

MOTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS PERTAINING TO MEMBERSHIP

OTTAWA VALLEY 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION

MOTION

WINNIE SPIRES PUT FORWARD A MOTION, SECONDED BY PAUL SPRAGUE TO OPEN SENIOR MEMBERSHIP TO INCLUDE ALL BOWLERS 65 YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER NOT JUST THE ONES THAT BOWL IN A SENIORS LEAGUE.

REASON

We feel that there is a potential to increase membership.

MOTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS PERTAINING TO TECHNICAL

NIAGARA PENINSULA 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION

MOTION

MOTION BY BRENDA FRASER, SECONDED BY BILL STOCKILL THAT IF THERE IS ANY TESTING GOING ON FOR BOWLING BALLS, PIN SIZE OR PLACEMENT OR ANY OTHER TESTING THAT WE ARE NOTIFIED PRIOR TO THE TESTING SO WE MAY INFORM OUR BOWLERS.

REASON

Some bowlers had not been told about the bowling ball that the C5 passed and did not know they were being tested again. This was introduced years ago and we never heard anything more about it until the C5 informed us it was approved. Also the testing of the pin base was not really discussed prior to the testing so anyone bowling in that centre was not aware and may have wanted to be informed so they could judge if it made a difference or not. Who best to give informed decisions than the bowlers themselves?

MOTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS PERTAINING TO TOURNAMENTS

ONTARIO OPEN SENIORS CHAMPIONSHIPS

OTTAWA VALLEY 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION

RECOMMENDATION

TO INCLUDE A PROVINCIAL SHIRT AS PART OF THE SENIOR MIXED OPEN TEAM PRIZES.

REASON

Our 2011 team were Provincial Champions and although not advancing to the Nationals felt they were just as entitled to a Provincial shirt.

METRO TORONTO 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION

MOTION #1

MOVED BY JUDY BEGLEY, SECONDED BY TIM O'HARA THAT YEARS OF APPEARANCE AT THE OPEN AS A SENIOR COMPETITOR BE ACCREDITED TO YEARS OF OPEN PLAY JUST LIKE YEARS OF COACHING AT THE OPEN.

REASON

Some players may not be playing the seniors component of the Open because it does not qualify as years of appearance at the Open.

METRO TORONTO 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION

MOTION #2

MOVED BY TIM O'HARA, SECONDED BY JUDY BEGLEY THAT YEARS OF APPEARANCE OF A PLAYER AT THE OPEN BE LISTED AS ONE ENTITY AND YEARS OF APPEARANCE OF A PLAYER AT THE OPEN AS A SENIOR COMPETITOR BE LISTED AS A SECOND ENTITY AND A THIRD LISTING BE NOTED OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF APPEARANCES OF A PLAYER AT THE OPEN JUST LIKE THE MASTER BOWLERS DO.

TOURNAMENTS - GENERAL

MERIVALE 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION

RECOMMENDATION

TO INCREASE LEAGUE ENTRIES INTO THE HOUSE/ZONE ROUND TOURNAMENTS.

REASON

With the decline in league membership we would like to see an increase to allow more leagues to enter a team out of their own league instead of being grouped into one from 3 or 4 leagues.

ORLEANS 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION

MOTION

THAT RUNNER-UP TEAMS SHOULD BE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE 75% OF WHAT THE TRAVEL EQUALIZATION WOULD ALLOT FOR THE WINNING TEAM. THIS AMOUNT WOULD BE GIVEN TO THE ASSOCIATION, WHO THEN WILL DISTRIBUTE THE MONEY. TO FACILITATE THE CALCULATION OF THE COST OF THIS, IT WILL BE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF TEAMS THAT USED THE RUNNER-UP OPTION IN THE PRIOR YEAR AND ARE ELIGIBLE FOR TRAVEL EQUALIZATION BASED ON THE EXPECTED LOCATION OF THE EVENT. THIS SHOULD ONLY INCREASE THE COST OF THE TOURNAMENT BY A SLIGHT AMOUNT. IF IN THE SUBSEQUENT YEAR, AN ASSOCIATION DOES NOT SEND AN EXTRA TEAM, THE O5 CAN RETAIN THIS MONEY.

MOTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS PERTAINING TO MISCELLANEOUS

CENTRAL ONTARIO 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION

RECOMMENDATION

THAT O5 SEND A NOTIFICATION TO ALL PRESIDENTS AT THE BEGINNING OR ENDING OF A SEASON ADVISING THEM OF ALL SPONSORS THAT HAVE BEEN APPROACHED THAT SEASON AND WHETHER OR NOT THEY HAVE AGREED TO SPONSOR OUR SPORT.

REASON

Zones and DC's would then be in a position to advise their bowlers and therefore make it possible for them to thank those sponsoring our sport and to possibly purchase their products. By also including the companies who said "no" it would bring these to the attention of the bowlers, also allowing members who have some connection or influence in these organizations to follow up with them. In addition, O5PBA would not be inundated with requests to contact the same sponsors over and over again.