



## **MASTER BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION OF ONTARIO**

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Well, the rainy summer of 2017 is coming to an end and this means bowling season is just around the corner. I hope you have had an enjoyable summer.

Our tournament events are all set and you will find our 2017-18 schedule included in this package.

### **CHANGES FOR THIS SEASON**

Our pricing has been reviewed by the Board and we have adjusted some of our membership fees down!!

The price for Unaffiliated has gone from \$190.00 to \$150.00. The extra money was used as prize money to our 2 Youth events but the board felt that it was becoming cost prohibitive to some so we have decided to reduce this membership category. It will affect the prize fund for our youth events, but we hope we can still manage this.

At our Tournament Players workshop in May 2017, the players asked that we have all players pay their National Assessment for their events up front. So many times towards the end of the season, players leave the Tournament Division for various reasons and the assessment is also lost. The Tournament Players asked and the board has agreed to have Tournament Division players pay their National Assessment completely by Jan 31<sup>st</sup>. Tournament Division tournament entry fees will therefore be reduced by \$20.00 since the National Assessment portion will have been prepaid.

The one exception to this is our New Years Classic Triples Event, where both divisions participate and so to avoid confusion and manage this one event easily the price for both division players at this event will remain the same as last year at \$155.00.

**ALL EVENTS OPEN TO EVERY MASTER BOWLER.** This season we will open up all events to everyone who is a member of our association and we have dropped the Hybrid fee. Many players have been playing "both sides" now for a number of years so this season, all events are available to members of our association with no "fill the field" restrictions. The exception is our "Seniors Division Only" members, who will not be eligible for other division aggregates unless they register as an Unaffiliated Member. Seniors Only are limited to 2 other MBAO events now plus the Master Senior and Special Olympics Events. There will be a criteria of events needed to qualify for Teaching and Tournament Division National Teams but if you wanted to participate in any event now or even be eligible for the Teaching and/or Tournament Division aggregate, you are now allowed to do this at no extra cost.

Master Bowlers who are on both Teaching and Tournament Aggregates must decide by April 30<sup>th</sup> which Year End event they choose to play.

## Other information for this Season

### SPECIAL OLYMPICS EVENT CONTINUES IN HAMILTON

Our 27<sup>th</sup> annual Ontario Special Olympics event this year will again be held in March, but our venue has moved to Hamilton Ontario. We were informed this month that Bowlerama West will be closing in January which has caused this change. 72 players are needed to make this a successful event. The date is set for Sunday March 18<sup>th</sup> at Sherwood Centre. It will be held only a couple of weeks ahead of the Ontario Open Championships so this is an opportunity to play on the same lanes and also to make the day special for our Special Olympic Athletes.

The day is important to the Special Olympic Athletes so I'm hoping you will join us and register early on our website. We need to be sure we have one member for each of the 72 Special Olympians who will participate. Entry forms are included with this package or please go online and register.

### MEMBERSHIP REFERRAL PROGRAM CONTINUES

Our members referral program began last season and will continue this year. Any member who refers a new member or one who has been away from the association for at least 3 years, will have their referral noted and if the criteria is met, you can receive a \$25.00 credit off of next years renewal.

The referred member must be at least 25 years old, and must play in at least 24 games throughout the 2017-18 season in MBO events. Seniors Division members must play in at least 15 games in MBO events to meet the criteria.

Last year, 30 players were referred and joined the Master Bowlers Association of Ontario. Of these, 7 met the criteria and therefore \$25.00 credits will be issued to our members who made the referral.

Our website has the forms for new members and you simply sign your name as the person who referred these new members to our association and we will track things from there. Please remember the member must be at least 25 years old and are brand new to the association or returning after at least 3 years absence.

### SHIRTS AVAILABLE ONLINE – COMING SOON

Affiliated Master Bowlers may now wear any MBO Logo'd shirt and are not require to wear the Blue "Uniform" shirt as was passed at the 2015 Annual General Meeting. It is recommended as an Affiliated Member that you have your name and the name of your bowling centre on the shirt that you will wear at the Spring and Fall Master Youth Events. This helps to promote your bowling centre and is a form of appreciation for the centre who signs your renewal as an Affiliated Master.

We are working on a new Online Store where our members may order our shirts with our logo. The styles we offer and colours will all be listed as well as other items like towels, jackets etc.

We will continue to have a limited selection of shirts at our Tournament Events or orders can also be made at these events as well.

