



PINBOARD

Tournament Dates

Eastern Ontario Open

Delaney Bowl presents the POA Open. This is your chance to put a team together to take on some great teams. Cost is \$20.00 per bowler or \$100.00 per team. Pay-outs will be on a 50% ratio, and depend on participation. Extra pots will be available. Tournament is a POA Match play event. For more detailed information please contact:

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Have You Responded?

"Survival 2006 and Beyond"

The Ontario 5 Pin Bowlers' Association will be holding a Presidents meeting at the Sports Center on **Sunday, April 2nd, 2006**. The meeting will commence at 10:00 a.m. The purpose of this meeting is to determine where 5 pin bowling is heading and what we can do collectively, as a group to survive.

We are requesting that all Zone and Decentralized Associations ensure that their President, and one other member of their Board be in attendance. This session is for the mutual benefit of all Zones and DC's and your prompt response to the office would be appreciated. Further information will be forwarded by mail..

All of us are experiencing difficulties in either membership, fundraising, volunteers, etc.. We can no longer wait for destiny to take a hand, it is time that we all step up and take a "look outside the box". This will be an open meeting with your ideas, your thoughts and your suggestions.

We strongly encourage all Zones and DC's to participate, as this is your sport, your future and your organization. Please contact the office ASAP and say **YES , WE WILL BE ATTENDING!**

High-Low Doubles

National Championships
Yellowknife, NWT
April 27th - 30th/06

TruCa\$h Holiday Classic

Provincial Championships
Kitchener, Ont.
April 29th, 2006

Ontario \$10,000 Shoot-Out

Provincial Championships
Toronto—May 13/06

Youth Challenge/Ontario Winter Games

National Championship
Thunder Bay, Ont.
March 23rd—26th/06

Provincial Triples

Regional Finals—Apr.9/06

Ontario Senior Citizens

House Rounds Winners
Report Deadline
March 26, 2006

Strike It Big

League Finals
On or before Mar. 19/06
Zone/DC Finals
On or before Mar. 26/06

Ontario Open 5 Pin Championships

Hamilton, Apr. 12-15/06

Ontario 5 Pin Booster Club Championships

Zone/DC Finals
Dates set by Associations
On or before April 9/06

Hamilton & District 5 Pin

Congratulations to Hamilton and District 5 Pin Bowlers' Association. On February 11th, they held their annual fund raiser at Sherwood Centre and through their bowl-a-thon raised over \$19,000.00 for Kids Help Phone. Way to go folks!

Golf Anyone?

On June 11th, Hamilton and District will be holding their annual Golf Tournament. The cost is \$70.00 without cart and \$85.00 with the cart included. The cost includes your dinner and golf fees. Single entry and foursomes are welcome and anyone wishing to donate prizes may do so. For further information and to request tickets, please contact:

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Central Ontario

Central Ontario is hosting its Annual Dinner Dance on Saturday, April 1st., in Mississauga. At that time 2 individuals will be inducted into their Hall of Fame, one Player (Sandy Lyons) and one Builder (Tony Bonora). Tickets are \$25.00 . For more information please contact: Mickey McNeil @mickeymcneil@o5pba.ca

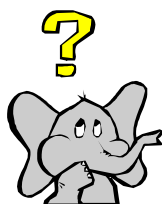
Bramalea 5 Pin

Bramalea 5 Pin Bowlers' Association will be hosting another Texas Hold'em Poker night fundraiser at Avondale Bowl. The games will begin at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, March 25th and tickets are \$25.00 each. For more information please contact Lori Beesack at beesack@rogers.com or Nicole Nibbs at Nicole@itwal.com Proceeds will be going to Kids Help Phone.



Vocabulary Answers

1. B) An addax is a long-horned desert antelope of North America
2. A) Chthonic means relating to the underworld in Greek mythology
3. c) Dyspnea is difficulty in breathing
4. A) An esker is a ridge of sand left by a river that flows under a glacier
5. B) A Fiacre is a small horse-drawn carriage
6. A) A gnomon is the pointer on a sundial
7. C) Hiragana is a set of symbols used in writing Japanese
8. A) A jerboa is a small rodent that lives in Africa and Asia, or a small marsupial that lives in Australia.
9. B) A kellick is a small anchor, especially one made of stone
10. A) To mulct is to fine somebody or cheat somebody out of something—especially money.



Lane Certification Seminar

Date: Sunday April 23rd, 2006

Time: 10:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

(Lunch Break)

Place: Ontario 5 Pin

c/o Sports Centre

1185 Eglinton Ave. E.,

Suite 602

North York, Ont,

Reply required by: April 17th, 2006

Please contact the Ontario 5 Pin Office for further details and to obtain the registration forms.



Out of This World Quiz

1. How many Earth-sized planets could fit inside of Jupiter?
 - a) less than 500
 - b) About 1,400
 - c) More than 2,500
2. What are the only two planets that don't have moons?
 - a) Earth and Mars
 - b) Jupiter and Saturn
 - c) Mercury and Venus
3. Which planet is known for its Giant Red Spot?
 - a) Mars
 - b) Jupiter
 - c) Uranus
4. What planet is the farthest distance from the sun?
 - a) Venus
 - b) Pluto
 - c) Neptune
5. Who was the first person to set foot on the moon?
 - a) Buzz Lightyear
 - b) James Lovell
 - c) Neil Armstrong
6. What are comets made of?
 - a) Ice and Dust
 - b) Sugar and Spice
 - c) Antimatter and plasma
7. What is the life span of a yellow star like our Sun?
 - a) 10 billion years
 - b) 50 billion years
 - c) 100 billion years
8. Which of the following is surrounded by a band of rings?
 - a) Venus
 - b) Saturn
 - c) Mars
9. Our solar system is part of a galaxy known as the Milky Way. What is the next closest galaxy?
 - a) Whirlpool Galaxy
 - b) Pinwheel Galaxy
 - c) Andromeda Galaxy

