Ontario 5 Pin Bowlers' Association

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To: Zone Association Tournament Directors

From: Rhonda Gifford
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SUBJECT: **ONTARIO OPEN 5 PIN CHAMPIONSHIPS**
ONTARIO SENIOR OPEN 5 PIN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Dear Tournament Director:

The Zone Finals for the Ontario Open 5 Pin Championships shall consist of twenty (20) games bowled between **NOVEMBER 1, 2026** and **JANUARY 24, 2027** in centres designated by the Local Zone Association. **To qualify for the Open, a bowler must bowl one (1) game to be eligible**.

The Ontario Senior Open 5 Pin Championships shall consist of ten (10) games bowled in conjunction with the Open Qualifying Round in your Zone between **NOVEMBER 1, 2026** and **JANUARY 24, 2027** in centres designated by the Local Zone Association. **To qualify for the Senior Open, a bowler must bowl one (1) game to be eligible**.

For all the rules and regulations governing these tournaments please refer to Pages 6-1 (Ontario Open) and 7-1 (Ontario Senior Open) in the Green Book.

Enclosed with this mailing is the following:

- **Zone Qualifiers Report Form**
- **Coaches Report Form**
- **Senior Team Report Form**
- **Acknowledgement of Code of Conduct and Dress Code Form**
- **Acknowledgement of Risk and Release of Liability Form**

Immediately upon the conclusion of your Zone roll-off please complete and e-mail the Zone Qualifiers Report Form, Coaches Report Form and Senior Team Report Form to **results@o5pba.ca** by the established deadline dates.

In addition, we also request that you e-mail your results to **results@o5pba.ca** on the tournament spreadsheet following the completion of the first 10 games (Week 1) of your roll-off in order that the results can be posted to our website.

Enclosed is an Acknowledgement of Code of Conduct and Dress Code Form. Each participant **(including coaches) MUST** complete and sign this form to acknowledge they understand and agree to abide by the dress code as outlined. This form **MUST** be e-mailed to **results@o5pba.ca**. **Failure to sign this form will result in not being permitted to compete in the event**.

Also enclosed is an Acknowledgement of Risk and Release of Liability Form. In order to ensure our Association of liability coverage, our insurance company has insisted that an Acknowledgement of Risk and Release of Liability Form be signed by **ALL PARTICIPANTS (including coaches)** in our Provincial Championships.

Please read the form carefully and initial the box after reading and understanding the statements and conditions. Upon completion of the form please print and sign your name. This form **MUST** be e-mailed to **results@o5pba.ca**. **Participants who do not complete and sign the form will not be allowed to bowl**. This is an action that may seem drastic but is necessary for the well being of your Association.

We ask all Tournament Directors to ensure that **ALL** Bowlers, Coaches and Assistant Coaches complete and sign the Acknowledgement of Code of Conduct and Dress Code Form and Acknowledgement of Risk and Release of Liability Form following the conclusion of your Zone roll-off.

Information regarding the Provincial Championships will be posted to the website as soon as details are finalized. **Please Note: We are asking you to have your coaches and bowlers print the information from the website**.

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: