



# Coast to Coast

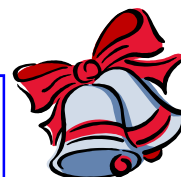


## CANADIAN 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION

30th Edition—November 2006



### C5PBA President's Message



Well, I hope everything has been proceeding along well in your bowling world.

Once again just as a reminder that the C5PBA Office has moved. Sheila has managed to get everything into the new location but it is slightly smaller than what we previously had. However, it is much better working conditions and will do just fine. New address is as follows:

*#206 - 720 Belfast Road.*

*Ottawa, Ontario*

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I would like to thank Sheila and Len for attending the 2006 Sport Leadership Conference in Vancouver. Len has informed me that it was well worth the effort to attend and that he will be presenting a report at the SAGM.

The new NCCP program committee have just about completed the Community Sport - Initiation phase. A little bit of tweaking here and there is still required but we are very optimistic it will be completed and ready soon. As everyone knows the new NCCP program is a huge project and will continue to be as we move further into the different phases. On behalf of the C5 Executive and Board members I would like to thank *Dave Post* and his committee for all the time and commitment they have contributed toward this very important program, it is well appreciated.

As I mentioned at the AGM in August we would like to activate some of our standing committees once again. Positions we have open are Public Relations, Marketing, and Membership Chairperson. There is not a lot of additional work involved but we need someone to start the ball rolling once again. With your help the C5 will continue to grow stronger and stronger each day. *Please take a moment and consider one of the above.*

On behalf of the C5PBA Executive and staff I would like to wish you and yours a very special Christmas and a most productive New Year.

C5PBA President  
Terry McLeod



# Nova Scotia



Greetings from sunny and warm Nova Scotia. Well another season of Strikes, Spares and Head Pins has started in this wonderful Province. It's hard to get our bowlers committed when the golf courses are still open! We are pleased to report that all houses are participating in the Associations programs with the Youth Challenge Competition being the first on our list. We have seven teams registered for the competition on November 26th and we have three (3) returning players from last year's National Gold Medal Team anxious to try for seconds. Plans are well under way for the National Hi-Lo Doubles in April and we hope the competitors and guests will have an unforgettable time while visiting NS. We have lost one of our perfect game bowlers to Alberta. Paul Paquette bowled his 450 on the last night of the 2005-06 season and has relocated to northern Alberta. Our loss is Alberta's gain, and we are sure all of you Albertans will treat him well. History has been made for a Nova Scotia Champion. Doug Blackler, a member of NS Men's Gold Medal winning team in St. John's has just returned from Bangor, Maine where his Candlepin Men's Team won the World's Championship, making Doug the first bowler to win both the Canadian and World's title. We congratulate Doug on his 2006 Double Crown. Our sincere sympathies go out to Darrell and Gina Bailey on the loss of their stillborn baby girl. Our prayers and thoughts are with you both.

Synthia Schofield  
Nova Scotia



# British Columbia



Greetings from the frozen tundra of beautiful B. C., who would of thunk! Well between the rain, the snow, more snow and then more rain we are busy building the ark and learning to ski in short order Last weekend we held our Youth Challenge at Willowbrook Lanes in Langley. The tournament was well represented from participants throughout the Province. To the victors go the spoils and these young athletes will be representing B.C. at the Nationals in Calgary at Chinook Bowldrome on Mar.22-24, 2007.

Ladies: Renae Ealey, Scottsdale Lanes, Surrey (2083) 260.4 average, Tara Oeuvray, Dell Lanes, Surrey (2045) 255.6 average, Aily Ealey, Scottsdale Lanes, Surrey (2013) 251.6 average, and Sara Semkiw, Scottsdale Lanes, Surrey (2001) 250.1 average (alternate)

Men: Jamie Schnyder, Lincoln Lanes, Vernon (2086) 260.8 average, Darryl Wood, Dell Lanes, Surrey (2036) 254.5 average, Aaron Middlemiss, 5th Avenue Bowl Prince George (1974) 246.8 average, Michael Dedemus, Polson Bowling Centre, Vernon (1962) 245.3 average (alternate)

Congratulations to all the winners and to all the participants who made this tournament a very big success. Also congratulations to "Ally Ealey" who bowled a 414, and has now qualified for the 400 Club Tournament, great game Ally. The two coaches for the above teams are: Brian Rozmarniewich from Prince George and Gail Chambers of North Delta. Congratulations to Ken Blacke who bowled a perfect game at the Scottsdale Classic Tournament on Sept. 2/06...superb! This also qualifies Ken into the 400 Club Tournament. We are currently setting up for our Open Zone Trials in Jan. 2007, and the Provincials in Prince Rupert in April 2007. That's about it from Snowbank Headquarters, bundle up warm and drink plenty of fluids.

Ken Chambers, Jr.  
President, BC5PBA

# Ontario



Southern Ontario's 2006 bowling season started November 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> as Hamilton was the host for our 2006 Association Tournament That same weekend saw our Hall of Fame Dinner and our 2006 Semi Annual General Meeting. Saturday morning, Phil Erwood of Hamilton won the Association Executive Tournament and a trip for two to the sunny south next year. Later that same evening Anne Depew and Harold Stoddart were inducted as builders into our Hall of Fame while Bob Gignac, Brian Kaye and Cas Hollick were inducted as players. Earl Gallagher was inducted into the Legends Division while Theda Procher and the late Doris Luke were dual inductees in the Builders Division. Both ladies were inducted in the Players Division in 1986.

The zone finals for the 2006 Youth Challenge have been completed while the Open zone roll offs are now under way. All results can be found on the O5PBA web site.

Dave Post  
Southern Ontario

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Since this is the last edition until the New Year, the bowlers and the BC5PBA would like to wish you and your families a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year.





# Newfoundland/Labrador



Everything is in full swing and everyone is beginning to feel the Christmas fever. Our Provincial Youth Challenge Tournament is being held this Saturday in Corner Brook with Norma and her group of volunteers being the host. The number of participants has significantly reduced this year which has caused the cost, per Zone, to increase. This will be an area we will need to visit at the NL AGM to consider changing the tournament format. Our bowlers have completed their Hi-Low league competition and those bowlers advancing are looking forward to the opportunity to advance to our Provincials to be held in Clarenville. The OPEN competition has begun with some great scores. We have the same number of entries as last year, which is a positive mark for this tournament. We will be holding our Provincial tournament during the week of St. Patrick's Day so this should be a fun time. We had another 450 – Justin Sullivan. He is 15 years old and holds a 180 average – what a feat! To all our friends across the country, may your Christmas season be joyous and we trust you will receive all that you ask for. From our bowling family – **MERRY CHRISTMAS!**



# Saskatchewan



### Saskatchewan 5 Pin Bowlers' Association Executive

President—Joe Yuhasz, Regina, SK  
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 Bowling Federation Executive Director-  
 Rhonda Serena, Regina, SK

We have 10 zones within our province. The zone representatives are:

- Zone # 1-Ron Typhoid, Shaun Avon, Ski
- Zone # 2-Russ Nelson, Moose Jaw, SK
- Zone # 3-Dave Shepherd, Regina, SK
- Zone # 4-Julia King, Raymore's
- Zone # 5-Ron Garnham, Maidstone, SK
- Zone # 6-Shirley Bird, Saskatoon, SK
- Zone # 7-Mary Ann Niemeyer, Anaheim, SK
- Zone # 8-Brent Palo ski, Prince Albert, SK
- Zone # 9-Bob Clothier, Rose town, SK
- Zone #10-Norm Affie, Weyburn, SK

We have a wealth of knowledge and experience on our executive with approximately 200 years of accumulative service on our local, zone and Provincial boards.

### Shirley Bird taken by Surprise

At our provincial open roll – offs every year we make a special presentation to someone who has dedicated great time and effort to our sport. This award is done in memory of one of our Past Provincial President's, John Loster. We have a committee set up to choose a suitable recipient. Shirley Bird is a member of this committee. Shirley was told that the award was going to a good friend of hers, Phyllis Bodnar, upon which Shirley asked if she could make the presentation. She was told by the other members of the committee that she could do so. The committee had decided that the presentation was actually going to be made to Shirley. Trying to keep this a secret from Shirley from this point on was a task unto itself, as anyone who knows Shirley can attest to. Once we arrived at the Provincial roll offs, Shirley told me that, she had her speech all prepared for the presentation to Phyllis. We informed her that Glenda Loster, John Loster's wife, had requested that someone else do the presentation. Shirley was fit to be tied. Having to work with her in the office preparing stats was interesting to say the least. Whenever we were not busy the topic would come up, with Shirley wanting to know who all was responsible for making the decision not to let her make the presentation to "Phyllis". As the tournament was drawing to a close, Shirley and I were leaving the office, when Rick Schafer, the designated presenter, happened by. Shirley asked Rick, somewhat dejectedly, if he was going to make the presentation. Rick told her that he was. Shirley then asked Rick if he would like to use the speech that she prepared. Rick said that he had one ready as well but that he would look at her speech to see if there was anything that he could add. When it came time to make the presentation at our banquet, Rick got up and started in with the speech that Shirley had prepared. Approximately one half of the way through Rick got into specifics about the person receiving the award. It took awhile for Shirley to realize that the award was actually going to her and the look on her face was priceless. It isn't often that we get to pull one over on Shirley but this was a good one and well worth the trouble that I had containing myself during the tournament when Shirley vented to me about the goings on and how it was handled. Congratulations Shirley on an award well deserved!

Joe P. Yuhasz  
 S5PBA President

