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To: Zone/Decentralized Association Tournament Directors

From: Rhonda Gifford

Program Coordinator

SUBJECT: PROVINCIAL TRIPLES TOURNAMENT

Dear Tournament Director:

The Zone/DC Finals of the Provincial Triples Tournament shall consist of three (3) games and must be completed on or before **MARCH 18, 2012**. For all the rules and regulations governing this tournament please refer to Page 9-1 in the Green Book.

Enclosed with this mailing is the following:

- PROVINCIAL TRIPLES LAPEL PINS (For League Champions Only)
- 2011-2012 ELIGIBILITY CHART
- PA ANNOUNCEMENT
- WINNER'S REPORT FORM
- THREE (3) WINNING BOWLER ENVELOPES (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 (1st place team) receives the pins.

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. We also have a limited supply of certificates in the office. If you wish me to send you any please e-mail me at rhondagifford@o5pba.ca with the quantity you require. These will be available on a first come first served basis.

PLEASE NOTE:

Again this year Zone and DC Associations will have the option to advance additional teams to the Provincial Championships. Attached for your information is the 2011-2012 Eligibility Chart showing how many additional teams your Zone and DC Association will be permitted.

Please be advised there will be an additional charge of \$101.70 (HST included) for each extra team advancing. Zone and DC Associations will also be responsible for the cost of shirts for any extra teams at the Provincial Championships. If your Association is interested in advancing additional teams please contact the Provincial Office.

Immediately upon the conclusion of your roll-off you are kindly requested to complete and return the enclosed "Winner's Report Form".

At the same time we would ask that you please hand each member of your winning team one of the enclosed "Winning Bowler Envelopes". These envelopes contain all the information your winners will require to ensure their participation in the Provincial Championships being held at O'Connor Bowl in Toronto on **SATURDAY, MAY 26, 2012**.

Please Note: There will be 2 shifts for the Provincial Triples Tournament as follows:

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SHIFT #1 – Zones A, B, D, E, H, P, S, X, Z (Registration – 9:00 a.m.)
SHIFT #2 – Zones F, G, J, K, L (Registration – 12:30 p.m.)
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Please make sure you advise your bowlers of what shift they will be bowling to avoid any confusion.

All bowlers competing in the Provincial Championships who are not in the Average Book <u>MUST</u> 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 <u>ALL</u> leagues they bowl in, and must show scores bowled in all games from the opening of the 2011-2012 bowling season with a minimum of twenty-one (21) games bowled up to and including <u>MARCH 18, 2012</u>.

Please make sure you emphasize to your winners when you give them their envelopes that it is extremely important for them to complete and return the "<u>BOWLER INFORMATION FORM</u>" along with copies of their individual average sheets (**if applicable**) to reach the Provincial Office no later than <u>APRIL 20, 2012</u>.

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: