# LEAGUE SECRETARY INSTRUCTIONS FOR PROCESSING MEMBERSHIP LISTS

Below are the membership options your league will have for the 2014-2015 bowling season:

#### **TOURNAMENT MEMBERSHIP - \$36.00**

The tournament membership includes all services and benefits now offered, plus your membership fees and tournament entry fees for the *High-Low Doubles*, *Holiday Classic* and *Triples Tournaments*, a savings of \$3.00 per member. The Tournament Membership will be payable by the High-Low Doubles entry deadline of <u>OCTOBER 19</u>, 2014.

#### **REGULAR MEMBERSHIP - \$15.00**

The regular membership includes all services and benefits now offered but <u>all tournament entry fees for</u> <u>the High-Low Doubles</u>, <u>Holiday Classic and Triples Tournament are extra</u>.

## SENIOR/SOO/BLIND MEMBERSHIP - \$5.00

The Senior/SOO (Special Olympics Ontario)/Blind membership which is for those leagues only, includes all services and benefits now offered but <u>all tournament entry fees for the High-Low Doubles, Holiday</u> <u>Classic and Triples Tournaments are extra</u>.

A Senior league will be recognized as one where <u>all league bowlers (100%) are 50 years of age and over</u> as of December 31<sup>st</sup> of the current bowling season.

# YBC (Under 18) MEMBERSHIP - \$5.00

The YBC (Under 18) membership is for any YBC bowler under the age of 18 who wants to become a member of an adult league. *Please Note: These bowlers are not eligible for any tournaments*.

### **GRADUATED YBC SENIOR BOWLER**

Any graduated YBC bowler that joins your league in their first year of eligibility will receive a **FREE TOURNAMENT MEMBERSHIP**.

## **MEMBERSHIP PROCEDURES**

Upon receipt of your league membership list and membership registration forms from the Zone or Decentralized Association Membership Chair, the League Secretary shall follow the instructions as outlined below:

- Members who no longer bowl in your league should be marked off by a **BOLD LINE** through that member's name.
- Returning and/or new bowlers to your league who have indicated that they are bowling in any other league(s) in your Zone or Decentralized Association should be registered and marked as a "<u>DUPLICATE</u>" member in the appropriate league(s).

<u>PLEASE NOTE</u>: The Duplicate Membership Policy is as follows; "If a bowler is bowling in two (2) or more leagues in the same Zone Association <u>PLEASE</u> make sure they are registered in one (1) of their leagues and be marked a duplicate in any other league(s) in the same Zone Association. The same applies for anyone bowling in two (2) or more leagues in the same Decentralized Association. However, if a bowler is bowling in two (2) or more leagues in a different Zone or Decentralized Association, that bowler must be registered separately in each Zone or Decentralized Association.

<u>Example</u>: If someone bowls in a league at Stryx in the Niagara Peninsula Association and in another league out of Kingsway, a Decentralized Association, that bowler would have to purchase two (2) separate memberships, one (1) in the Zone and one (1) in the DC and they would not be considered a duplicate member. <u>Note</u>: DC members are <u>NOT</u> considered duplicate members in their respective Zone Associations and therefore are subject to payment of appropriate dues.

- Any "NEW" bowler(s) joining your league should be added to the New Members List (New league members only) we have provided.
- On your league membership list, please register <u>all league bowlers</u> by marking either a "T" for TOURNAMENT, "R" for REGULAR, "S" for <u>SENIOR</u>, <u>SOO/BLIND LEAGUES ONLY</u> or YBC (Under 18) in the membership category column as per your leagues choice.
- Any **GRADUATED YBC SENIORS** should be indicated on the <u>New Members List (New league members only)</u> by marking "**GRAD**" in the "**YBC GRAD**" column.
- ➤ To indicate a "<u>DUPLICATE</u>" member, simply mark an "X" in the Dup. column on the membership lists we have provided.
- In the gender column provided on your membership list please register <u>all league bowlers</u> by marking either an "M" for MALE or "F" for FEMALE.

We ask that you either **PRINT** or **TYPE** all information making sure it is legible to read. This will help avoid any unnecessary spelling errors. If you are in doubt as to the spelling of a bowler's name in your league please check with them first for the correct spelling of their name before you submit your League Membership Registration List.

After you have completed your league membership list; please forward them **IMMEDIATELY** to your Zone or Decentralized Association Membership Chair who in turn will send them to the Provincial Office for processing.

<u>Please Note</u>: Again this year, <u>ONLY NEW REGISTERED MEMBERS</u> will receive a C5 registration number and card. These registration numbers are being generated by the Canadian 5 Pin Bowlers' Association. In addition, each member upon presentation of their membership card will receive one (1) free game of bowling for every two (2) games that are paid for during open bowling.

If you have any questions regarding any of the above, please do not hesitate to contact your Local Zone or Decentralized Association Membership Chair.