement**
- **Winner's Report Form**
- **Winning Bowler Packages – (3)**
- **Winning Coach Package – (If Applicable)**  
**(Contains Information regarding the Provincial Championships)**

Please be advised that the Provincial Triples Lapel Pins are for League Champions only (**THREE (3) PINS PER LEAGUE THAT ENTERED**). Please make sure that the league's winning team (1<sup>st</sup> place team) receives the pins. **Please Note: The Provincial Triples lapel pins were sent out with your supplies in August provided you ordered them.**

In an effort to reduce wasted certificates, we have put the Provincial Triples Certificate Template on our website. You can find it under forms on our website at [www.o5pba.ca](http://www.o5pba.ca).

**Please Note: Zone/DC Associations have the option of advancing additional teams to the Provincial Championships based on the attached 2025-2026 Eligibility Chart which shows how many additional teams your Zone/DC Association qualifies for. There will be an additional charge of \$140.12 (HST Included) per extra team advancing. Zone/DC Associations will be responsible for the cost of shirts for any extra teams at the Provincial Championships. If your Association is advancing additional teams, please advise the Provincial Office no later than **APRIL 20, 2026**. Extra teams will be accepted on a first come first served basis as we can only accommodate 48 teams (2 Shifts with 24 teams per shift) at the Provincial Championships. Please advise of any extra teams before the deadline date to avoid any disappointment.**

**Note: A random lottery will be used to allocate any association unused spots**

**Bowling will be held in two shifts. Shift #1 has a registration time of 8:30 a.m. with bowling starting at 9:00 a.m. Shift #2 has a registration time of 12:30 p.m. with bowling starting at 12:30 p.m. Teams may indicate their shift preference but will be subject to availability. Indicate the team's choice on the Winner's Report Form.**

Immediately upon the conclusion of your Zone/DC roll-off please complete and e-mail the Winner's Report Form to [\*\*results@o5pba.ca\*\*](mailto:results@o5pba.ca).

All teams advancing to the Provincial Championships, have the option of selecting a coach provided they are **COMMUNITY COACH TRAINED** on or before **DECEMBER 31 OF THE CURRENT BOWLING SEASON**, and must be a member in good standing of the Ontario 5 Pin Bowlers' Association. Contact your coaching coordinator for a list of certified coaches (*if applicable*).

We have enclosed a Winning Coach Package. **We ask that you please make sure the Coach receives the Winning Coach Package provided your Zone/DC Association has selected a coach for this tournament.**

If your Zone/DC Association has not selected a coach for this tournament, please hand each of your three (3) winning bowlers a Winning Bowler Package which includes the following:

- **Dear Bowler Letter**
- **Bowler and Coach Information Form – (Includes Dress Code and Waiver Form)**
- **Schedule of Events**

These documents contain all the information your winning coach and/or team will require to ensure their participation in the Provincial Championships being held at Lakeview Bowl, 109 George Street North, Peterborough, Ontario, K9J 3G3 on **SUNDAY, MAY 31, 2026**.

All bowlers and coaches who qualify for any of our Provincial Championships will be responsible for booking their own hotel accommodations.

**A motion was passed by the delegates at the O5PBA AGM in June 2022 as follows:**

**To have the paperwork required for each tournament kept on file so it only needs to be completed once.**

The paperwork in question is specifically the ***“Code of Conduct & Dress Code, and Risk & Release of Liability”*** paperwork that accompanies **all** winners report form packages. If during the season, a bowler becomes a repeat winner, simply complete the appropriate fields on the Winners Report form being supplied. The bowler is required to complete the “Bowler Information” form, but “not” the remaining two forms since they have already been submitted for the previous tournament. **We are asking all Zone/DC tournament directors to indicate this information on the Winner's Report Form provided.**

All bowlers not in the Average Book **MUST** provide the Ontario 5 Pin Bowlers' Association with an original or a photocopy of their Individual Average Sheet. The average sheet must be obtained from **ALL** leagues they bowl in, and must show scores bowled in all games from the opening of the 2025-2026 bowling season with a minimum of twenty-one (21) games bowled up to and including **APRIL 12, 2026**.

Please make sure you emphasize to the Coach (if applicable) and/or your winners when you give them their Winning Bowler and/or Winning Coach Package that it is extremely important for them to complete and e-mail the Bowler and Coach Information Form along with copies of their individual average sheets (if applicable) to [results@o5pba.ca](mailto:results@o5pba.ca) no later than **MAY 1, 2026**.

If you require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact the Provincial Office at (416) 426-7167.

Yours truly,

ONTARIO 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION

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Enclosures: