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CBET: Update Dec 2003

As announced at this year's Convention, the National Coaching Certification Programs will be taking on a new look. On April 1<sup>st</sup> 2004 the NCCP Theory 1 and 2 courses will no longer be offered in Canada. These will be replaced by the new NCCP introduction to Competition Program. This transition marks an important change in the way coach education will be delivered, and will impact coaches, clubs and Provincial and National Sports Organizations.

Here's a snap shot of progress toward the Ontario multi-sport transition as of the end of Nov 2003

- ❖ The generic or "multi-sport" component of Introduction to Competition replaces Theory 1 and Theory 2. The course features seven modules, which will be divided into roughly equal parts – Part A and Part B lasting about 13 hours each. Coaches will have to compete both parts and an evaluation, plus our technical course, to become certified
- Currently the Canadian 5 Pin Bowlers Association is working on Level 1 Community Coach (Technical) and will pilot the new program prior to March 31<sup>st</sup> 2004.

Coach education is essential if we are to have skilled coaches who make a positive difference in the lives of our athletes. We will keep you updated, as more information is made available. You can find more on CBET by checking out <a href="http://www.coach.ca/e/nccp/index.htm">http://www.coach.ca/e/nccp/index.htm</a>

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