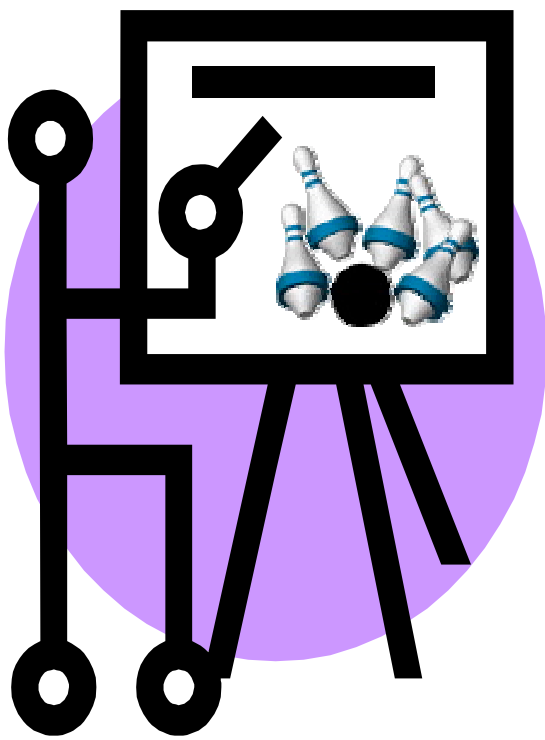


# Pinboard Special Edition



## Ontario 5 Pin Bowlers' Association



Attached to this Special Edition of the Pinboard are a number of items that we feel are very important to you as an individual and also to all our Zones and Decentralized Associations. In this special issue you will find the following:

- Competition
  - Introduction Competitive Coach Update
- Competitive Coach
  - Learning Facilitator Application Form
- Regional Meetings Review
- AGM 2010
  - Workshop Recommendations
  - Motions

To all Zones and Decentralized Association Presidents, please ensure that your Board of Directors and voting delegates are made aware of the attached motions pertaining to our Annual General Meeting.

## Competition – Introduction Competitive Coach Update

On Feb 23, 2010 we received conditional approval for our Introduction Competitive Coach program. We have six modifications we need to correct including the French translation before applying for final approval.

The next step is the selection and training of Learning Facilitators and Master Evaluators. The C5PBA will be running two training courses in August/September timeframe. Exact dates will be sent to everyone as soon as final approval is given. The C5PBA will run one course in the west and one in the east.

Provinces will submit names to the C5PBA for final approval:

### **West**

British Columbia - 3  
Alberta - 3  
Saskatchewan - 3  
Manitoba - 3  
Northwest Territories - 1

### **East**

Northern Ontario -3  
Ontario - 3  
Quebec - 2  
Newfoundland/Labrador - 2  
Nova Scotia - 2  
Prince Edward Island – 1

All candidates must attend all the modules to be eligible to become a LF and Master Evaluator.

As per the C5PBA Coaching Operations Manual the following criteria must be met

### Role of LF

- Implement an appropriate structured and organized workshop
  - Facilitate the achievement of outcomes or learning objectives
  - Display appropriate communication and leadership to enhance coach learning
- Manage administrative aspects of the workshop and the NCCP

### Process to become LF / Evaluator

- Submit to C5PBA application (see attached)
- Selection made by C5PBA
- Training
- Practice delivery
- Evaluation for Certification

Delivery and Maintaining Certification

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### Qualifications

- Must be a level 2 Certified coach with a minimum of 10 years active coaching experience
  - Currently active in 5 pin bowling
  - Each LF must demonstrate to the C5PBA an expertise in communicating with new coaches.
- Must have passed the online MED for Comp Intro with a 90% mark. A copy of the passing grade must be submitted with the original application. A LF must go online at [www.coach.ca](http://www.coach.ca) to receive their password. Once they have their password they can go on the CAC website and complete the online MED for Comp Intro.

