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To: Zone/Decentralized Association Tournament Directors

From: Rhonda Gifford

Program Coordinator

SUBJECT: EXECUTIVES' 5 PIN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Dear Tournament Director:

The Zone and Decentralized Association Finals of the Executives' 5 Pin Championships shall consist of three (3) games and must be completed on or before **NOVEMBER 23, 2008**. Decentralized Associations have the option of conducting this tournament during regular league play or as a one-day roll-off.

PLEASE NOTE: ZONE ASSOCIATIONS <u>MUST</u> CONDUCT THIS TOURNAMENT AS A ONE-DAY ROLL-OFF

For all the rules and regulations governing this tournament please refer to Page 3-1 of the Green Book.

Enclosed with this mailing is the following information:

- > 2008-2009 ELIGIBILITY CHART
- > P.A. ANNOUNCEMENT
- WINNER'S REPORT FORM
- WINNING BOWLER ENVELOPES (Contains information regarding the Provincial Championships)

All league secretaries should send you their League Entry Form on Page 3-5 of the Secretary's Handbook. Please check with your Membership Chair to make sure all leagues have been contacted.

Entrants must be duly elected to a League Executive position to be eligible for this tournament (i.e. President, Vice-President, Secretary, Statistician, Tournament Director and Treasurer)

OR

They must hold an Executive position on a Zone or Decentralized Association. All Executives must be registered in that position with the Provincial Office to be eligible for this tournament.

Both the 2008-2009 League Executive Registration Form (Page 1-1 in the Secretary's Handbook) and the 2008-2009 Zone/DC Association Executive Listing Form must be completed and received by the Provincial Office no later than **OCTOBER 26, 2008** in order to be eligible to participate.

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 of your winners one of the enclosed "<u>WINNING BOWLER ENVELOPES</u>". These envelopes contain all the information your winners will require to ensure their participation in the Provincial Championships being held at Sherwood Centre in Hamilton on <u>SATURDAY</u>, <u>FEBRUARY 28</u>, <u>2009</u>.

All bowlers competing in the Provincial Championships who are not listed 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 2008-2009 bowling season with a minimum of twenty-one (21) games bowled up to and including **JANUARY 4, 2009**.

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 **JANUARY 12, 2009**.

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: