CANADIAN LAKEHEAD TENPIN BOWLING ASSOCIATION (CLTBA)

58th ANNUAL - CITY CHAMPIONSHIPS (Events are handicapped) SANCTIONED BY CTF Apr 13,14,16 & Apr 21, 2024

READ ALL RULES CAREFULLY (individual entrants are responsible to comply)

- 1. All members in good standing of the Canadian Lakehead Tenpin Bowling Association (herein referred to as "CLTBA") age 16 or older are eligible to enter this tournament.
- 2. The tournament shall consist of a four (4) person **Team Event**, a **Doubles Event**, and a **Singles Event**. Each event shall consist of three (3) games on the same pair of lanes. Bowlers will change lanes after each event. A maximum of eight (8) bowlers will be assigned per pair of lanes. Unless otherwise clearly indicated, every event shall be completed on a handicap basis and final positions determined by descending total. In addition, the **CLTBA** offers an optional **All-Events** (combined 9 game total for all 3 events).

3. ENTERING AND RE-ENTERING TOURNAMENT

All entries shall be submitted by the deadline for each shift. The Apr 13,14 & 16 shifts must be submitted by midnight on Thursday, Apr 11/24. The Apr 21/24 shift must be submitted by midnight on Thursday, Apr 18/24. A fully completed entry form and applicable entry fees must be submitted to desk personnel at Mario's Bowl or submission to a tournament official. Re-entries will be accepted up to ½ hour prior to shift starting time. ***New entries may be accepted on the same day only to fill vacant spots on the lane draw. No new lanes will be added to accommodate new entries in this situation***

OPTIONAL ALL-EVENTS:

The first set of scores from the Singles, Doubles and Team events will be used for the bowlers All-Events score only (No re-entries). **Bowlers must enter the All-Events prior to competing in their first event.**

- 4. All prize money will be returned 100% at a prize ratio of at least 1:5 in each event. If there is a tie for any cashing position(s), the money will be split evenly between the tied positions. You may cash only once in the Singles and only once in Doubles and Team events with the same team. In order to cash twice in the Doubles, you must change partners, in the Teams you must change at least 2 players.
- 5. Averages (see rule 10 Entering Average) will be handicapped at 90% of the difference between entering average and 235. The All-Events champion will have their name inscribed on the "PETER FUCHEK MEMORIAL PLAQUE". The bowler with the highest All-Events Scratch score will have their name inscribed on the "GEORGE DRABEK MEMORIAL PLAQUE".
- 6. All substitutions must be reported to the tournament director at least 60 minutes prior to the start of the event.
- 7. No entry will be accepted unless all monies accompany the entry form. Cheques are to be made payable to "CANADIAN LAKEHEAD TENPIN BOWLING ASSOCIATION". There will be a \$50.00 charge on non-honored cheques.
- 8. Entry fee is \$35.00 per bowler per event the breakdown of cost is:

Lineage: \$14.60 + HST per bowler per event (approx. \$16.50)

Prize Fee: Remainder of entry fee (approx. \$18.50) per bowler per event

PLUS \$400 ADDED FROM CLTBA (\$160 to team, \$80 to doubles, \$40 to singles, \$40 to All-Events, \$40 to Hi Scratch All-Events winner & \$40 to Ladies Hi Hdcp All-Events if 5 ladies enter)

9. **CLTBA** will in addition run optional money events for pots, blocks, and brackets in each event **based on scratch scores**. Cost for each optional event will be: High Game Pots \$2 x 3 games = \$6, 3 game blocks \$3 per bowler, brackets \$3 each). Only those brackets that have eight individual bowlers paid will be competed. Incomplete brackets will have fees returned. Each bracket will pay two places (\$16 for first, \$8 for second). It is the responsibility of the bowler to ensure pot, block and bracket fees are paid to the tournament shift supervisor prior to the commencement of the shift. Pots will be based on event (i.e. all singles entries together will determine high games) and brackets will use individual shifts to determine winners.

10. ENTERING AVERAGE

Participants will use their highest sanctioned league average as of Apr 7, 2024, with a minimum of 21 games. If 21 games have not been bowled in the current season, then last season's final average will be used (minimum 21 games). If there is no average from the above criteria, then the bowler shall enter using an average of 200. It is the bowler's responsibility to verify their average, whether submitted by themselves or by others. Submitting an incorrect average may disqualify a participant. If a participant is disqualified, all entry fees, prize money, optional event money and any other prizes and/or awards shall be forfeited.

- 11. Payout will be within 14 days after the end of the tournament. Payouts will be at Mario's Bowl at a date and time posted by the association. (Association Program Manager shall post date and time on Association website 7 days prior to payout event www.tenpin.org/cltba.html). Those not in attendance at the scheduled payout will receive prizes/awards at a time when mutual availability is agreed to.
- 12. If for any reason there is a restriction on available lanes, the first paid entries will have first choice of the shift they bowl. All others will be rescheduled. Notice will be given to the team captain by Friday prior to the tournament.

13. SHIFT SCHEDULE

Singles Event

Saturday, Apr 13, 2024, at 3:00 PM Max 32 Bowlers

Sunday, Apr 21, 2024, at 4:00 PM

Doubles Event

Saturday, Apr 13, 2024, at 1:00 PM Max 16 teams

Sunday, Apr 21, 2024, at 2:00 PM

Team Event

Sunday, Apr 14, 2024, at 2:00 PM Tuesday, Apr 16, 2024, at 7:30 PM Max 12 Teams Sunday, Apr 21, 2024, at 7:00 PM THIS IS YOUR ASSOCIATION - PARTICPATE!

CLTBA President - Brian McLean 629-0885

CLTBA Program Manager - Curtis Laye 344-9644

CLTBA website - www.tenpin.org/cltba.html

EVENTS WILL BE BOWLED AT MARIO'S BOWL

14. Unless otherwise specified, all CTF rules are in effect. All questions and concerns will be directed to the tournament director(s) and his/her committee whose decision is final.