### Master Evaluator Qualifications

- Prior experience in NCCP or coach education
- Minimum of 10 years actively coaching 5-pin bowling
- Minimum of Level 2 Certified
- Experience in adult education

Must have passed the online MED for Comp Intro with a 90% mark. A copy of the passing grade must be submitted with the original application. A LF must go online at [www.coach.ca](http://www.coach.ca) to receive their password. Once they have their password they can go on the CAC website and complete the online MED for Comp Intro

### Introduction Competitive Coach Modules

- Setting the Scene
  - Making Ethical Decisions
  - C5PBA & LTAD
  - Analyze Performance
  - Plan a Practice
  - Support the Bowler in Training
- Support the Competitive Experience

The LF Training and Master Evaluator Training will take place over one weekend

- Friday from 5:30 to 9:30
  - Saturday 8:30 to 7:00
- Sunday 8:30 to 5:00

Each candidate MUST attend all modules

Applications must be sent to the C5PBA by June 1<sup>st</sup> 2010. See attached application form. For further information please check the C5PBA Operation Manual.

The C5PBA funding from the Coaching Association is restricted to training of one Master Evaluator per province.

Please submit to your provincial coaching association for funding in order to send the required number of people to these clinics.

Some provinces provide funding for Master Evaluator training, others provide funding for Learning Facilitator training. Since everyone attending these sessions will be trained as both Learning Facilitators and Master Evaluators, everyone should be able to cover off their costs. If you are unable to secure any provincial funding for this training, please contact the C5PBA office.

## COMPETITIVE COACH

### Learning Facilitator Application Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Nom \_\_\_\_\_ Date de naissance D/J M Y/A

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_  
Adresse \_\_\_\_\_ Sexe \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Province \_\_\_\_\_  
Ville \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
Code Postal \_\_\_\_\_ Téléphone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_  
Adresse électronique \_\_\_\_\_

Languages spoken : \_\_\_\_\_  
Langues parlées \_\_\_\_\_

NCCP # : \_\_\_\_\_

#### Application Checklist :

- \_\_\_\_\_ Cover letter
- \_\_\_\_\_ Completed Application Form
- \_\_\_\_\_ Transcript of NCCP Certification Status
- \_\_\_\_\_ Make Ethical Decisions Online Evaluation - 90% or more (for Competitive Coach context )
- \_\_\_\_\_ Résumé of your coaching experience and achievements (with names and phone numbers for 2 references)

#### Declaration

I hereby certify that the information I have provided with this application is true and complete.

Signature of  
Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

### Regional Meetings Review

This past weekend your Board of Directors completed the last of four regional meetings. In total 72 people participated and we thank those individuals not only for their participation but more importantly for their valued input.

With HST looming and the minimum wage increasing our cost, our future at this point is far from certain. Add to this the uncertainty of some bowling centre closing we all must keep the economy in mind when deciding on any possible changes to our programs and tournaments.

Our first meeting was held January 24<sup>th</sup> in Cambridge and the following people attended:

Brenda Hamilton (board)  
Doug and Cheryl Plummer (Bay of Quinte)  
Sylvia Poodry, Ron Roeder and Andrew Pike (Waterloo)  
Francis Kelly (Dickson)  
Tammy Cote and Stephanie Ingrao (Eastside)

Our second meeting was held February 21<sup>st</sup> in Toronto and the following people attended

Rheal Champagne (board)  
Mickey McNeil (Central Ontario)  
Heather Cresswell and Gary Kehoe (York Simcoe),  
Chris Moore and Ron Mackie (Huron)  
Mary Rasmussen and Barb Murrell (Bradford)  
Shirley Hone and Joanne Ellison (Ontario Durham).

Our third meeting was held February 28<sup>th</sup> in Hamilton and the following people attended.

Brenda Hamilton, Mickey McNeill, Rheal Champagne, Mike Kyte and Harold Stoddart (board),  
Bill Miller and Larry Lutz (Kingsway)  
Heather Cresswell (York Simcoe)  
Rosemary Davidson and Chris Taylor (Mike's)  
Jackie Hawkins (Kawartha Lakes)  
Lori Nottingham (Lindsay)  
Bill Lutes (Dunnville)  
Doug and Bev Hyland (Playdium),  
Paul Bauer (Grand River)  
Don Cunningham and Andy McIntyre (Middlesex Elgin)  
Carol Hooper and Lucy Theoret (Western Ontario)  
Vince Amelotte (Orleans)  
Tim O'Hara and Judy Begley (Metro Toronto)  
Norm Macdonald (Hamilton)  
Rhonda Gifford (Office Staff)

Our final meeting was held March 14<sup>th</sup> in Kingston and the following people attended.

Mike Wilson and Harold Stoddart (board)  
Glen McGhie, John Buffam and Reg Crawford (Garrison)  
Cheryl and Doug Plummer (Bay of Quinte)  
Gary Sharp and Heather Flindall (Brighton)  
Winnie Spires (Ottawa Valley),  
Fred Hudson and Mike Heney (Merivale)

Special thank you to Al Hong, John Cresswell and Terry Macdonald for their help at all four workshops.

Please find attached your recommendations from these workshops. This June at our AGM (Thursday) we will be discussing these recommendations and any delegate can choose to make them into a motion that will be voted on.

Thank You  
Dave Post  
05PBA

## Workshop 2010 Recommendations for AGM

**Reduce our current Provincial tournaments to 3 that all lead to a National Championship. They would include Open, Youth Challenge and High Low Doubles where the top two teams go on to the Inter Provincial Tournament. The Triples, Executive and Holiday Classic would be run as Zone tournaments.**

Reasons: This would eliminate costs that are associated with provincial tournaments such as travel, hotel and uniform costs. For the three tournaments being run at the zone level this would eliminate the trips and vouchers (Visa, Wal-Mart, and Canadian Tire) would be given to the winners. Amount of vouchers would be based on entries

**At the Provincial Open a singles step ladder for the Senior Team be adopted.**

Reason: This would give the seniors bowlers an added incentive and would add more excitement to the step ladder finals

**At the High Low Doubles take the first and second place teams and give them trips to the south the same as it is now and let the third and fourth place team combine for the Inter Provincial Tournament**

Reason: This will allow 4 more bowlers the opportunity to travel and experience a National event

**At all Provincial Tournaments charge a \$ 25.00 assessment fee to cover lineage and banquet. This fee would not be charged at the Open or the Youth Challenge**

Reason: This would help reduce some of the costs to the zones / DC's and help with the bottom line.

**Increase the Zone / DC portion of the Association Executive Tournament to include all Zone/DC Board of Directors. For the League Executive portion each zone/dc would run a separate tournament for all league executives and the top three from each roll off would compete at the Provincials. At the provincials everyone will bowl together and 3 trips will be awarded.**

Reason: This will allow more zone /dc board members (who are the backbone of our association) the opportunity to compete at a provincial tournament.

**To have two tournament weekends for all provincial tournaments. The first weekend would be in late February and would include the Association Tournament and the High Low Doubles. The second weekend could be held later in the calendar and include Triples and Holiday Classic. One tournament would be held in the morning and the other in the afternoon.**

Reason: This would help relieve the problem of traveling in the winter months and free up a weekend on the calendar. We then can have a banquet and entertainment on the Saturday evening the same as the Association / High Low Doubles Weekend. We would eliminate the Friday night reception.

**Continue with the rolling average but based on the last 5 seasons of bowling (2005/06 to 2009/10)**

Explanation: Membership lists for the 2009/10 season will be sent out early May to all zones to fill in the required 3 columns. This year you will submit the number of games bowled as well as the pinfall attained for all members, no matter the number of games bowled. Shortly an excel file will be sent to all Zones requesting assistance in determining if bowlers are the same person with 2 different membership numbers or in fact they are 2 different people. A new C5PBA membership system will be adopted next season to allow for the calculation for all games bowled by a bowler. Currently it is based on a membership number. It will be imperative that all files are returned in a timely manner so the renumbering of the membership can proceed.

**Include all averages for Provincial tournaments into the average book**

Reason: This would give those bowlers who excel in tournaments a fairer average.

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**A brief discussion was held with regards to the economy and the HST and some felt we should leave the tournaments alone for now.**

Reason: We all should keep this in mind when we discuss any of these recommendations and we will have a discussion period before we talk about any tournament motions

**The board of directors on an ongoing basis constantly looks at ways to improve the organization as well as the tournaments we run. During one of the workshops the Youth Challenge was discussed and was suggested we look at holding a provincial round instead of the current regional round. We have asked the Tournament Committee to look at this before a recommendation can be made. Do to the fact Winter Games is run every other year we need to contact the Ontario government to see if we would still qualify for funding. As soon as the committee reports back to the board we then will send the recommendation to the field.**

**The second idea the tournament committee has been asked to look at is amalgamating the Senior Open into the Open as a division similar to Men's, Ladies and Mixed. Again once the committee has had a chance to review this we will report back to the delegates as soon as possible.**

**Please feel free to discuss these two items when your boards review the other recommendations and the motions.**

**Set up the following three workshops for AGM. All workshops will be 45 minutes long giving all the delegates the opportunity to attend all of them**

#### **Membership**

Will exam all opportunities to expand our membership including youth, seniors and looking into our Ethnic communities. Look into ways to make our sport more attractive to these three groups

- Look into a new optimum card (look at partnership not sponsorship with large companies such as Shoppers Drug Mart
- Need to better market our sport

#### **Volunteers**

Will exam ways of increasing our membership as well as better education for our volunteers. Will also look into volunteer retention

- Need to find newer younger volunteers to help combat aging volunteer base and burn out
- Need to better educate our volunteers
- Look into a mentoring program for our volunteers and coaches

Look into advantage of a 2 for 1 membership for our League secretaries.

#### **Communications**

Will exam how we all can better communicate from the board level to the local associations to our league bowlers? We will also be looking at new ways to promote our game to the public.

- Need to communicate better with our bowlers
- Look into Face book and Twitter

Need better communications with our Proprietors.

## **MOTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS PERTAINING TO TOURNAMENTS**

### **EXECUTIVES' 5 PIN CHAMPIONSHIPS**

#### **ORLEANS 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

##### **MOTION**

**FOR THE EXECUTIVE TOURNAMENT CHANGE THE PRIZES TO ONE TRIP FOR TWO TO THE CARIBBEAN AND ONE TRIP FOR TWO TO THE CONVENTION.**

##### **REASON**

The Executive Tournament has become very expensive for Associations to run and the costs need to be reduced. By still having one trip for two to the Caribbean, the main lure of this tournament is still here. We removed the third trip as a cost saving measure as well. The reason for having three winners in the past was to have one for each category; President, Secretary, and Treasurer. But now as the categories are not distinguished, we feel we can remove one prize trip. This motion would save approximately \$3,100 from the total cost of the tournament.

### **ONTARIO OPEN SENIORS CHAMPIONSHIPS**

#### **BAY OF QUINTE 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

##### **MOTION**

**THAT THE SENIORS DIVISION OF THE OPEN BECOME A FULLY RECOGNIZED DIVISION OF THE OPEN, AND HAVE AT LEAST AN INTERNET FINALS FOR NATIONALS, HAVING THE WINNERS BEING DECLARED NATIONAL CHAMPIONS.**

##### **REASON**

The Senior bowlers donate their time and money to the Open, and yet at the end of the provincials, simply get a medal. Despite the fact that not all provinces run a Seniors division, there should be a Nationals run for the Seniors. An internet finals can be run at a very low cost and the winners can be declared National Champions. Once there is a National award for the Seniors, this may encourage



other provinces to add a Seniors division to their own Opens. Once all the provinces are on board, the C5PBA might even consider looking at inviting the Seniors to play at the National component of the Open. The demographics of bowling are changing and many active bowlers are in the over 50 range.

### **BAY OF QUINTE 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

#### **MOTION**

**THAT THE COACHES OF THE OPEN, IN ALL DIVISIONS, RECEIVE THE SAME RECOGNITION AS THE BOWLERS, IN REGARDS TO AWARDS SUCH AS YEARS OF SERVICE ETC.**

#### **REASON**

Many coaches have coached for 20 or more years, and only receive a certificate, whereas the bowlers would receive a plaque for the same thing. The coaches are volunteers, and should receive at least the same recognition as the bowlers.

### **TOURNAMENTS - GENERAL**

### **ORLEANS 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

#### **MOTION**

**APPLY TRAVEL EQUALIZATION TO ALL "WINNING PARTICIPANTS" AT PROVINCIAL FINALS PROPERLY.**

#### **REASON**

This year it was not applied to the extra "winning" teams allowed on the eligibility chart for the three main tournaments. Travel Equalization exists so that some of the costs for teams having to travel long distances is reduced. A way to apply it would be to assume that all associations able to send extra teams would do so and then budget for this.

### **ORLEANS 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

#### **MOTION**

**HAVE THE PROVINCIAL FINALS OF THE HOLIDAY CLASSIC AND PROVINCIAL TRIPLES TOURNAMENTS TO BE SPREAD AROUND THE PROVINCE.**

### REASON

It would be nice to be able to promote the sport if the finals could be held in different zones. If travel equalization cannot be applied properly, it would be nice to have non central associations and their bowlers to have reduced costs on occasion.

### ORLEANS 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION

#### RECOMMENDATION

BETTER COORDINATION WITH OTHER BOWLING GROUPS. BOWL CANADA, BOWLING PROPRIETORS' OF CANADA SET THE PROVINCIAL FINALS OF THE NATIONAL CLASSIFIED ON THE SAME WEEKEND AS THE PROVINCIAL ROUND OF THE HOLIDAY CLASSIC, PROBABLY THE SAME DAY.

### REASON

Reduces participation and reduces conflicts.

### ORLEANS 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION

#### RECOMMENDATION

WHEN MAKING CHANGES TO TOURNAMENT DETAILS IN THE GREEN BOOK AND THE SECRETARY'S HANDBOOK, PLEASE TAKE A LITTLE EXTRA TIME TO PROOF READ. THERE WERE PROBLEMS WITH THE MINIMUM NUMBER OF ENTRIES FOR THE 3 MAIN TOURNAMENTS AS WELL AS THE LEAGUE TO HOUSE ROUND ADVANCEMENT CHART FOR THE PROVINCIAL TRIPLES HAVING LOWER ADVANCEMENT THAN THE PREVIOUS YEAR WITH STRANGE CUT-OFFS.

### REASON

Having conflicting information creates issues that then cause more questions for the O5 staff to answer. More time was taken in answering these questions than verifying in the first place.

## **ORLEANS 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

### **RECOMMENDATION**

**TO BETTER PUBLICIZE CHANGES OCCURRING TO TOURNAMENTS.**

THIS YEAR THE FOLLOWING THREE ITEMS WERE NOT DISTRIBUTED WELL:

- ELIGIBILITY CHART THAT ALLOWED ASSOCIATIONS TO SEND MORE THAN ONE TEAM (FOR A CHARGE).
- CHANGE TO THE PROVINCIAL TRIPLES LEAGUE TO HOUSE ROUND ADVANCEMENT SCHEDULE.
- METHOD OF RESOLVING WHICH LEAGUE A DUPLICATE BOWLER BOWLS WITH WHEN THE BOWLER ADVANCED IN BOTH LEAGUES. (NOT BASED ON AVERAGE BOOK AS IT DOES NOT SHOW PREVIOUS YEAR BREAKDOWN).

THESE CHANGES SHOULD BE SENT TO THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR AND PRESIDENT AS WELL AS BEING NOTED IN THE O5 NEWSLETTER.

### **REASON**

Certain associations became aware of this information at a late point in time and were unable to take advantage of the information.

## **ORLEANS 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

### **RECOMMENDATION**

**REMOVE THE REQUIREMENT FOR THE RECERTIFICATION REQUIREMENT FOR THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR COURSE.**

### **REASON**

This course is not offered frequently and conveniently enough to ensure that each association would have a qualified Tournament Director if recertification becomes required. There is not enough information on the online course at the moment to know if this can help out. Why is recertification really required?

## **ORLEANS 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

### **RECOMMENDATION**

IN THE SECRETARY'S HANDBOOK, CHANGE THE FORMS RELATING TO THE SENIOR CITIZENS MIXED DOUBLES AND SINGLES TOURNAMENT TO WORK LIKE THE OTHER TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORMS, I.E. IT SHOULD BE HOW MANY ENTRIES FROM THE LEAGUE WILL BE GOING ONTO THE ZONE/DECENTRALIZED ASSOCIATIONS ROLL-OFF, BROKEN DOWN BY CATEGORY. THE EXISTING FORM FOR THE ZONE/DECENTRALIZED ASSOCIATION TO ENTER A NUMBER OF DIVISIONS, SHOULD BE INCLUDED IN SOME OTHER DOCUMENT, MAYBE THE GREEN BOOK.

### **REASON**

It is confusing to some secretaries as all the other documents work as entries into a local roll-off. It seems to be at the wrong level. How many leagues send entries directly on to the Provincial Final?

## MOTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS PERTAINING TO MISCELLANEOUS

### ORLEANS 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION

#### RECOMMENDATION

WORK WITH THE ZONES AND DC'S TO CUT BACK ON PAPER, PRINTING AND MAILING COSTS. THE PRIME AREAS TO CUTBACK WOULD BE ON CERTIFICATES TO WINNERS AND SUPPLIES.

- CERTIFICATES: THE ZONES AND DECENTRALIZED ASSOCIATIONS COULD TAKE AN APPROACH OF "WE WILL PROVIDE A CERTIFICATE TO ADVANCING BOWLERS UPON REQUEST". THE BOARDS CAN PROVIDE SIMPLE REQUEST FORM TO EACH LEAGUE TO BE RETURNED TO THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR. TO PUT THIS INTO EFFECT, HAVE THE O5PBA SEND CERTIFICATES AS NORMAL IN THE FIRST YEAR. THE ZONES AND DECENTRALIZED ASSOCIATIONS CAN THEN GIVE THEM OUT AS REQUIRED, AND THEN DETERMINE IN THE SUBSEQUENT YEARS HOW MANY TO ORDER, KEEPING A SMALL SURPLUS.
- SUPPLIES: HAVE THE ZONES AND DECENTRALIZED ASSOCIATIONS REALLY CHECK HOW MANY SECRETARY'S HANDBOOK, FREE GAME CARDS, ETC. THEY NEED. WITH LOWER MEMBERSHIP, THESE ORDERS SHOULD BE REDUCED.

#### REASON

- Certificates: Reduce the amount of paper and time wasted. After tournaments, how many certificates are left behind? Many! How many get discarded once the bowler gets home? Many more, why would most bowlers want a certificate for each year they bowl in a roll-off. For new bowlers, they should get one for sure. This will save money and paper in the long run.
- Supplies: Reduce the amount of paper wasted. We had many calendars not handed out. Having one or two spares is good.

## **MERIVALE 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

### **MOTION**

**REMOVE THE SEMI-ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING FROM THE O5PBA CALENDAR.**

### **REASON**

It would be a cost saving to the Association and its members. The Appreciation and Service awards could be presented at the Annual Convention and a special meeting could be convened of the Presidents should new business arise that needs to be addressed.

## **BAY OF QUINTE 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

### **MOTION**

**THAT THE SEMI-ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING BE PERMANENTLY CANCELLED.**

### **REASON**

The semi-annual meeting costs x number of dollars every year to run (hall rentals, hotels, etc.) and yet very few things have been decided on at the SAGM for numerous years. Most times, things keep getting pushed back to convention. By cancelling this non-efficient meeting, we can save money for both the O5PBA and the zones and DC's that are getting assessed for it.

## **HAMILTON 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

### **MOTION**

**THE AGM BE MOVED AWAY FROM CLEVELANDS HOUSE.**

### **REASON**

It is too costly to keep having the Zones/DC's pay for attendance at Cleveland's House. In these economic times, it would be more prudent to find another location to host 2 days of meetings, whereby the business of the organization is dealt with. The social activities are fun, but this location has become too expensive. Consideration for the Niagara area, where there could be reductions negotiated in hotels close to the casino (or in the casino itself?)



## **MOTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS PERTAINING TO FINANCE**

### **ORLEANS 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

**WHEN SHOWING THE BUDGET TO THE ASSOCIATIONS, INCLUDE  
ANOTHER COLUMN FOR THE HARMONIZED SALES TAX.**

#### **REASON**

The presentation of the budget last year did not include the GST value, which skewed the financial picture. It is more important to chose the real values that the associations have to pay, especially now with the change to the HST.

## **MOTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS PERTAINING TO MEMBERSHIP**

### **ORLEANS 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

#### **MOTION**

**INCREASE THE COST OF MEMBERSHIP TO:**

**\$15.00 FOR A REGULAR MEMBERSHIP**

**\$32.00 FOR A TOURNAMENT MEMBERSHIP**

**LEAVE THE COST OF THE SPECIAL MEMBERSHIP THE SAME, \$5.00, AND  
ALLOW YBC GRADS THE FREE MEMBERSHIP AND ENTRY INTO THE  
THREE MAIN TOURNAMENTS.**

#### **REASON**

With the Harmonized Sales Tax coming into effect, the assessment for membership will be close to \$15.00 probably. In this case it would be necessary for the associations to cover this charge better. We understand there may be a loss of some membership, but this is preferable over losing associations.

### **HAMILTON 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

**A DEADLINE BE SET FOR MEMBERSHIP TO BE INTO THE PROVINCIAL  
OFFICE IN ORDER TO FACILITATE BETTER COOPERATION BETWEEN O5,  
BOWL ONTARIO AND THE MASTERS.**

#### **REASON**

There is currently nothing in place whereby membership information is confirmed with these affiliated organizations, and providing them with a membership listing in February does not help to encourage them to ensure that their members have joined our organization.



## **MOTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS PERTAINING TO THE AVERAGE BOOK**

### **NIAGARA PENINSULA 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

#### **MOTION**

THAT THE AVERAGE BOOK AND THE WEBSITE BE MODIFIED TO ENCLOSE A NEW COLUMN FOR THE HIGHEST LAST YEAR AVERAGE ALONG SIDE OF THE RUNNING FIVE YER AVERAGE.

#### **REASON**

The last year average is needed for the record scores for the Canadian 5 and also for Bowl Canada National Classified Tournament.

### **HAMILTON 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

#### **MOTION**

**ROLLING AVERAGE SHOULD BE OVER 3 YEARS INSTEAD OF 5**

#### **REASON**

5 years seems a bit too much. 3 years would be easier to manage, and a better reflection of someone's current average, and one w9ould not have to wait as long to remove a "bad" year.

## **MOTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS PERTAINING TO THE INCENTIVE PROGRAM**

### **NIAGARA PENINSULA 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION**

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

THAT THE INCENTIVE AWARD FOR RECORD SCORES BE HANDED OUT AT THE ANNUAL CONVENTION IF THE BOWLERS CHOOSE TO RECOMMEND THE REMOVAL OF THE SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING.