

COBA extends warm wishes all our bowlers and their families for a safe and Happy Thanksgiving



Birthdays
 Mike Wilson – Oct. 5th
 O5PBA Board of Directors



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COBA Fastlane



October 2013

Centre Bowl

Your Central Ontario Board of Directors would like to extend congratulations to our own Kevin Jepson. Kevin has just become the Proprietor of Centre Bowl. Located just south of the 403 off Cawthra it has been a member of COBA for a number of years. It is an eight lane centre located in the basement of the Polish Community Centre. We wish Kevin well in his new endeavor.

Judge of Play Clinic

The Ontario 5 Pin Bowlers' Association will be conducting a Judge of Play clinic on Saturday, November 2nd at The Sheraton Hotel in Hamilton. The course will run from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. The cost is \$25.00 per person. For more information please contact the O5PBA office at: 416-426-7167 or by e-mail: o5pba@o5pba.ca



Lane Certification

The Ontario 5 Pin Bowlers' Association will be conducting a Lane Certification course at Sherwood Bowling Centre on Saturday, November 2nd. The course will run from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. The cost will also be \$25.00 per person. For more information please contact the O5PBA office at 416-426-7167 or by e-mail: o5pba@o5pba.ca

O5PBA Hall of Fame

The Ontario 5 Pin Bowlers' Association will be holding their 38th Hall of Fame Awards Dinner on November 2nd, 2013. The gala event will take place at the Hamilton Entertainment and Convention Centre, 1 Summers Lane, Hamilton, Ontario in the Chedoke Ballrooms A & B (located on the third floor). At that time they will be inducting eight (8) people into their Hall of Fame. Listed below are the individuals who will be honored on that evening:

Builders

Al Hong, Toronto
 Rosemary Davidson, Stratford

Players

Terry Little, Blenheim
 Brenda Pankoff, London
 Mike Bates, Hamilton

Legend

Doug Cain, Whitby

Dual Induction

Betty Jones, Port Dover (Builders)
 Fred Pechaluk, Toronto (Builders)

Tickets are \$80.00 each and anyone interested in attending this wonderful event is asked to contact the O5PBA office at: 416-426-7167 or e-mail: o5pba@o5pba.ca





COBA Bingo

Central Ontario would like to remind all our bowlers that your COBA Board of Directors operates a bingo every Saturday morning at:

Bingo Country
190 Bovaird Drive West
Brampton, Ontario

Early Birds: 9:15 am
Regular Bingo: 9:30 am
Located 1 stop light west of Hwy #10, in the Industrial Mall located on the north side of Bovaird Drive



Coaching

The cost of the Community Coaching Course will now be \$60.00 which is an increase from the \$40.00 previously charged.

Also, a reminder to all the coaches who have completed the Old Level 1, you have only until December 31st, 2013 to complete the MED portion in order to be certified. Anyone requiring further information is asked to contact Rheal Champagne at: rschampagne@sympatico.ca

Youth Challenge/ Bowling School

Once again this year COBA will be sending four (4) students to the Bowling School in July. All YBC students who pay the extra \$5.00 when entering the Youth Challenge Tournament, will be eligible to win a spot for the Bowling School. There will be 1 boy and 1 girl (high flat score) and 1 boy and 1 girl (POA)

In addition COBA will pay 1/2 the cost to send another eight (8) bowlers to the school. All students interested are asked to forward a brief essay explaining why they feel they should qualify for the special rate.

Further information will be posted at the Youth Challenge Tournament.

BOO!



Halloween

A reminder to all our bowlers that Halloween will be here at the end of the month. Please take extra care when driving and be mindful of all the ghosts and goblins out and about on Thursday, October 31st



Upcoming Tournaments

To all the Secretaries out there, the first two (2) tournaments are coming up quickly.

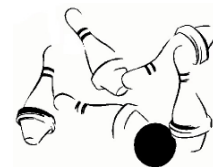
High-Low Doubles: The average date and entry deadline is October 20th. The League rounds run from October 21st to November 17th.

Holiday Classic: The average date is October 27th and the entry deadline is November 10th.

Please ensure your paperwork and entry fees are to Bob Beaucage by the deadline dates.

Youth Challenge: For all the youth bowlers out there, the entry deadline to enter this tournament is November 3rd. And don't forget, for an extra \$5.00, you can also enter the Bowling School Tournament. Again, please forward your entry to Bob Beaucage our Tournament Director

bob.beaucage@gmail.com





Tournament Schedule 2013-2014

Members' News

If any of our bowlers would like to see special events, birthdays, anniversaries or any other items of interest posted to our website or placed in the newsletter, please contact our Publicity Chair, Mickey McNeil at the address listed below.

E-Mail:
senior68@rogers.com



Youth Challenge

Nov. 24th, 2013 – Georgetown Bowl
Registration: 9:30am – Start: 10:00am

Provincial Open – Week One

December 1st, 2013 – Hopedale Bowl
Registration: 8:30 am – Start: 9:00 am

Senior Open – Week One

December 1st, 2013 – Hopedale Bowl
Registration: 8:30 am – Start 9:00 am

Provincial Open – Week Two

December 8, 2013 – Georgetown Bowl
Registration: 8:30 am – Start: 9:00 am

Senior Open – Week Two

December 8, 2013 – Georgetown Bowl
Tentative Start: 1:00 pm

Hi-Low Doubles

January 5th, 2014 – Skyview Lanes

Shift #1

Register 9:30 am – Start: 10:00 am

Shift #2

Register: 12:30 pm – Start: 1:00 pm



Holiday Classic

February 2nd, 2014 – Skyview Lanes

Shift #1

Registration: 9:30 am – Start: 10:00 am

Shift #2

Registration: 12:30 pm – Start: 1:00 pm

(If more than 24 teams

A 3rd shift will be necessary)

Provincial Triples

March 2nd, 2014 – Hopedale Bowl

Shift #1

Registration: 9:30 am – Start: 10:00 am

Shift #2

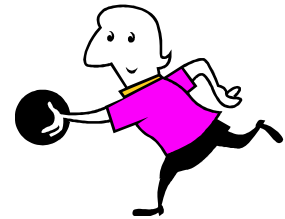
Registration: 12:30 pm – Start: 1:00 pm

League Appreciation Tournament

Tournament will take place in April
Date, Time and Location To Be Advised

*Please be advised that the above
locations and times are subject to
change.*

*All our bowlers will be given 14 days
notice of any changes*



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