

ONTARIO 5 PIN BOWLING CHAMPIONSHIPS

COACH INSTRUCTIONS

In order to guarantee that the scoreboards and computer statistics reflect the bowlers' scores exactly as they have been bowled, we ask that each coach ensure that the following procedures are maintained throughout the tournament:

- A. Each coach will be issued an **"OFFICIAL LINE-UP FORM"** (see attached) for each game that they are the "AWAY" team and who will be required to put their starting line-up **DOWN FIRST**. As approved by the delegates at the Annual Meeting in June 2013, it is the responsibility of the visiting team coach to have their line-up completed and available to the home team coach within five (5) minutes commencing when the last team finishes within the division or the visiting team will lose a match point by the Judge of Play for delay of game. **DO NOT LOSE THESE FORMS AS THEY ARE THE ONLY ONES THAT WILL BE ISSUED TO YOU!**
- B. This form will be the official line-up for each game and will be used to change the line-up at the start of each game on the computer scoring system. Once the "AWAY" team has put down their line-up, the sheet will be given to the "HOME" team coach for the completion of their starting line-up. Please ensure that the line-up form is completed as per the example attached.
- C. When a substitution takes place during a game, place an **"S"** in the box adjacent to the bowler being replaced. **Please Note: To help calculate the scores for bowlers and their substitutes, a coach MUST indicate in the "frames column" the # of frames and the score bowled for those frames (e.g. 7 – 75) (See example).**

SENIORS COACHES ONLY – There will be no substitutions for the Seniors Teams. Teams will be bowling five (5) and counting all five (5) scores.
- D. The total number of frames bowled is to be marked in the "frames" column and the total of the frames **MUST EQUAL "50"** including the frames bowled by the substitution.
- E. The total game score will be placed in the score column for the starting line-up. When a substitution has occurred, the total game score should be placed against the bowler who started the game. The scoring for the "substituted bowler" will be the number of frames bowled and the score he/she received for those frames only.
- F. At the end of the game, please mark the match points received for each bowler in the Points Column. Repeat the same procedure for the Team Pinfall Total. Record the total number of points earned by your team for that game.
- G. Make sure the coach of the "OPPOSING TEAM" signs your sheet and vice-versa. **LEAVE THE OFFICIAL SCORESHEET ON THE SCORE DESK.** A tournament official will pick up the sheet after each game. Please take your remaining LINE-UP sheets with you for the next game.
- H. As approved by the delegates at the Annual Meeting in June 2013, any bowler not present for their turn in corresponding order, once the game has been started by the Judge of Play, will face a zero score for that frame.

The coaches will be responsible for the accuracy of their bowlers' statistics (i.e. number of frames bowled and the scores obtained for those frames). The statistics produced at these championships and any record scores achieved by the bowlers, will be based on the information provided by you.

THESE PROCEDURES ARE NECESSARY FOR THE CORRECT RECORDING OF POINTS AND SCORES TO THE COMPUTER OPERATORS. YOUR ATTENTION TO THESE PROCEDURES IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT! THANK YOU FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE AND COOPERATION.