



Canadian Tenpin Federation. Inc.  
Fédération Canadienne des Dix-Quilles, Inc.

# ANNUAL MEETING

## June 8, 2025

### 9am PST

VIA: ZOOM



## AGENDA

Times are in PST.

8:30 am Check in

9 am Call to Order  
National Anthem

*We would like to acknowledge that we are on the traditional territory of the  
Semiahmoo First Nation the Kwantlen First Nation*

Moment of Silence – Ron Molinski

Roll Call of Board of Directors – Cathy Innes

**First Vote Allocation –**

President's Welcome & Opening Remarks – Elaine Yamron

Delegate Introduction – Elaine Yamron

Rules of Convention – Michelle Konkle

Minutes of November 2024 Annual Meeting – Elaine Yamron

President's Report – Elaine Yamron

Executive Director's Report – Cathy Innes

March 31, 2025, Financial Report – Cathy Innes

March 31, 2025, – March 31, 2025, Budget – Cathy Innes

Acts of the Board – Wanda Howard

Governance – Wanda Howard

Break if required

**Vote Allocation –**

### Committee Reports

Sanction Report – Anne Marie Cole

Rules Advisory Report – Dan Tereck

Lane Certification Report – Karl Born

Athletes Council Report – Valerie Bercier

High Performance Report – Jane Vetro

Youth Report – Elaine Yamron Achievement

Awards – Elaine Yamron

Tournaments - Cathy Innes

Cyc 2026 – Stan May

Break if needed

**Vote Allocation –**

Nominating/Elections – Dan Tereck

Outstanding Questions from Chat - Assigned to Chair

New Business

Old Business

Final Words – Elaine Yamron

Meeting Adjourns

A link will be open for the open forum for 1 hour

# RULES OF 2025 ANNUAL MEETING

The Canadian Tenpin Federation Board of Directors presents for your approval the following rules to govern the 2025 CTF Annual Meeting.

1. Robert's Rules of Order Revised shall govern the procedure of this Annual Meeting, providing they do not conflict with CTF policy.
2. The delegation shall include Delegates, Life Members and members of the CTF Board.
3. Only registered delegates and guests will be permitted in the meeting.
4. At the time of logging in all participants must submit names, what association/federation they represent, and identify if they are a delegate or guest. ie: Cathy Innes – CTF – Delegate or Brian Black – VDTBA – Delegate. You can rename yourself once you have logged in.
5. Delegates and members wishing to ask questions may do so by submitting the question into a chat. All questions will be assigned to the appropriate board member or staff.
6. To expedite the business of the Annual Meeting, all delegates and guests will be muted and the chat will be used for questions.
7. Unless in an emergency, any delegate having to leave the zoom meeting during elections may not enter until polls are open for the next nominee.
8. Guests must be identified and registered and will not be permitted to vote.
9. Delegates may not vote on motions via telephone.
10. Exceptions to these rules may be made at the discretion of the President.

*Submitted by Canadian Tenpin Federation Board of Directors*

**CANADIAN TENPIN FEDERATION INC**  
**ANNUAL MEETING**  
**July 7, 2024**  
**Via ZOOM**

Delegates:

|                 |                      |                  |                     |
|-----------------|----------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Joanne Norton   | Foothills TBA        | Lauraine Fast    | Foothills TBA       |
| Stan May        | Lethbridge TBA       | Carmen Mack      | Lethbridge TBA      |
| Krista Hack     | Campbell River TBA   | Robert Rodgers   | Campbell River TBA  |
| Liza Wong       | Edmonton TBA         | Chris Westerberg | VDTBA               |
| Greg Panas      | Niagara TBA          | Peter Wight      | Manitoba TBA        |
| Ron Molinski    | Winnipeg TBA         | Doug Ross        | Winnipeg TBA        |
| Ryan Trussler   | London & Dist TBA    | Charlotte Konkle | Ontario TBA Greater |
| Douglas Critch  | Greater Toronto TBA  | Della Trude      | Toronto TBA         |
| Michael Berman  | London & Dist TBA    | Catherine Wilbur | Weckba              |
| Anne Marie Cole | South Central TBA    | Darren Alexander | Weckba              |
| Carla Bilyea    | Alberta TBA          | Brendon Rogers   | Alberta TBA         |
| Jordan Henwood  | Greater Kingston TBA | Brent Pinnell    | BC TBA              |

Directors:

|                 |                                |                 |                                |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| Elaine Yamron   | President                      | Wanda Howard    | 1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President |
| Jane Vetro      | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President | Patrick Beland  | Director                       |
| Jody Scott      | Director                       | Michelle Konkle | Director                       |
| Valerie Bercier | Director                       | Hirsch Schnayer | Director                       |
| Chris Moxley    | Director                       |                 |                                |

National Office (Non-Voting): Cathy Innes Executive Director

The meeting was called to order at 9:05am (PST) by the President followed by a Moment of Silence and the roll call of the Board of Directors.

Michelle Konkle presented the rules of the Zoom meeting for the Directors and the delegates.

First Vote Allocation: 23 delegates plus 8 directors = 31 voting members. Quorum is 16. Guests - no vote

The delegates and guests introduced themselves, with a Welcome from Elaine Yamron President

Michelle Konkle, Director, presented the Rules of Convention for the Annual Meeting of Members M/S/C to accept the Rules of Convention for the Annual Meeting of Members.

M/S/C to accept the Minutes for Annual Meeting 2023

Elaine Yamron, the President, presented the President's Report

Cathy Innes, Executive Director, presented the Executive Director's report.

Cathy Innes Audited Financial Statement  
M/S/C to approve the Auditor for the future year.

Cathy Innes provided information only for Safe Scholarship

Wanda Howard, 1st Vice President, presented the Acts of the Board for approval  
M/S/C to approve the Acts of the Board.

Break – 5 minutes

Second Vote Allocation: 23 delegates + 8 directors = 31 voting members. Quorum is 16.  
Guests - no vote

Anne Marie Cole, presented Tournament Sanctions Report

Dan Tereck, Regulatory Committee Member, presented the Equipment Specifications Report.

Karl Born, lane certification report from Karl Born was presented.

Jane Vetro, Director, presented the High-Performance report.

Elaine Yamron presented the Youth Report

Valerie Bercier, Director presented the Athletes Council Report

Elaine Yamron presented the Achievement Awards Report

Cathy Innes presented the Canadian Team Trials

Wanda Howard presented the Nominating Report

M/S/C to accept Elaine Yamron, Patrick Beland, Hirsch Schnayer to a 3-year term.

M/S/C to accept Karl Born to a 2-year term.

The meeting was adjourned 11:15am.

Open forum started after meeting was adjourned.

## PRESIDENTS REPORT

Good morning and welcome to our 2025 Canadian Tenpin Federation Annual Meeting. I would like to thank everyone who has made time to attend this year.

As mentioned at the last year's meeting, Winnipeg will be hosting the Canadian Championships June 19<sup>th</sup> thru to June 22<sup>nd</sup>. The Masters qualifying will once again be incorporated into this tournament.

Canadian Tenpin Federation continuing to work on the restructure. Our website has been revamped, making it easier for Associations Managers and Members gain access to any information they required.

I would like to thank the Board of Directors, all committee members for their hard work over this last year. A special thanks to our Executive Director Cathy Innes for her passion and hard work keeping us all on track throughout the process, changes had to be made and we are going to be a stronger organization for it. Changes and Development of programs are our future.

Respectfully submitted by:

*Elaine Yamron, President.*

## Executive Director Report

Welcome to all delegates and guests to our 2025 Annual Meeting.

During the meeting, all delegates and guests will be muted. For questions, please use the chat, as we will allocate them to the board member or committee chair best suited to answer. If a question cannot be answered, you will be emailed. If I don't get to you via chat, please text me at 604 785-7808.

League kits will be virtual again as we move into the future. July 15<sup>th</sup> is the latest day each local manager will receive their information. Please take advantage of this terrific way to share with your league secretaries and encourage them to share with all team captains or all bowlers in their leagues.

Awards will be ordered in August with expected delivery in October 2025. Please be on watch for the email request this summer concerning your award inventory. As usual in December, we order year-end awards, and those requests will begin in November 2025. We do use reports in ORS for ordering awards, so please keep up to date with this process.

National League Award information will be asked for in the month of June, so please send in your nominees asap.

Participant Stats have increased again, and as of today we have surpassed our pre-pandemic numbers and increased this past season. We need to find a way to encourage more females and girls into our sport as each year less are registering in our sport.

All National Tournaments have been scheduled for 2025,  
Canadian Team Trials – January 2026 – Windsor, Ontario  
Canadian Youth Championships – May 2026 – Calgary, Alberta  
Canadian Championships – June 2026 – Brampton, Ontario  
All results for 2025 are on the website: [www.tenpincanada.com](http://www.tenpincanada.com).

We have shared our strategic plan with you. It is one thing to write it down, now we must implement it. Let me reflect on our priorities.

Governance, Coaching Development, Youth Program Development, Membership Value, Education & Training for Associations, Championship Tournaments, High Performance Development Playing Rules.



Canadian Tenpin Federation went through an extension governance makeup change in this last fiscal year as mandated by the Canadian Governance Code of Canada and a requirement of Sport Canada. You have already seen some of the changes with the presentation of our new bylaws, policies and new website to share our changes in a clear organized manner.

SafeSport continues to be a high priority in all sports across Canada and even in the world. Every country is tackling this task differently. As a sport we started 2 years ago but now it is time not only for the National Board of Directors, Coaches, & Volunteers to be compliant, it is time for all our members – Provincial and Local Associations to be compliant.

Canadian Tenpin Federation continues to be fully compliant with Sport Canada requirements. As reported previously we have been working since 2021 to become an approved funded organization. Six weeks ago we were granted this approval. Because of all the changes to our government we have not seen the final amounts granted.

Benefits of belonging to CTF. Our rules continue to be on everyone's list of benefits with it being in the top two. Our awards continue to make top 5. It is interesting when we poll the bowler instead of the member or board member. We will be reaching out to the bowlers in the early fall with another survey and we are hoping to get some updated league lists, so we have current emails. When the survey is launched it will be shared with all of you.

At the time of submitting this report, I have actively been busy with Gender and Diversity meetings, SafeSport, Sport Canada and our Provincial Meetings. I will verbally update the members at the meeting.

My involvement with IBF has continued with zoom meetings and no travel. I am very honored to be on the IBF Competition Committee. Our Chair is Francois Lavoie as he represents the athletes, I represent the American Zone, and we have representatives from Asia, Oceania and Europe and are actively looking for a representative from the African Zone. We have submitted a comprehensive proposal concerning all of the World Competitions.

Change is happening in all sport! We either embrace it or sit back and fight it and get left behind. I have elected to embrace it and surround myself with like minded people that also want to bring our sport into the future.

Have a great Annual Meeting.

Respectfully submitted.

Cathy Innes



I can do things you  
cannot, you can do things  
I cannot; together we  
can do great things.

MOTHER TERESA

Southern Living

# Acts of the Board

April 1, 2024 – March 31, 2025

## **Board Meeting – April 2, 2024, via Zoom**

Board Meeting to review new governance procedures. Looking for volunteers for committees... All directors are to work on job descriptions.

No Motions, just a review and discussion.

Duration: 45 min

## **Board Meeting – June 17, 2024, via Zoom**

Review and Discussion of Bylaw Amendments: In addition to the discussion of the new bylaws, Wanda emphasized the need to adhere to bylaws to securing funding and highlighting the steps for approval and potential consequences.

Motion to Approve Bylaws. Carried.

Duration; 1 hour

## **Board Meeting – July 23, 2024, via Zoom**

President: Updates

Review of Audited Financial Reports

Sport Canada challenges to obtain core funding for the federation due to its status as a new non for-profit organization

Policy Updates and Compliance, Concussion, Anti-doping, Mandatory annual training for athlete's coaches and admin staff

Elaine: To follow up with board members concerning gender equity training.

Karl will coordinate with GTTBA for lane certification training

Chris will reach out to Doug to help for lane certification if needed

Michelle will coordinate an earlier meeting time if needed.

Karl Provided updates on upcoming training for lane certification in Kelowna, Windsor, Quebec City and Toronto.

Duration: 1.5 hour

## **Board of Directors Meeting – August 27, 2024, Via Zoom**

Sue Scherer from Sport Canada was our guest, she provided a comprehensive overview of the changes to the funding model for Sport Canada, emphasizing the shift to a one-step application process and the reduction in eligibility criteria. The new model allows organizations to apply for funding for up to four years, streamlines reporting requirements, and aligns funding with the objectives of the Government of Canada. The competitive nature of the process is highlighted, and the potential advantages and considerations of multi-year agreements are discussed, including the need for future planning and budget adjustments. Overall, the changes are expected to simplify the funding process for organizations involved with Sport Canada.

No Motions,

Duration: 1 hour

## **Board of Directors Meeting – October 23, 2024, Via Zoom**

Board Recruitment and Volunteer Challenges for local and provincial boards were discussed. How can we help as a National Board. Training, Communication, Restructuring in Regional Areas. Board meeting to discuss Annual Meeting procedures.

Workload and Staffing: Cathy and the board discussed the urgent need for additional staff or board support, especially for awards processing, ORS troubleshooting, and social media.

Awards and Deadlines: Delays in awards processing and communication were highlighted, with suggestions for stricter deadlines and possibly fines for late submissions. The importance of timely honour score processing was also discussed with no penalty to the bowler.

Strategic Planning and Compliance: The board emphasized the need for a focused, realistic 4-year plan prioritizing youth development and succession planning for Cathy's eventual retirement. Ongoing challenges with government-mandated changes, (Safe Sport, Gender Equity, Governance Code of Canada) were discussed and with concerns of the political environment and the impact on funding and compliance requirements.

Tournaments and Logistics: Updates were provided on National Tournament scheduling, lane certification in Quebec and transportation for upcoming events.

Bowler of the Year Criteria: Jane is revising the criteria and will circulate the proposed changes for board review and approval.

Duration: 2 hours

#### **Board of Directors Meeting – November 20, 2024, via Zoom**

Sport Canada Funding Application: Deadline December 11. Hirsch to review proposed budget and financial for submission.

Gender Equity Vision and Inclusion Policy: To be updated and up on new website for February 1, 2025

Lane Certification: Karl to conduct lane certification courses in Montreal and perhaps Winnipeg.

Coaching and Youth Development: Need to better market Canadian Coaching and credentials and make coaching pathways more accessible and appealing, especially for women.

Plans for targeted coaching clinics, leveraging both male and female role models and exploring grassroots initiatives and school partnerships. The youth development plan will be part of the funding application and built out over the next four years.

Website Refresh: Ongoing to be launched for February 1, 2025.

Duration: 45 min

#### **Board of Directors Meeting, January 29, 2025, via zoom**

Elaine deliberated the meeting with the discussion on the renewal of the Executive Director's contract.

The new contract included a cost-of-living adjustment, extended vacation time. Brief Discussion.

Motion to accept – Carried

Third Quarter Financials were discussed: Area of concern was the overdue invoices from locals and provincials. The postal strike was affecting some late payments as not all locals have switched over to e-transfer.

Duration: 1 hour

#### **Board of Directors Meeting, February 26, 2025**

Budget: Four-year projected budget completed and shared with the board, Audit to begin in early May, 2025

Special Projects:

Youth development pilot: launching a youth bowler program as a pilot, with future plans to introduce paid training for elite youth, modeled after other sports.

Gender and Diversity Initiatives: Starting a pilot for girls and young women, with plans for grassroots and leadership programs, national female coaches and a refreshed gender policy and website section by March 21, 2025

Coaching Program Overhaul: Plans to rebrand and expand coaching programs, aiming for more visibility and engagement and leveraging Canadian coaching talent.

Karl to prepare a template for our CTF bylaws.

Wanda to prepare updated Charters

No Motions

Durations: 1.5 hour

## CTF Email Votes, 2023-2024

### 2024-2025-1

Motion from Jane Vetro, seconded by Wanda Howard  
Recommended by Rules Committee

Rule 13, there is a Parental Consent form. That form has something that should no longer be there.

The phrase "and maintaining a minimum of two-thirds attendance in that league's schedule, otherwise his/her CTF youth eligibility may be in jeopardy" should be removed.

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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### 2024-2025-2

Motion from Jane Vetro, seconded by Chris Moxley  
Award Changes for Playing Rules,

Below are award changes from A location association that believes are restrictions are too limited as their bowlers want MORE awards and recognition.

#### **Single game score over 200, if average is 140 or less; (To qualify, see Rule 55c.)**

Suggestion: change the qualifying average to 160 or less from 140 or less.

The bowler needs to be at least 40 pins over their average.

#### **Single game score over 225, if average is 160 or less; (To qualify, see Rule 55c.)**

Suggestion: change the qualifying average to 180 or less from 160 or less.

The bowler needs to be at least 45 pins over their average.

#### **Single game score over 250, if average is 180 or less; (To qualify, see Rule 55c.)**

Suggestion: change the qualifying average to 200 or less from 180 or less.

The bowler needs to be at least 50 pins over their average.

#### **Three game series totaling 400 to 499, if average is 115 or less; (To qualify, see Rule 55c.)**

Suggestion: change the qualifying average to 120 or less from 115 or less.

The bowler needs to be at least 40 pins over their average.

#### **Three game series totaling 500 to 599, if average is 150 or less; (To qualify, see Rule 55c.)**

Leave at 150 or less

**Three game series totaling 600 to 699, if average is 170 or less; (To qualify, see Rule 55c.)**

Suggestion: change the qualifying average to 185 or less from 170 or less.

The bowler needs to be at least 45 pins over their average.

**Three game series totaling 700 to 749, if average is 199 or less;**

Suggestion: change the qualifying average to 209 or less from 199 or less.

The bowler needs to be at least 73 pins over their average.

**Clean Game, if average is 170 or less**

Suggestion: change the qualifying average to 190 or less from 170 or less.

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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**2024-2025-3**

Motion from Jane Vetro and seconded by Elaine Yamron

**To approve the selection of National Coaches for 2 year term. Recommended by Head Coach and approved by High Performance Committee**

Brent Pinnell - BC  
Richard Huzina - Alberta  
Robert Johnson - Ontario  
Sean Foster - Ontario

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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**2024-2025-4**

Motion from Jane Vetro and seconded by Michelle Konkle.

**To approve the selection of John Pearson to coaching staff for a 2-year period. Sean Foster declined the position of coach at this time.**

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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**2024-2025-5**

Motion from Jane Vetro, seconded by Wanda Howard

Motion to increase Provincial Entry Fee for Canadian Youth Championships to \$1000 per team which includes 8 players. The previous amount was \$800.

Due to the rising costs of lineage, busses, and awards, this increase is necessary. The motion originated from 2 Provincial Leaders. This increase would be effective for 2025 CYC.

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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**2024-2025-6**

Motion from Jane Vetro, seconded by Wanda Howard

Recommended by GTBBA and Approved by Lane Certification Committee

Motion to update the Lane Certification Fees charged by Local Associations to Bowling Centers. \$10 per lane with no maximum.

In areas where there are many large centers locals feel they need the option to charge per lane. The maximum fee is not fair. This change allows all locals to charge up to \$10 per lane.

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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**2024-2025-7**

Motion from Jane Vetro, seconded by Michelle Konkle

Recommended by Tournament Committee

Motion to accept the 2025 Canadian Team Trials Rules as submitted July 18, 2024 via email.

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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**2024-2025-8**

Motion from Jane Vetro, seconded by Elaine Yamron

Audited Financials Submitted by Alikova & Associates Inc.

Motion to accept audited financial statements as submitted and discussed at board meeting.

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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**2024-2025-9**

Motion from Elaine Yamron, seconded by Karl Born

The Hall of Fame Committee has approved this.

To approve the induction of Frank Buffa into the CTF Hall of Fame in Builder Category.

This induction will happen in Montreal, Quebec in 2025

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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## **2024-2025-10**

Motion from Elaine Yamron, seconded by Jane Vetro

The Hall of Fame Committee has approved this. To approve the induction of Ray Vervynck into the CTF Hall of Fame in the Athlete Category.

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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## **2024-2025-11**

Motion from Elaine Yamron, seconded by Wanda Howard

Move to give Provincial Associations an incentive to run a scholarship tournament(s) for youth in the season of 2024-2025. CTF will match up to 500 in scholarships monies for any tournament held before June 1, 2025

All monies will be kept in National Scholarship funds including Provincial's portion. Provincial may hold more than 1 event, but the maximum awarded will be 500.

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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## **2024-2025-12**

Motion from Jane Vetro and seconded by Elaine Yamron

To approve the Safe Policy as submitted via email for discussion.

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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## **2024-2025-13**

Motion from Michelle Konkle and seconded by Karl Born

Canadian Championship Committee has approved.

To approve the Canadian Championships Rules as submitted and edited in email.

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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## **2024-2025-14**

Motion from Jane Vetro and seconded by Elaine Yamron

This has been approved by the Hall of Fame Committee.

To approve the induction of Robin Orlikowski into CTF Hall of Fame under Athlete Category.

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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## **2024-2025-15**

Motion from Elaine Yamron and seconded by Karl Born

To approve National League Awards as submitted on social media and website.

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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## **2024-2025-16/17**

Motion from Karl Born and seconded by Wanda Howard

To Approve the following statement:

Whereas the Canadian Centre for Ethics in Sport is mandated to independently administer the Universal Code of Conduct to Prevent and Address Maltreatment in Sport (UCCMS) under the Canadian Safe Sport Program (CSSP) effective April 1, 2025; and



Whereas Canadian Tenpin Federation is a federally funded sport organization required to adopt the Canadian Safe Sport Program as a valid policy document incorporated into its rules; and  
Be it resolved that the Canadian Tenpin Federation formally accepts and adopts the Canadian Safe Sport Program.

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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#### **2024-2025-18**

Motion from Jane Vetro and seconded by Elaine Yamron to approve Junior 2024 Bowler of the Year recipients. Bowler of the Year Committee Approved.

#### **Junior Male – Bowler of the Year**

**Alexandre Gareau -Total Points 420**

**Jacob Imoo – Total points 195**

**Mathis Blanchette – Total points 70**

#### **Junior Female – Bowler of the Year**

**Mei Yen-Lachapelle – Total Points 365**

**Jade Cote – Total Points 280**

**Samantha Cirillo – Total Points 90**

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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#### **2024-2025-19**

Motion from Jane Vetro and seconded by Elaine Yamron to approve Senior 2024 Bowler of the Year recipients. Bowler of the Year Committee has approved.

**Michael Snow – Total Points 360**

**2nd Bowler – Jeff Heimbecker - 175 points**

**3rd Bowler – Luc Noel - 150 points**

#### **Senior Female – Bowler of the Year**

**Lana Mink – Total Points 435**

**2nd Kerrie Watson – Total Points 370**

**3rd Angie Merrick – Total Points 270**

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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#### **2024-2025-20**

Motion from Jane Vetro and seconded by Elaine Yamron to approve Adult 2024 Bowler of the Year recipients. Bowler of the Year Committee has approved.

**Adult Male – Bowler of the Year**

**Francois Lavoie – Total Points 900**

**2nd Bowler Graham Fach – Total Points 870**

**3rd Bowler – Mitch Hupe – Total Points 460**

**Adult Female – Bowler of the Year**

Jade Cote – Total Points 300

2nd Bowler – Felicia Wong – Total Points 265

3rd Bowler – Jennifer Besana – Total Points 265

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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## **2024-2025-21**

Motion from Jane Vetro and seconded by Elaine Yamron to approve NCCP Operations Manual effective April 1, 2025. Approved via Coach Development Committee and Coaching Association of Canada.

To review manual, please see email sent.

Carried by the Board of Directors.

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## 2022-2023 Tournament Sanction Report

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|----------------------------|-----|
| Total Number of Sanctions: | 111 |
| Moral:                     | 3   |
| Complete:                  | 110 |
| Incomplete:                | 8   |
| Cancelled:                 | 1   |
| Prize List Submitted:      | 103 |

## 2023-2024 Tournament Sanction Report

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|----------------------------|-----|
| Total Number of Sanctions: | 116 |
| Moral:                     | 1   |
| Complete:                  | 114 |
| Incomplete:                | 30  |
| Cancelled:                 | 2   |
| Prize List Submitted:      | 86  |

## 2024-2025 Tournament Sanction Report

*14-May-25*

|                            |    |
|----------------------------|----|
| Total Number of Sanctions: | 94 |
| Moral:                     | 1  |
| Complete:                  | 90 |
| Incomplete:                | 32 |
| Cancelled:                 | 0  |
| Prize List Submitted:      | 62 |

Respectfully Submitted,  
Anne-Marie Cole  
Tournament Services Director

# **Rules Advisory Committee Report**

**June, 2025**

**Submitted by Dan Tereck**

Hi once again everyone!

The Rules Advisory committee analyzes any suggested or proposed rule changes brought forward to CTF, and based on that analysis, makes recommendations to the Board. We are also responsible for an annual review of the Playing Rules, and Equipment Specifications.

A reminder: As CTF has a reciprocal average agreement with USBC, any rule changes that can affect a bowler's average must be the same in both USBC's and CTF's Playing Rules.

The committee completed a review of our current Playing Rules and have recommended a number of changes, most of them relatively minor (e.g. clarification of some rules). Two of the more significant changes were:

- The addition of some guidance for wheelchair bowlers
- Legal pinfall for String Pin environments: A pin knocked over by a string is considered legal pinfall.