### TOURNAMENT DIVISION AGGREGATE

For our Tournament Division this year, we have restructured the Aggregate requirements as per discussions and decisions made at last years Tournament Players Workshop. Our members decided to drop the Club Tour events from the aggregate requirements, however they did acknowledge that the majority of our players will still be participating in these two events. The England Family at NEBs run these events to promotion our game and we continue to help and partner with them on the Club Tour. MBAO Members may still register for the Club Tour through our website, however since these are not "official" MBAO events, the need to wear our uniform is no longer required. There will be no additional National Assessment fees at the club tour events. Also these events are now cash only, we will not be taking credit card entries.

We hope that all of our members consider playing in one or both of these events and that you will continue to strongly support the Club Tour at NEBs.

This season a Tournament Master must play in all 5 events we are offering. The Fall Classic, New Years Classic, Winter Classic, Spring Classic and the Year End event to be eligible to the National Team Aggregate. Tournament Division members are asked to pay their National Assessment fees completely by January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018 (\$85.00 including HST). This fee may be paid with your renewal which would be our preference.

Our Henry Fehr Memorial Doubles and the Special Olympics Event is also open to Tournament Division players but will not count towards your aggregate.

### **ENCLOSED WITH THIS NEWSLETTER IS THE FOLLOWING:**

- ❖ **2017-18 MBAO Renewal Form**
- ❖ **2017-18 MBAO Schedule of Events**
- ❖ **2017-18 Membership Sponsorship (Sample Letter)**
- ❖ **2017-18 Perfect Game Pool Form**
- ❖ **2018 MBAO/Special Olympics Doubles Entry Form**

### **OUR WEBSITE**

This past summer we noticed a number of SPAM users registering to be a member of our website. We do not have any personal or financial information (Credit Cards etc) on our website so information there is not anything we want to restrict. However the risk of these SPAM users hacking in to plant a virus or links to inappropriate websites is something we want to avoid.

Therefore this year in order to see our information, you must set up a login account to access our website. The registration is simple and the benefit is that when you register for one of our events, you will see that the form fields are automatically populated for you. You simply need to choose the category (POA, SCRATCH, or Both) upon registration where appropriate.

In closing, we will continue to keep our website, [www.mbao.ca](http://www.mbao.ca), up to date with the latest information and results and we will be active on Facebook.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the Association, please contact me at our Provincial Office at (416) 426-7165 or via Email at [office@mbao.ca](mailto:office@mbao.ca). Feel free to call anytime. If I cannot answer immediately, I will return your call or reply to your Email as soon as possible and I'm happy to discuss anything with you.

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR PHYSICAL OFFICE LOCATION HAS CHANGED. If you plan to drop by the office call us to make arrangements as the new location in Pickering is in a secured building and you will need to let us know to ensure that I am available to let you in.

I'm looking forward to another great season and hope to see all of you at one of our events this season.

Dave Johnson  
Director of Operations  
Enclosures:

August 2017

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I would like to welcome you back to the start of the 2017-2018 season of the Master Bowlers' Association of Ontario (MBAO), our 53rd season!

At the end of the 2016-2017 season, long serving Board member Elaine Freiday, as well as Bob Walters, and Barb Chapman chose not to continue on the Board of Directors. Elaine has indicated that she is willing to continue to help out running tournaments, if needed. The Board would like to thank Elaine, Bob, and Barb for the work they have done for the Association. Three members were elected at the AGM to the Board of Directors for 3-year terms and one for a 2-year as Jodie Barker resigned due to personal reasons. Neil Anderson, Cindy Toll, and Andrea Disher were elected for 3-year terms, while Tim O'Hara was elected for the 2-year term.

Similar to the previous year in which we had no motions or recommendations, this year we had only a few at the 2016 AGM. We thank the many members who still came out to vote for Board Members, the members who stood to run for the Board, and the members who came to share feedback with us about the 2016-2017 season. This year, we also held a Tournament Players' workshop prior to the Year End Event. We gathered some great feedback from over 20 members who attended and we will be holding another Tournament Players' workshop prior to the 2018 Year End Event. We have held a Senior Players' workshop for several years and the feedback provided has helped shape the look of the current Seniors' Tour. We will again be having a Senior Players' workshop at their 3rd event of the 2017-2018 season. In addition, this past year we held a Teaching Players' workshop prior to the Saturday shift of the New Year's Classic. We received good feedback at this meeting, despite only have about a dozen members there. This year we will again have another meeting the Saturday before starting the Mixed Triples. This will be an opportunity for players to provide feedback to the association, in addition to the Zone meetings held after the Spring Master Youth Event. We are encouraging more members to attend in order to have their voice heard and contribute their ideas.

Once again this season, the elimination draw will be one of our largest fundraisers. We would like to encourage our members to help sell as many tickets as possible so that we can have another sold out draw. We continue to have great success with the Master Senior prize table. We will be running a similar table this year and if you have anything you would like to donate, please bring them to any event in which you are participating. Last year we started our "Chase the Ace" fundraiser. It has been very successful so far. Although it is unlikely to reach the same extent as the one in Newfoundland, ours begins the season at \$725. Tickets will be available at all of our Tournament, Teaching, Seniors tournaments, as well as Mid-Winter provincial round, Ontario Special Olympics Tournament, Provincial Master Youth events, as well as the Master Senior. As was practice this year, if the person whose name is drawn is not in attendance, a Board member will select a card for them.

## **Board of Directors**

Through the election process, the MBO Board of Directors for the upcoming season is as follows:

President: Brenda Walters  
Vice President: Nathan Cooper  
Treasurer: George Tughan  
Secretary: Andrea Disher  
Director: Christina Herbert  
Director: Tim O'Hara  
Director: Neil Anderson  
Director: Cindy Toll  
Director: Matt Kowalyk

## **MBAC Nationals**

The MBAC Nationals were held in Regina, Saskatchewan in July and our Ontario representatives made us proud again this year. We wish to congratulate and acknowledge the following achievements for our members at this event:

### Tournament Singles

Ladies: Tracy Ormiston (Silver)  
Men: Bobby Torraville

### Teaching Singles

Ladies: Courtney Forsyth (Silver)  
Men: Andrew Lampman

### Senior Singles

Les Ham (Silver)

### Teaching Ladies Team (Silver)

Courtney Forsyth  
Pam Gergely

Bekah Akerley  
Kim Cronier

Kendra Hole  
Coach : Brenda Pankoff

### Teaching Men's Team

Andrew Lampman  
Mike Rainey

Steve Beattie  
Kyle Yardy

Matt Kowalyk  
Coach: Bernie McMillan

### Tournament Ladies

Charlotte Warrander  
Katlyn Saar

Lindsay Laporte  
Morgan Glover

Kelly Laporte  
Coach: Bob Walters

### Tournament Men (Silver)

Nathan Cooper  
Matt Coad

Marc Goulet  
Ian Gawel

Matt Houston  
Coach: Bob Beaucage

### Senior's Team (Gold)

Les Ham  
Diane Martin

Terry Little  
Jim Head

Kim Utley  
Coach: Maureen Poole

In addition to the multiple successes of our teams, we tied with Alberta for the National Aggregate. Another side note, our Seniors Team has now won the Nationals in two consecutive years.

**Congratulations to all of the participants!**

**This Season**

Nationals this year will be held between Saturday, June 30, 2018 and Thursday, July 5, 2018 the MBAC National Championship will be held in Thunder Bay, Ontario. This National event will celebrate the 51st Anniversary of the MBAC and the host committee has some great events planned! Good luck to all of our members on their quest to Thunder Bay!

Our season kicks off in September with the Henry Fehr Memorial Doubles event on September 17<sup>th</sup> in Orillia. We hope that you can join us for this great event.

The Board of Directors hopes you have had an amazing summer and we look forward to seeing you on the lanes during the 2017-2018 season!

Thank you,  
Brenda Walters  
MBAO President

## **2017-2018 OFFICIAL MBAO DRESS CODE**

The MBAO official dress code for all MBAO Tournament events during the current season will be as follows:

### **DRESS CODE (BOTTOM) APPLICABLE FOR ALL MASTER BOWLERS:**

“BLACK” dress pants/shorts (for men) and “BLACK” dress pants/skirts/skort/shorts/capris (for the ladies). “BLACK” dress shorts will be permitted at all MBAO events providing they are “golf length”. Cotton pants/skirts/shorts/capris will be permitted provided they are not faded, have no rips, tears or studs on them and have no slits up the side of them. Jeans, harem, spandex, leggings, yoga pants, stirrups, sweatpants, cargo pants or warm-up pants of any kind are prohibited. No pants/slack/skirts/shorts/capris with external pockets on the sides will be accepted.

### **DRESS CODE - SHIRT (AFFILIATED MASTER BOWLERS):**

All Master Bowlers affiliated with a bowling centre at all events involving youth (Fall and Spring Master Youth Events) will be required to wear the MBAO Shirt that has their name and the name of their current affiliated bowling centres on it. Shirts with Embroidery can be ordered through our Provincial Office using our shirt order form or it can be done by the player at their own expense. At all other events (optionals), players may wear this or any other MBAO logoed golf shirt. Any shirts with other provincial logos and/or national souvenir shirts are not approved attire.

### **DRESS CODE - SHIRT (UNAFFILIATED MASTERS AND SENIORS DIVISION):**

All unaffiliated Master Bowlers will wear a MBAO logoed golf shirt. Golf shirts with other provincial logos and/or national souvenir shirts are not approved attire.

Members are not allowed to wear headphones of any kind for I-Pods, Walkman or other electronic entertainment devices on the approach during any MBAO Event. Medical devices such as hearing aids are allowed. Hats or other head wear, excluding those for religious purposes, are not allowed to be worn.

**Any master found out-of-uniform may be given a written warning for a first offence and levied a fine of fifty dollars (\$50.00) for a second offence.**





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**2017-2018 OFFICIAL MBAO RENEWAL FORM**

(This Form is to be Completed by Current Masters Only - Not for New Members)

**Membership Dues will be paid by:**

Bowler     Proprietor     YBC Program Director

Note: All Membership Dues Payable by: Fall Master Youth Zone round or 1st Tournament Division event

MEMBER INFORMATION (Please Print)

Male     Female

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (Last Name)    \_\_\_\_\_ (First Name)    Initial \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Prov \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Home #)    Work # or Cell #

Zone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Affiliated Bowling Centre & Location)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 (Name of Proprietor) - PLEASE PRINT    (Proprietor's Signature)

Current members may refer a former MBAO member who has been away for at least 3 years. The returning member must be 25 years old and must play a minimum of 24 games in the current year of membership (or 15 games for a Seniors Division Member). The referring member will receive a \$25.00 credit for the following season if this criteria is met.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Member's Signature    Date    Referring Members Name

By signing this form, I agree that I will follow the MBAO dress code at all events and I will not make derogatory or harmful remarks about the MBAO, its members or any bowling organization or bowling establishment on any Social Networking website such as but not limited to Facebook, Twitter or LinkedIn etc.

Please process my membership renewal on the following credit card:

VISA: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. \_\_\_\_\_  
 M/C: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to receive my MBAO Tour Book information in the following manner:

Do Not Send Anything. Will access information from the website.  
 Paper Copy. Note: Request if you do not have access to a computer or would like paper copies

1. Affiliated Membership (bowling with YBC)	\$120.00	<input type="text"/>
2. Unaffiliated Membership (not playing with YBC)	\$150.00	<input type="text"/>
3. National Assessment (payable only by those competing for Tournament Division Nationals) Payable by January 31, 2018 to be eligible for Nationals	\$85.00	<input type="text"/>
4. Seniors Division only (4 Events per season + any two other MBAO Events + Special Olympics and Master Senior Event)	\$75.00	<input type="text"/>
Seniors wishing to be eligible for other aggregates should pay Affiliated or Unaffiliated Membership		
5. Associate Member	\$60.00	<input type="text"/>

Non Members are not eligible to coach a National Team.  
 Associate Members may coach at Nationals, but are required to pay a \$150.00 assessment fee as well as any Team assessment if chosen by a team.

**Note: THIS FEE INCLUDES THE COST OF ONE (1) ELIMINATION DRAW TICKET WHICH IS NOW INCLUDED IN OUR ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP AS PER AN APPROVED MOTION PASSED AT THE 2013 AGM. THE MEMBER MAY RESELL THEIR TICKET, FOR \$20.00 TO ANYONE IF THEY CHOOSE AND MUST ADVISE OUR OFFICE IF THEY DO SO.**

