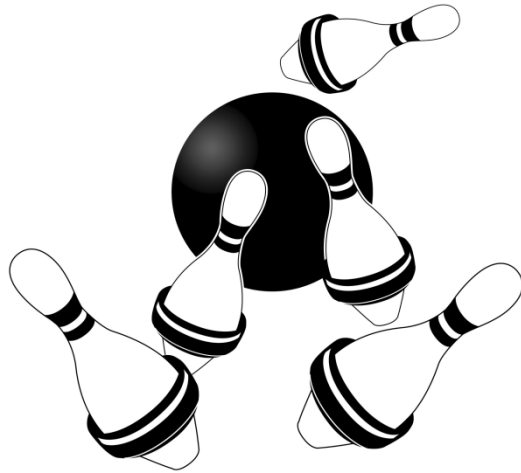


Inter-Provincial “220” Provincial Championships



2011-2012 Manitoba 5 Pin Bowlers Association

Tournament Qualifying Event Schedule & Dates

Tournament: Inter-Provincial “220” Tournament

Entry fee: To Be Determined by Zone

League Round:

Completion Date: **December 31, 2011**

Average Date: **Two weeks prior to start of League Round**

House Round:

Completion Date: N/A

Average Date: N/A

Zone Round:

Completion Date: **January 22, 2012**

Average Date: **December 31, 2011**

Information Deadline: **February 12, 2012**

Provincial Tournament:

Date(s): **Saturday, February 25, 2012**

Starting Time: 9:00 a.m.- each team will bowl 8 games

Average Date: **January 22, 2012**

Hosting Zone: **Winnipeg**

Bowling Centre: **Roxy Lanes**

Banquet Location: Old Spaghetti Factory

Banquet Ticket Price: \$25.00

Zone Contact Person: **Fran Johnson**

Inter-Provincial Tournament:

Date(s): **April 26 & 29, 2012**

Location: **Thunder Bay, Ontario**

ASSESSMENT FOR THE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS FOR BOWLERS AND COACHES: \$250

INTER-PROVINCIAL “220” TEAM CHALLENGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

F O R M A T

The Inter-Provincial “220” Team Challenge Championships consist of four (4) steps:

- I League Round
- II Zone Finals
- III Provincial Championships

GENERAL RULES

1. Open to all Canadian 5 Pin Bowlers' Association members nineteen (19) years of age and over as of DECEMBER 31, 2011.
2. Entry fees to be determined by the Zone Association.
3. Based on 18 games, entrants must have a current average of 220 or under as of the date of entry in the League Round. The average cut-off date is two weeks prior to the League Round.
4. Only averages established under Official Rules of the Canadian 5 Pin Bowlers' Association shall be accepted.
5. Bowlers who bowl regularly in two (2) or more leagues may enter in each and compete in the League Rounds in each. If they qualify from more than one league, they shall be permitted to bowl more than once in the Zone finals only if scheduling permits. Bowlers may only qualify once for the Provincial finals.
6. Format in all rounds to be based on pins over average.
7. In all rounds, if a bowler who qualified to advance is unable to compete in the next round, the position will be filled by the next eligible man or lady, whichever is appropriate from the preceding round.
8. Scores and averages of winners in all rounds shall be authenticated and checked thoroughly. Any falsification or misrepresentation of scores or averages, knowingly or unknowingly, shall result in automatic disqualification.
9. Final results shall be officially checked and audited.
10. Personal bowling balls may be used if facilities permit. House balls must be used if the bowlers' personal bowling balls have not been returned (no delay of game). The use of personal bowling balls is at the bowlers' own risk. The proprietor shall not be liable for any damages to personal bowling balls.

Personal bowling balls may be randomly inspected at any time during the tournament or on completion of the tournament. Personal bowling balls must meet the specifications as set by the C5PBA. Weight to be not less than 3lbs. 4 ounces and not greater than 3 lbs. 10 ounces. Diameter to be not less than 4 3/4 inches and not greater than 5 inches. (See C5PBA rule book - Section A, Rule 6)

Penalty: Any scores rolled using non-regulation equipment in sanctioned league or tournament competition shall be disqualified for C5PBA Record or High Score Awards and/or shall nullify scores being used in qualifying for C5PBA sanctioned tournaments Should a question arise regarding the legality of a ball, the Tournament Committee has final say. Appeals/complaints regarding personal bowling balls may be made following the procedure outlined in the C5PBA Rule Book (Section A, Rules 18 & 19).

11. Canadian 5 Pin Bowlers' Association rules shall apply in all rounds.
12. In case of any dispute, the decision of the M5PBA Tournament Committee shall be final

LEAGUE ROUND

1. The League round shall consist of a minimum of three (3) games. Leagues have the option of bowling as many games as bowled during regular league play.
2. All entrants making or beating their average will advance to the Zone Round. If less than 50% of the entrants make or beat their average, then one (1) in two (2) entries (50% plus ties) or major fraction thereof shall advance to the Zone Round from each league.
3. All bowlers who qualify under General Rule #3 are eligible to compete in this round.
4. Entrants must use their league average as **of two (2) weeks prior to start of League Round** with a minimum of eighteen (18) league games having been bowled in any one league.

ZONE FINALS

1. All League Round finalists in a Zone shall bowl a minimum of four (4) games prior to **January 22, 2012** in centres designated by your Zone Association.
2. All bowlers who compete in the Zone Finals must use their highest league average (if a bowler bowls in more than one league) based on a minimum of eighteen (18) games having been bowled. Average cut-off is **December 31, 2011**.
3. Following the Zone Finals, the top 6 men and top 6 ladies based on the pins over average format will form the three teams advancing to the Provincial finals. The top 2 men and top 2 ladies will form Team # 1; the second 2 men and second 2 ladies will form Team # 2; the third 2 men and third 2 ladies will form Team # 3.
4. In the event of a tie or ties in the Zone finals for the last qualifying position, the bowler with the most pins over average in the final game will advance. If a tie still exists, the most pins over average in the previous game will qualify.
5. Zone Association will determine the cost of the Zone entry fee.
6. Each team advancing to the Provincial Finals must be accompanied by a fully certified Community Coach. **ALL COACHES MUST HAVE COMPLETED THE RESPECT IN SPORT PROGRAM THROUGH SPORT MANITOBA.**

7. **On completion of the Zone Round, a complete list of ALL Zone Competitors is to be Submitted to the M5PBA along with the Entry Forms and the Tournament Summary Form. This list will be separated into male and female competitors and will include the C5PBA number.**

PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

1. The Provincial Championships will be held on **February 25, 2012** at **Roxy Lanes, Winnipeg**.
2. All bowlers who compete in the Provincial Championship must use their highest league average as of their Zone Completion Date based on a minimum of twenty-one (21) games having been bowled.
3. The M5PBA Tournament Committee reserves the right to complete the field and all decisions made by this Committee shall be final.
4. Dress Code as passed at C5 AGM: **Each team (Men's, Ladies or Mixed) must be dressed uniformly. A female coaching a Men's team can wear a skirt or skort, however a male coaching a female team must wear pants. Pants**, skirts or skorts shall be black in color with a straight hemmed bottom (no fluorescent colors, denim, stuirrups, shorts, spandex, leggings, harem, ruggers or sweat pants of any kind). The pants, skirts or skorts shall not be faded, torn, ripped, contain studs or pockets on the legs.**

Bowling shirts or blouses are to be of the same design in registered Zone Association colours with appropriate Zone and bowler identification.

No hats or caps or headgear shall be allowed unless worn for religious or medical reasons.

Pants -- Dress or casual pants, such as Dockers, Denver Hayes, Starter, Pacer or C5 Pants are included.**

5. Sponsor identification will be allowed on the shirts if done tastefully and with the approval of the M5PBA.
6. There shall be a fifteen (15) minute warm-up before the start of the tournament.
7. Late bowlers will start to bowl and count only from their time of arrival regardless of the reason.
8. An individual and team match-play format shall be used for the Provincial Championships. Points will be issued as follows: One (1) point for each individual win and three (3) points for each team total win for a total of seven (7) points per match. Tied matches will be awarded as half of the available points to each individual/team.
9. The Team who finishes the round robin with the most points will be declared the Provincial Champions and they along with the 2nd place team will advance to represent Manitoba at the Inter-Provincial National Championships in Hamilton, Ontario.
10. There will be a \$250 assessment to all Bowlers & Coaches attending the National Championships

11. The team on the left-hand lane will be designated as the AWAY team and must submit its line-up first. The team on the right-hand lane will be designated as the HOME team and will be allowed to submit its line-up second.
12. If a team is short a bowler, they will count 90% of the missing bowler's average for the team total. The opposing bowler must bowl at least 90% of his/her average in order to be awarded the point for the match. The absent bowler CANNOT win **their point**.
13. For interpretation of any rules or controversy of any kind, stop play on your set of lanes and call the Judge of Play IMMEDIATELY.
14. The Judge of Play and Scorekeepers (where required) shall make all rulings and all decisions shall be subject to appeal to the Provincial Association Tournament Committee.
15. It is the responsibility of the bowler to ensure that his/her score is correct. The Official Scorekeeper and/or the Judge of Play must solve any disputes.

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

1. The National Championship shall be held April 26 –29, 2012, Thunder Bay, Ontario
2. All bowlers who compete in the Interprovincial National Championship must use their highest league average (if a bowler bowls in more than one (1) league) as of February 16, 2010 based on a minimum of twenty-four (24) games having been bowled.
3. Only teams declared as Provincial Champions shall be eligible to compete in the National Championships.
4. The National Tournament Committee reserves the right to complete the field and all decisions by this committee shall be final. NOTE: the National Tournament Committee shall consist of the National Tournament Chairman and the C5PBA Tournament Committee.
5. Each team must be dressed uniformly. A female coaching a Mens team can wear a skirt or skort, however, a Male coaching a female team must wear pants. Pants*, skirts or skorts shall be of the same color with a straight hemmed bottom (no fluorescent colours, denim, stirrups, shorts, spandex, leggings, harem, ruggers or sweat pants of any kind). The pants, skirts or skorts shall not be faded, torn, ripped, contain studs or pockets on the legs.

Bowling shirts or blouses must have a sleeve, collar and be of the same design in registered Provincial Association colors with appropriate province and bowler identification. A ladies style shirt is permissible, and it can be with or without buttons.

Bowlers may have up to twenty-four (24) square inches of sponsorship logos and or identification on each shirt. Sponsors may vary between individuals. Sponsors may not be in conflict with sponsors of the C5PBA.

No hats or caps or other headgear are allowed unless worn for religious or medical reasons.

*Pants - dress or casual pants, such as Dockers, Denver Hayes, Starter, Pacesetter and C5 are included.

Penalty: Failure to adhere to the dress code rule will result in a penalty being assessed for each uniform infraction to the province as follows: 1st offence - \$50.00, 2nd offence - \$75.00, 3rd offence - \$100.00.

6. The number of games to be bowled and the format of the event will be based on the number of teams competing and will be determined by the National Tournament Committee.
7. The lane draw is pre-drawn under the auspices of the Canadian 5 Pin Bowlers' Association Tournament Committee.
8. In each game, the team assigned to the RIGHT HAND lane shall be the HOME team and the team on the LEFT HAND lane shall be the AWAY team. The coach for the AWAY team is obliged to submit the line-up for a game before the line-up for the HOME team is submitted.
9. There shall be a five (5) minute warm-up preceding each block. Teams coming off a bye will be allowed to warm up when the other teams are in their 7th frame providing there are available lanes. If there are no lanes available, the National Tournament Committee shall advise.

The order of bowling (team line-up) may be changed for each game. Once the line-up is entered on the scoresheet at the start of every game, this is the order that must be bowled.

10. Lead off bowlers shall not start the next frame until their anchor bowler has finished. Any ball or balls thrown shall be declared "dead".
11. Only bowlers competing in the event, coaches and tournament officials shall be permitted in the bowling enclosure.
12. Any team that does not have a full compliment of bowlers shall bowl only with the bowlers on hand. Late bowlers shall start to bowl and count only from the time of arrival regardless of the reason.
13. Only a bowler taking their regular turn in the line-up shall be allowed on the approach at any given time. Coaches and all other team members must remain off the approach.
14. Only non-playing coaches shall be allowed to coach. "Coach" designation shall appear on the shirt or blouse.
15. All games shall start when the Judge of Play gives the starting signal (see Rule #17).
16. Any bowler who throws a ball prior to the starting signal shall be assessed a fifteen (15) pin penalty. Any ball or balls thrown shall be declared "dead".
17. For interpretation of any rules or controversy of any kind, stop play on your set of lanes and call the Judge of Play IMMEDIATELY.
18. Only coaches will be allowed to discuss, dispute or protest any point pertaining to the Championship with the Judge of Play.
19. Coaches must not approach a member of the opposing team with a complaint. If you have a dispute of any kind, inform the scorekeeper or stop the bowling on both lanes and summon the Judge of Play.

20. The Judge of Play shall make all rulings and all decisions shall be subject to appeal to the National Tournament Committee.
21. Flagrant violation of any rule may result in penalties being assessed by the Canadian 5 Pin Bowlers' Association Tournament Committee.
22. A match play format shall be used to determine champions. Each bowler who beats his/her opponent on the opposing team, based on the most pins over average, shall receive one (1) point. Three (3) points shall be awarded to the team with the higher pins over average total for the game, making a total of seven (7) points maximum for the game.

Example:

TEAM "A"				vs.	TEAM "B"			
Name	Ave.	Score	+/- Pts.		Name	Ave.	Score	+/- Pts.
Moffat	138	119	-19 0		Landry	184	213	+28 1
Jacobs	187	205	+18 0		Hopkins	160	181	+21 1
Ireland	159	176	+17 1		Jenkins	205	141	-64 0
Innis	<u>197</u>	<u>177</u>	<u>-20 ½</u>		Miller	<u>145</u>	<u>125</u>	<u>-20 ½</u>
	681	677	-4 3			694	660	-35 0

Results: Team A – $1\frac{1}{2} + 3 = 4\frac{1}{2}$ Points Team B – $2\frac{1}{2} + 0 = 2\frac{1}{2}$ Points

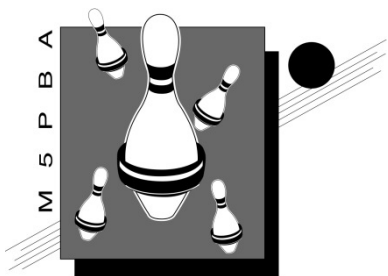
23. If a team is missing a bowler, in the match play format, the opposing bowler to the absent position must bowl at least 90% of his/her own average in order to receive the individual match play point. The team with the absent bowler will be credited with 90% of the missing bowlers average for the team total. If the opposing bowler fails to win the individual point, the point will be awarded to the missing bowler.
24. In the event of a tie between teams or individuals in any game during the qualifying round, all available points shall be divided equally between the tied teams or individuals.
25. In the event of a tie or ties in total points for any of the Top 2 positions after completion of the match play qualifying round, a one (1) game roll-off shall be required to determine the winner on a match play pins over average basis. If three or more teams tie for any of the top three (3) positions, each will bowl one game on their own set of lanes and the winners will be declared by total pins over average.
26. There is a Tournament Assessment fee of \$700.00 if the province is sending one (1) team and \$1,200.00 if the province is sending two (2) teams. This money is used primarily for prize money for the winning teams and individual awards. All expenses to attend are the responsibility of the participating province and will be dealt with a predetermined by each provincial association.

COACHES INSTRUCTIONS

All coaches assigned to teams in the 2010 C5PBA Interprovincial Championship must be a current C5PBA member in good standing and must be registered with their respective Provincial Association as having completed all required courses for COMMUNITY COACH CERTIFICATION as a 5 Pin Bowling Coach by December 31, 2012. **ALL MANITOBA COACHES MUST HAVE COMPLETED THE RESPECT IN SPORT PROGRAM THROUGH SPORT MANITOBA.**

1. Coaches are to make sure their team knows at what times and on what lanes they bowl (see Official Program and Coach's Manual).
2. All bowlers are required to be at the lanes twenty (20) minutes prior to bowling. Coaches must contact the Chief Judge of Play or Tournament Official to register their bowlers prior to bowling.
3. Coaches are to make sure their bowlers are on hand for five (5) minute warm-up preceding each block.
4. Coaches should make sure all team members are dressed properly.
5. Coaches are responsible for the conduct of their bowlers for the duration of the event: (event is defined as 'from the time you leave home until the time your return home').
 - alcoholic beverages may not be consumed during the event
 - chemical depressants or stimulants (performance enhancing drugs) may not be consumed during the event
 - intoxicated bowlers or coaches shall be removed from the competition and may be suspended for the remainder of the tournament
 - no food or beverages are allowed in the bowlers enclosure
 - no smoking will be allowed while the tournament is in progress
6. Coaches are responsible for watching the score for errors. After a frame has been completed and the next frame has been bowled, you cannot change the score unless it is an obvious error in addition. The scorepad is the official score and it is your responsibility to check it for accuracy. A team score sheet shall be provided and it is the Coach's responsibility to complete and sign this after each game, thereby approving the score. Failure to complete and sign this form properly may result in a **one (1) point penalty** being assessed the team.
7. The scorekeeper's decision regarding pinfall is **FINAL**. Only if the scorekeeper is in doubt is the Judge of Play to be called for a ruling.
8. Lane courtesy should be observed at all times but should not be overdone.
9. Substitutions must be reported to the opposing coach as well as to the scorekeeper who shall stop the bowling on both lanes while the substitution is made. (As a courtesy, bowlers in the process of bowling a frame shall be allowed to complete the frame before bowling is stopped.)

10. In all team events, only bowlers competing in the event, coaches, and tournament officials shall be permitted in the bowlers' enclosure.
11. Only a bowler taking their regular turn in the line-up shall be allowed on the approach at any given time. Coaches and all other team members must remain off the approach to the side or behind the scorestand.
12. A bowler who wishes to leave the bowlers enclosure must inform the Judge of Play.
13. The Coach is responsible for having his/her team line-up submitted to the official scorekeeper for each game as quickly as possible.
14. Only Coaches will be allowed to discuss, dispute or protest any point pertaining to the Championships with the Judge of Play. Please inform the bowlers of this ruling in order to save any unnecessary delays.
15. Coaches must not approach a member of the opposing team with a complaint. If you have a dispute of any kind, inform the scorekeeper who shall stop the bowling on both lanes and summon the Judge of Play.
16. Coaches are not allowed to compete in any event.
17. Coaches are responsible for having all bowlers arrive **on time** and **in uniform** at the Victory Banquet.
18. Coaches should make their bowlers aware of all rules as violations may result in penalties being assessed or suspensions from the Championships.
19. The use of chants, songs, cheers etc. which contain profanity, slanderous remarks or words which are deemed detrimental to the image of 5 Pin Bowling will not be allowed. Use of such illegal chants will result in forfeiture of game and repeated violation of this rule shall lead to suspension from competition.
20. The use of profanity, of any nature, will **NOT** be tolerated! A warning will be given, however, if use is continued, the offender will be suspended from competition.



Manitoba 5 Pin Bowlers' Association, Inc.

Entry Form Inter-Provincial "220" - Provincial Championships *Saturday, February 25th, 2012 at Roxy Lanes, Winnipeg*

Zone: _____ Contact Person: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

***Highest average in all leagues as of January 22, 2012. Signed average sheets must be attached.**

Please provide complete address, including postal code and phone number.

Team #1

(Please list in order of finish beginning with the highest POA to lowest).

Bowler 1: _____	Average* _____
Address: _____	C5 Number _____
Phone: _____	

Bowler 2: _____	Average* _____
Address: _____	C5 Number _____
Phone: _____	

Bowler 3: _____	Average* _____
Address: _____	C5 Number _____
Phone: _____	

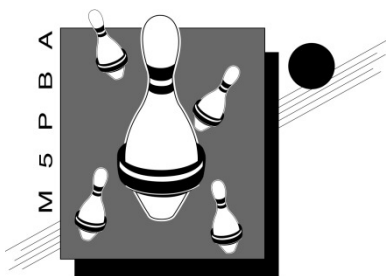
Bowler 4: _____	Average* _____
Address: _____	C5 Number _____
Phone: _____	



Coach – (must have Full Level I Certification)

Name: _____	C5Number _____
Address: _____	NCCP # _____
Phone: _____	

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To be returned to the M5PBA Tournament Director by: **February 12, 2012**



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Zone: _____ Contact Person: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

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Please provide complete address, including postal code and phone number.

Team #2

(Please list in order of finish beginning with the highest POA to lowest).

Bowler 1: _____ Average* _____
 Address: _____ C5 Number _____
 Phone: _____

Bowler 2: _____ Average* _____
 Address: _____ C5 Number _____
 Phone: _____

Bowler 3: _____ Average* _____
 Address: _____ C5 Number _____
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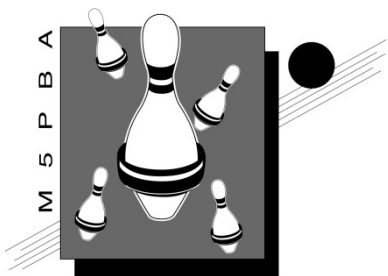
Bowler 4: _____ Average* _____
 Address: _____ C5 Number _____
 Phone: _____



Coach – (must have Full Level I Certification)

Name: _____ C5Number _____
 Address: _____ NCCP # _____
 Phone: _____

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Zone: _____ Contact Person: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

***Highest average in all leagues as of January 22, 2012. Signed average sheets must be attached.**

Please provide complete address, including postal code and phone number.

Team #3

(Please list in order of finish beginning with the highest POA to lowest).

Bowler 1: _____ Average* _____
Address: _____ C5 Number _____
Phone: _____

Bowler 2: _____ Average* _____
Address: _____ C5 Number _____
Phone: _____

Bowler 3: _____ Average* _____
Address: _____ C5 Number _____
Phone: _____

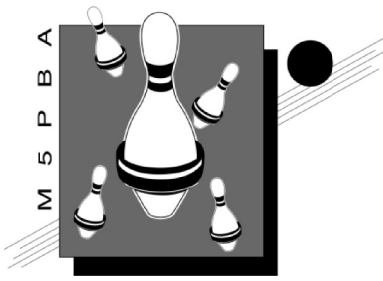
Bowler 4: _____ Average* _____
Address: _____ C5 Number _____
Phone: _____



Coach – (must have Full Level I Certification)

Name: _____ C5Number _____
Address: _____ NCCP # _____
Phone: _____

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Tournament Summary Report

Tournament: _____

Zone Name: _____

Date(s) League Round(s) held: _____

Number of Leagues participating: _____

Number of Bowlers participating: Men _____ Ladies _____ Total _____

Date House Round(s) held: _____

Number of Bowling Centres participating: _____

Number of Bowlers participating: _____

Date(s) Zone Round held: _____

Number of Bowlers participating: _____

Bowling Centre(s) used: _____

(Please include a list of all zone competitors with their C5PBA numbers)

This form is to be completed and submitted to the MSPBA Tournament Director by the information deadline. Failure to submit this form by the deadline may result in a \$50.00 fine to the zone.

INFORMATION DEADLINE FEBRUARY 12, 2012
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