



COBA FASTLANE

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Central Ontario 5 Pin Bowlers' Association would like to welcome all our bowlers back for another season on the lanes.

Happy Birthday

Lori Beesack
September 4th, 2014
COBA League Incentive

Bob Beaucage
September 11th, 2014
COBA Tournament
Director



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National Open-Central Ontario Leads the Way

This year Central Ontario had two (2) teams representing Ontario at the Nationals held in Calgary. The Mixed Team won Bronze and included the following bowlers:

- Victoria Gordon-R
- John Mattioli
- Jonathan Busch-R
- Charlotte Warrander-R
- Ian Gawel
- Torry Burrows
- Coach: Bob Beaucage

The R beside the bowler's name, indicates "Rookie" at the Nationals.

The Men's Team placed 6th at the Nationals and included:

- Doug Brock
- Andrew Pike-R
- Jeff Belanger
- Bill Schwemlein
- Wade Thompson
- Jim Head

Coach: Kasey Schwemlein

Steven Medhurst was on the original Provincial Men's Team but due to work commitments, was unable to go on to the Nationals and was replaced by Jim Head.

Ontario 5 Pin Awards-Congratulations Central Ontario

Congratulations go out to Linda and Ron Watson, the proprietors of Hopedale Bowl on being selected as the "Proprietors of the Year" by the Ontario 5 Pin Bowlers' Association. Way to go Linda and Ron.

Also, congratulations to York Simcoe 5 Pin Bowlers' Association on being selected "Association of the Year" and Merivale 5 Pin Bowlers' Association on their selection as "DC Association of the Year"

Also from the Central Ontario Board of Directors we have the following board members who finished in the top five (5) finalists in their respective category.

- Lyll Gordon-Membership
- Rheal Champagne-Coaching
- Brenda Hamilton-Secretary
- Kevin Jepson-Average Book
- Mickey McNeil-Treasurer
- Mickey McNeil-Winner in Publicity



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COBA Bingo

Central Ontario would like to remind all our bowlers that your COBA Board of Directors operate 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

Special Notice

All Association members receives a \$3500 group Accidental Death and Dismemberment insurance benefit, courtesy of American Income Life (AIL), a Family Eye Care discount and much more.

First year YBC graduates joining a league in Central Ontario will be receiving a FREE TOURNAMENT CARD for the 2014/2015 bowling season.

Central Ontario Youth Bowlers Come Up Big

This past July at the Bowling school at Sherwood Centre in Hamilton, the YBC Bowlers from Central Ontario did the zone proud. Of the eight bowlers listed below, 6 came away with awards.

Kaytlin McCarthy– Skyview Lanes

Joshua Aubin-Hopedale Bowl

Nick Ridley-Georgetown Bowl

Jonathan Burt-Hopedale Bowl

Emily Joudrey-Skyview Lanes

Rachael Seabourne-Hopedale Bowl

Madison Bishop-Skyview Lanes

Robert McDougall-Skyview Lanes

Robert McDougall won Singles Match Play, Pro Gauntlet, High 14 Flat, High Spare Percentage, Team vs Field and also made the All Star Team. Jonathan Burt won the Accuracy Shootout, Team vs Field, and also made the All Star Team. Kaytlyn McCarthy won the Singles Match Play, Team vs Field and also made the All Star Team. Joshua Aubin won High Singles Scratch, Team Match Play and High Spare Percentage, Maddi (Madison) Bishop won High Single POA and Team Match Play, Nick Ridley was a member of the team winning the Baker event. COBA salutes all our young stars,

05 AGM Motions Carried

Ontario Open/Senior Open

Retroactively to include the 2014 Open and going forward, qualifying for a wild card team to fill the field at the Open should not count in the calculation of appearances at the Open, whether in the Open or the Senior Open.

Seniors Tournament/Mixed Doubles

Remove the gender restrictions for the above tournament,

Average Book

All games bowled during league play including play offs, must be included in the 3 year rolling average retroactive from the 2013-2014 season

One of Our Future Stars

At the end of last season, a young YBC bowler Tyler Hutchinson out of

Coaching

Remove the 50 game criteria for a coach who is not actively bowling at all (not an O5 member from any league) so they can coach in a non-resident zone, providing they become a member of that zone.

Tournaments-General

In the event of a tie for 1st place or the final advancing position at the Zone round, the zone will decide the tie breaking method from one of the following: 1) Team with the most POA in the last game; 2) Retrogression method; 3) One game roll-off. The tie breaking method must be announced before the tournament starts.

Georgetown Bowl bowled a 375 single Game! Congratulations Tyler.

COBA Membership

Any bowler having a suggestion or wishing to raise a question with the COBA Board of Directors can do so by either:

- A) Submitting the request in writing to any COBA Board member or
- B) Requesting to appear in front of the Board of Directors in advance of any board meeting.

Please remember, we are here for all our bowlers and are willing to listen to all requests.

We're on the
Web
coba5pin.ca

Death of an Icon

Jack Fine, owner of Bowling Sales of Canada and the former owner of the Bowlerama Bowling chain, passed away on August 27th, 2014. Jack was a staunch supporter of 5 Pin Bowling and had been involved with all aspects of our sport. Jack's funeral was held on August 28th at the Holy Blossom Temple. Our prayers and deepest sympathies go out to his family .



2014-2015 Tournament Schedule

The 2014/2015 Tournament schedule will be posted in our newsletter with the October publication. It will also be on our website once it has been finalized and confirmed. Following is a list of all the O5 tournaments COBA will be running this season with a tentative date noted.

High-Low Doubles

January 11th, 2015

Executive's 5 Pin Championships

November 19th, 2014

Holiday Classic 5 Pin Championships

February 1st, 2015

Youth Challenge

Youth Bowling School Tournament

November 29th, 2014

Ontario Open 5 Pin Championships

Ontario Open 5 Pin Seniors

Dec. 7th and Dec. 14th, 2014

Provincial Triples Tournament

March 1st, 2015

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