# MASTER BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION OF ONTARIO

## Upon signing the MBAO Official Application Form or Renewal Form, I agree:

- a) That I will always conduct myself in a manner befitting a Master Bowler whether in an MBAO Tournament, other tournament competition, or regular league play. I will strive to "sell" the MBAO by setting a good example.
- b) That I will not arrive at the lanes, at any time under the obvious influence of alcoholic beverages or drug stimulants and that I will not consume alcohol or drugs during tournament play. Exceptions may be approved by the MBAO depending on sponsorship.
- c) If entering the Teaching Division as an Affiliated Teaching Master, I agree to play in the Fall Master Youth and Spring Master Youth events.
- d) That I will not issue a "Non Sufficient Funds" cheque to cover tournament entries and in the case of an "N.S.F" cheque, I must replace such cheque within 7 days of being notified and will pay a \$25.00 Service Charge for every NSF cheque written. All further payments to the end of the season must be by cash, certified cheque, credit card or money order. At that point, chequing privileges will be reinstated. A second offense will result in a permanent cash only basis.
- e) That I will observe all other MBAO rules pertaining to entry deadlines for each tournament and punctual arrival for tournaments, dress codes etc.
- f) Tournaments will start on time and late bowlers will suffer loss of frames already bowled up to the time they are ready to bowl.
- g) I will follow the MBAO Dress Code in all events or I may be assessed a \$50.00 Fine for being "Out of Uniform"
- h) I will not make derogatory or harmful comments about the MBAO, its members or any bowling organization or bowling establishment on any Social Networking website (i.e. but not restricted to Facebook, Twitter, Linkdin etc). Penalty for such comments could be immediate suspension from the Master Bowlers' Association of Ontario.

NOTE: Failure to observe any of the rules of the MBAO may result in suspension and/or expulsion from the MBAO.

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Signature of Applicant

**\*\* For Affiliated Members be sure that your form is signed by the proprietor whom you are representing or this application may be delayed or refused.**

# 2017-2018 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Date	Event	Location
September 4th, 2017	Labour Day	
September 17th, 2017	Henry Fehr Memorial Doubles	Orillia Bowl, Orillia
September 24th, 2017	Zone Delegates Meeting	NEB's Fun World, Oshawa
September 30th - October 8th, 2017	Fall Master Youth Qualifying Weeks	
October 1st, 2017	C4 Seniors Tour Event #1	Stellar Lanes, Newmarket
October 7th-8th, 2017	NEB's Fun World Fall Club Tour	NEB's Fun World, Oshawa
October 7th-8th, 2017 ***	Western Ontario Classic Teaching Event	Echo Bowl, Brantford
<b>October 9th, 2017</b>	<b>Fall Master Youth Entry Deadline - Average Date</b>	
October 22, 2017 **	Fall Master Youth Zone Rounds (Affiliated)	
November 11, 2017	Fall Master Youth Provincial Finals	C4 Centre, Scarborough
November 11th-12th, 2017 ***	Central Ontario Teaching Event	Parkway Bowl, Scarborough
November 18th, 2017 *	Fall Classic	Skyview Lanes, Bolton
November 19th, 2017	C4 Seniors Tour Event #2	C4 Centre, Scarborough
November 26th - December 10th, 2017	O5PBA Open Qualifying Rounds	
January 2nd-14th, 2018	Spring Master Youth House Qualifying Weeks	
January 6th-7th, 2018 * ***	New Year's Classic Mixed Triples	Sherwood Centre, Hamilton
January 13th or 14th, 2018 **	Option #1 Mid-Winter Blues Zone Round/YBC Rookie Tour	
<b>January 15th, 2018</b>	<b>Spring Master Youth Entry Deadline - Average Date</b>	
January 20th or 21st, 2018 **	Option #2 Mid-Winter Blues Zone Round/YBC Rookie Tour	
January 27th - 28th, 2018	NEB's Fun World Winter Club Tour	NEBs Fun World, Oshawa
February 4th, 2018 **	Spring Master Youth Zone Rounds (Affiliated)	
February 10th, 2018 *	Winter Classic Event	Jeff's Bowl-O-Rama, Welland
February 18th, 2018 (Family Day Weekend)	Mid-Winter Blues Provincials	Georgetown Bowl, Georgetown
March 11th, 2018	Spring Master Youth Provincial Finals	Victoria Bowl, Kitchener
March 17th, 2018	C4 Seniors Tour Event #3 - Team Event	Sherwood Centre, Hamilton
March 17th, 2018	C4 Seniors Tour Players Workshop	Sherwood Centre, Hamilton
March 18th, 2018	MBAO / Ontario Special Olympics Event	Sherwood Centre, Hamilton
March 28th-31st, 2018	O5PBA Open Provincial Championships	Sherwood Centre, Hamilton
April 14th, 2018 *	Spring Classic Event	Orleans Bowl, Orleans
April 14th-15th, 2018 ***	Eastern Ontario Classic	Orleans Bowl, Orleans
April 29th, 2018	C4 Seniors Tour Event #4	Northshore Lanes, Cobourg
May 4th-6th, 2018	YBC National Championships	Regina, Saskatchewan
May 5th, 2018	MBAO Annual General Meeting	NEB's Fun World, Oshawa
May 5th-6th, 2018 **	Teaching Year-End Event	NEB's Fun World, Oshawa
May 5th-6th, 2018 *	Tournament Year-End Event	NEB's Fun World, Oshawa
May 27th, 2018	Master Senior Provincial Tournament	NEB's Fun World, Oshawa
May 30th-June 2, 2018	C5PBA National Open Championships	Gatineau, Quebec
June 30th-July 5th, 2018	MBAC National Championships	Thunder Bay, Northern Ontario

## NOTES:

- National Team (Tournament Division):** Must count 5 Tournament Events . Fall, Winter and Spring Classic, New Years and Year End
- National Team (Teaching Division):** Must count 3 of their best 6-game block scores and Year-End scores for the aggregate.  
**Affiliated Teaching Masters** must still play Fall Master Youth, Spring Master Youth, Mid-Winter Blues and at least one Optional Event in order to remain eligible for a National Team.  
**Un-Affiliated Teaching Masters** must play Mid-Winter Blues and at least two Optional Events in order to remain eligible for a National Team spot.
- National Team (Seniors Division):** Must play in and count best 3 events for the aggregate.

\* Compulsory – Tournament Division

\*\* Compulsory-Teaching Division

\*\*\* Optional – Teaching Division Affiliated Members must play in one event,  
 Unaffiliated Members must play in two events for Aggregate and National Team Eligibility



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2017-2018 Bowling Season

### **SUBJECT: SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITY WITH THE MBAO**

Dear Potential Sponsor:

I would like to introduce to you, a sponsorship opportunity with the Master Bowlers' Association of Ontario (MBAO). The Master Bowlers' Association of Ontario was established in 1964, and are celebrating our 53<sup>rd</sup> year in operation. With such history, the Master Bowlers' Association of Ontario has developed a large alumni pool and a current active players list of approximately 450 men and women.

That being said, there is a large diverse market for your company to advertise goods or services to our MBAO membership. From creating company awareness to increasing sales, the Master Bowlers' Association of Ontario is the ideal marketing platform for reaching new customers. The MBAO invites you to tap the marketing power of our association. Your integrated package of benefits includes:

- ❖ Company Logo on the bowler's sleeve (3 inches x 4 inches)
- ❖ Website Advertising
- ❖ Exposure to the bowling community
- ❖ Event Presentation of a Sponsorship Plaque
- ❖ Advertisement postings at our events

The Master Bowlers' Association of Ontario has tremendous popularity and high visibility to create the perfect method for increasing consumer sales and giving a community profile to your company.

The fee for this partnership is \$500.00. This would be a year-to-year agreement between the MBAO, the bowler and your company. At the end of each fiscal year we can evaluate the program and renew for the next bowling season.

The MBAO is looking forward to having your company as part of our large family. You will be providing important sponsorship funds for our athletes as we continue to strive for excellence. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the MBAO Provincial Office at (416) 426-7165 or [office@mbao.ca](mailto:office@mbao.ca),

Yours truly,

Dave Johnson  
Director of Operations

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## **PERFECT GAME POOL**

***PERFECT GAME POOL was not awarded last season. Charlotte Warrander and Jason Davidson-Thoms shared a portion of the pool last season with their high games of 399 (Ladies) and 410 (Men)***

The Master Bowlers' Association of Ontario has established a "**Perfect Game Pool**" as an MBOA fundraiser. Any bowler who bowls a perfect game during the 2017-2018 season will be the recipient of **70% of the money in the "Perfect Game" pool**.

As a fundraiser, the monies generated for the perfect game pool will be broken down as follows:

- a. MBOA Share: 30% of Total Raised
- b. "No Winner" Perfect Game Pool Carry-Over: 20% of Total Raised
- c. Annual Pay-Out: 50% of total raised during the 2017-2018 season for the Men's High Single and Ladies' High Single (amount calculated based on entries for Men and Ladies done separately).

Here's how it will work:

1. Each Master Bowler (Tournament, Teaching or Senior) will be allowed the opportunity to pay \$20.00 to enter the perfect game pool during the 2017-2018 season.
2. The perfect game entry will be accepted anytime during the 2017-2018 season and will cover the entrant for any perfect games and high singles bowled from the date the entry is received by the MBOA office or Tournament Staff until someone bowls a perfect game or the end of the current season.
3. The "**Perfect Game Pool**" will cover any sanctioned perfect games bowled during any MBOA tournament event. This will include the following:
  - a. Tournament Division: All games bowled during all compulsory tournaments including zone and provincial roll-offs for the Fall Master Youth and Spring Master Youth events (if applicable). This will not include CLUB TOUR Events for this season.
  - b. Teaching Division: All games bowled during all compulsory tournaments, all optional tournaments, all zone and provincial roll-offs for the Fall Master Youth and Spring Master Youth events.

- c. Seniors Division: All games bowled during the senior events, and Fall Master Youth and Spring Master Youth events (if applicable).
  - d. Optional Open events like the Henry Fehr Memorial Doubles, MBAO Ontario Special Olympics Events.
4. The prize pool (consisting of the 20% Carry-Over and 50% Pay-Out) will be available to anyone (male or female) who bowls a perfect game, at any time, during MBAO events in the 2017-2018 bowling season. If a perfect game is bowled, the bowler will receive the appropriate value in the pool on that date. Naturally, if more than one 450 game is bowled during the same event, the pot will be split amongst those bowlers.
  5. Once a perfect game is bowled, all members will be then notified and given the chance to re-enter the pool at the next event for another \$20.00 to start the prize pool over again.
  6. If a perfect game is not bowled, 50% (fifty percent) of the pool will be split among the male and female entries for the men's high single and ladies' high single and 20% (twenty percent) of the money contributed during the 2017-2018 bowling season will be carried over to the following year's pool.

**Example**

Here is an example of the perfect game pool:

100 MBAO Members @ \$20.00 =		\$ 2,000.00
MBAO Share (30%) =	less	\$ 600.00
Perfect Game Carry-Over (20%)	less	<u>\$ 400.00</u>
Total 2017-2018 Pay-Out (50%) =		\$ 1,000.00

**Any or all perfect game(s) would win or share \$1,000.00**

If a perfect game is not bowled, let's assume our 100 entries are 65 men and 35 women.

**Men's High Single**

100 Total Entries of which 65 were male entries (65%)  
 Pay-Out would be 65% of \$1,000 = \$650.00

## Ladies' High Single

100 Total Entries of which 35 were female entries (35%)  
Pay-Out would be 35% of \$1,000 = \$350.00

As you can see, if a perfect game is not bowled, a carry-over of \$400.00 would be added to next year's Perfect Game Pool.

7. The high single (male and female) will be on a scratch basis only. Therefore, in MBAO events that use a pins-over-average format we will use the scratch scores for the male/female high single.
8. The perfect game must be a **"SANCTIONED"** perfect game. The criteria for a sanctioned perfect game is as follows:
  - a. The game must be rolled in a sanctioned MBAO event.
  - b. The Master Bowler must be a member in good standing with the O5PBA for the current bowling season. The member must have purchased an O5PBA membership card prior to rolling the perfect game.
  - c. All C5PBA rules must be followed.
  - d. The lanes must be certified in accordance with O5PBA certification policy.
  - e. The game must be reported through the local association to the O5PBA within 48 hours.
9. All pool money will be distributed to the winners prior to the end of MBAO fiscal year (July 31<sup>st</sup>). This will allow for a verification of all scores bowled by paid entries prior to this date.

## Master Bowlers Association of Ontario

### MBA High Singles 2016-2017

<b>Men</b>			
<u>Event</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>450 Pool Eligible</u>
Fall Master Youth Zones	Jason Davidson-Thoms	410	Y
October Club Tour	Martin Talbot	405	N
Teaching Year End	Austin Toll	401	N
Dorothy Walker Event	Matt Houston	394	Y
Fall Classic	Nathan Cooper	390	Y
January Club Tour	Brad Rowland	386	Y
New Years Classic	Bobby Torraville	385	Y
October Club Tour	Jeff Young	381	N
January Club Tour	John Conti	380	Y
January Club Tour	Matt Coad	378	Y
Fall Master Youth Zones	Mitch Pape	377	N
Mid Winter Blues	Frank Ladouceur	375	N
January Club Tour	Brian Sillett	372	N
Fall Classic	Iain MacLean	371	Y
Teaching Year End	Bernie McMillan	371	Y
Western Classic	Thomas Scott	370	Y

