



## CENTRAL ALBERTA 5 PIN BOWLERS ASSOCIATION

### YOUTH CHALLENGE CHAMPIONSHIP

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#### **Tournament Rules and Regulations:**

- 1) The rules of the Canadian 5-Pin Bowlers' Association shall apply.
  - 2) Open to all bowlers who:
    - a) **Are twelve (12) years of age and not yet nineteen (19) years of age as of December 31<sup>st</sup> of the current season.**
    - b) Is a member of the Canadian 5-Pin Bowlers Association.
    - c) Resides in the Central Zone of the Alberta 5-Pin Bowlers' Association.
    - d) Proof of age, residency and membership is required at the Alberta Championships.
    - e) **Participants over the age of 12 must be fully vaccinated or provide proof of a negative swab to participate in the zone contingent, the Provincial Championships, and the National Championships.**
  - 3) Eight (8) games will be bowled on **Sunday, November 21<sup>st</sup> at 10:00 a.m. in Red Deer at Heritage Lanes.**
  - 4) **Register by mail, phone, email to GUARANTEE ENTRY.**
  - 5) **Check in at 9:30 a.m.**
    - a) **PERSONS TRYING TO REGISTER ON THE DAY OF THE EVENT ARE NOT GUARANTEED ENTRY.**
  - 6) This is a SCRATCH pinfall tournament (no handicaps). Each entrant is responsible for the correctness of their own score. All scores received by the tournament officials are final. Only verifiable adding mistakes will be corrected.
  - 7) Hazing and "rookieing" is **strictly prohibited at all times** and will result in disqualification.
  - 8) Each entrant must complete an entry form, sign it, and then forward it to the designated chairperson.
  - 9) The entry fee is **\$70.00**, including lineage and excluding the membership fee. Payment to be by cash, cheque, or postal money order. Please make your cheque payable to the "Central Alberta 5 Pin Bowlers' Association". A **\$25.00** fee will be charged for each dishonoured cheque, plus the entrant may be disqualified from the Championships and face possible suspension.
- 10) **Each Alberta Championship qualifier must participate in any fund-raising efforts of the Central Alberta 5 Pin Bowlers' Association. The profits will be applied to Central Zone expenses incurred at the Alberta Championships.** Estimated costs at the Alberta Championships are approximately \$10,000, including travel, accommodations, Hotel, Uniforms, Linage, etc.
- 11) **The AB 5 Pin Bowlers Association requires that all provincial finalists sell two \$20 elimination tickets.**
- 12) Any registered entrant who fails to bowl, or complete the Championships, without notifying the tournament chairperson, is subject to being suspended from next year's Championships.
  - 13) The top 7 men and top 7 ladies, plus the 8<sup>th</sup> place man or lady, with the highest pinfall, shall qualify for the Youth Challenge Alberta Championships on the "Black" team. The next 7 men and 7 ladies, plus the 8<sup>th</sup> place man or lady, with the highest pinfall, shall qualify on the "Silver" team.
  - 14) Dress code for the zone finals is "neat and tidy" at the discretion of the tournament committee. Persons violating the dress code will be asked to change or withdraw. Failure to comply may result in suspension from the tournament and the Association.
  - 15) **At Provincials, the Alberta 5 Pin Bowlers' Association Dress Code shall apply, which states "a bowler shall wear**
    - a) A zone shirt which may be kept by the bowler; must have sleeves and finished neckline. Designs and logos on attire, accessories, and footwear will be approved at the discretion of the Tournament Committee. Items found derogatory or offensive will not be allowed.
    - b) PANTS, DRESS SHORTS, SKIRTS, SKORTS, or CAPRIS; must have straight hemmed bottom. Must be of a solid colour or patterns. Must predominantly reflect one of their registered zone colours. Must be of a length that covers  $\frac{3}{4}$  (three quarters) of the thigh. No fluorescent colours, denims, stirrups, spandex, harem, ruggers, or sweatpants of any kind
    - c) NO HATS or CAPS. Unless worn for religious or medical reasons.
    - d) **Flagrant disregard of the Dress Code shall result in an entrant being asked to adhere to the dress code, face disqualification, or a possible fine of \$100 to bowl in the disallowed clothing.**