<b>Ladies</b>			
<u>Event</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>450 Pool Eligible</u>
Dorothy Walker Event	Charlotte Warrander	399	Y
Dorothy Walker Event	Lindsay Laporte	376	N
Western Classic	Kim Sarino	365	Y
New Years Classic	Kelly Laporte	363	Y
October Club Tour	Tracey Ormiston	358	Y
Fall Master Youth Zones	Kristi Lampman	345	N
October Club Tour	Tracy Smith	342	Y
Central Classic	Nicole Spruyt	341	N
October Club Tour	Katelyn Ayoub	340	Y
Spring Master Youth	Melissa Llewellyn	338	Y
Seniors Event 2	Jen Donovan	336	N
Eastern Classic	Marie-Pascale Croteau	333	N
Eastern Classic	Kendra Hole	331	Y
Spring Master Youth	Amber Hughes	325	N
Fall Classic	Sarah Gorman	324	N
Mid Winter Blues	Kim Cronier	324	N
Teaching Year End	Vicky Robins	324	N

### YBC Rookie High Scores

New Years Classic	Matthew Holmes	364
Central Classic	Hunter Cameron	326
Eastern Classic	Wesley Warren	326
Eastern Classic	Patrick Rutherford	324
Mid Winter Blues Provincials	Talen McGraw	319
New Years Classic	Gabriel Croteau	318
Mid Winter Blues	Cameron Crawford	318
Central Classic	Jarrett Couchman	314
Western Classic	Jarrett Couchman	309
Central Classic	Matthew Robins	309

Central Classic	Brianna Iannandrea	358
Central Classic	Theresa Coombs-Ronaldson	343
Eastern Classic	Rachel Horan	335
Central Classic	Heather Andersen	329
New Years Classic	Lindsay Lloyd	327
Mid Winter Blues	Hailey McIntyre	325
Mid Winter Blues	Faith Iannandrea	321
Eastern Classic	Erica Chenton	316
Mid Winter Blues	Alilcia Hawkins	304
Mid Winter Blues	Riley MacDonald	303



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## 2017-2018 PERFECT GAME POOL

**PERFECT GAME POOL starts this season with \$1,656.00**

ZONE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

FULL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

MALE

FEMALE

I am currently bowling in the:

TOURNAMENT DIVISION

TEACHING DIVISION

SENIORS DIVISION

### **PLEASE NOTE:**

The perfect game entry will be accepted anytime during the 2017-2018 season and will cover the entrant for any perfect games and high singles bowled from the date the entry is received by MBAO office until a perfect game is achieved or the end of the season, whichever comes first.

Enclosed is my entry @ \$20.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

For MBAO Office Use Only:

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Entered: \_\_\_\_\_

# **MASTER BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION OF ONTARIO**

## **The 27<sup>th</sup> Annual MBAO / SPECIAL OLYMPICS ONTARIO** **INVITATIONAL DOUBLES**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**8:30 a.m. (Registration) and 9:00 a.m. (Start)**

**SHERWOOD CENTRE**

1095 Fennell Avenue East

Hamilton, Ontario, L8T 1S1

(905) 383-7641

**Entries should be received by March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018**

**ENTRY FEE: \$75.00 PER PERSON** (\$22.13 Lineage/Admin, \$50.00 Prize Money, \$2.88 HST)

**ZONE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **BOWLING CENTRE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**MASTER BOWLER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Payment Enclosed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Charge to VISA:**       **Charge to Mastercard:**       **Charge to Amex:**

**Credit Card Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Exp.** \_\_\_\_\_

**Will Pay at Event**

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*FORMAT: Seventy-Two (72) teams (doubles) will bowl a four (4) game qualifying round. Teams will be listed in two formats, one with the Master Bowler bowling scratch and the Special Olympian bowling pins-over-average (POA), and the second listing teams on a POA basis only. Following the qualifying round, the top twenty (20) teams receive prize money using the following method:*

- a. *The top ten (10) teams listed in the Scratch Format and the top ten (10) teams listed in the POA format. Teams can only cash in one of either POA or Scratch and will be awarded the highest standing position after the qualifying round. EXAMPLE, if a team qualifies 5<sup>th</sup> place on the Scratch Leader Board and 7<sup>th</sup> on the POA Leader Board the team will be awarded 5<sup>th</sup> place prize money for the Scratch side and will not qualify on the POA side. Teams that are in the same position on both leader boards will be awarded the Scratch side of the event.*
- b. *The top (2) teams on the Scratch Side and the top two (2) teams on the POA side will play a one (1) game match. Scratch Side will play the Scratch/POA format while the POA side will play the POA format. Winners will advance to a one (1) game final match using the POA format for all players.*