At last year's Annual Meeting I mentioned that a "Frequently Asked Questions" document regarding CTF and USBC Youth Eligibility rules was being developed. There often is some confusion in regards to this, and the FAQ document was meant to help clarify things. You can find it on the CTF website - <https://tenpincanada.com/home/bowlers/youth-eligibility-faqs/>

Thank-you to the committee members for their involvement: Anne-Marie Cole, Doug Critch, Jody Scott, and Robert Trude.

## CTF Lane Certification Committee Report – June 8, 2025

Lane certifications for this year have continued, but not at the pace I would prefer. There are a number of centres that haven't been certified for 2024-2025 season. There are follow up emails being sent to association managers to find out the status of their centres.

We have also sent an email to the association managers who have centres that need to be inspected as their bi-annual inspection is due this year.

A situation with Toronto – where they had only one active inspector - has been dealt with and they are working diligently to get their inspections done. I have given them until September to inspect their houses. They still have some work to do, and I am encouraging the Association President to continue his hard work.

Lane inspections have been received from 24 centres (see table below).

| Province    | Passed | Pending | Total |
|-------------|--------|---------|-------|
| AB          | 1      |         | 1     |
| BC          | 4      |         | 4     |
| MB          | 2      |         | 2     |
| NB          | 1      |         | 1     |
| ON          | 11     | 1       | 12    |
| QC          | 4      |         | 4     |
| Grand Total | 23     | 1       | 24    |

CTF has been working with the provinces to get lane inspectors certified. Clinics are run from 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. where lane inspection is broken up into theory and practical. The theory concentrates on how lanes are constructed and the tools required along with the specifications. Practical includes participants actually measuring lanes, everyone using all the tools required to get a feel of what is involved.

In July, Kelowna held a clinic where we had 22 people participate to be certified. In August - Windsor, Essex, Chatham and Kent Bowling Association held a clinic and we were able to certify 12, in September we held the clinic for GTTBA for 8, and in November we did a clinic in Montreal for 10. Overall we have added 52 clinicians across the country.

All, in all it was a busy year. Thanks to the people involved in the organization of these clinics. I couldn't have done it without them.

Moving forward we have had interest from Alberta Tenpin Bowling Association to hold a clinic in Calgary, and a clinic may be held just prior to the Canadian Championships this June in Winnipeg.

Respectfully submitted,

Karl Born, Chair  
CTF Lane Inspection Committee

## HIGH PERFORMANCE

I would like to welcome all delegates, bowlers, guests and fellow board members to the virtual annual meeting.

Our coaching staff stayed the same for 2025. Tyrel Rose is the Head Coach with Brent Pinnell, John Pearson, Rich Huzina and Robert Johnson are the Assistant Coaches.

In 2024 our Junior Ladies Team finished 5<sup>th</sup> in the Team Event after being defeated in the tie breaker.

Our Adult team had 2 competitions. The Pan Am Championships in Reno, Nevada. The Men's Team won a Silver Medal in Team Event, 4<sup>th</sup> in Doubles, top 10 in Trios, top 10 in All Events. The Ladies Team top 10 in Doubles, top 10 in Trios, top 5 in Teams.

The second event was the Champion of Champions in Lima, Peru. The Ladies finished top 5 in Doubles, one in the top 10 in Singles and on in the top 10 in All Events. The Men won the Gold Medal in Doubles, a Silver Medal in Singles, and a Silver Medal and 4<sup>th</sup> place finish in All Events.

The Senior Team and Super Senior Team also competed in Reno, Nevada at the same time as the Adult Team. The Senior Ladies, Bronze Medal in Doubles, Silver Medal in Trios. The Super Senior Ladies, Silver Medal in Doubles. The Super Senior Mixed Team won a Bronze Medal.

Our Junior Team will be at the Junior Pan Am Championships in Guatemala City, Guatemala from August 8<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025. The coaches at the competition will be Tyrel Rose and Brent Pinnell.

Our Senior Team will be competing in Winnipeg where the top 4 Female and top 4 Male bowlers (Over 50 years of age) will make the team that goes to IBF World Championships In Reno, Nevada from October 13<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025. The coaches that will be attending the Championship are Tyrel Rose and Robert Johnson.

Our Adult Team will be attending the IBF World Championship in Hong Kong from November 22<sup>nd</sup> to December 6<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Tyrel Rose will be attending, and an Assistant has not been selected at this time.

For all the 2025 Team Canada Competitions as we get information on Live Streaming will post it on social media.

Thank you

Jane Vetro, High Performance Manager

## YOUTH REPORT

Good day everyone, I attended the Canadian Youth Championships in Quebec City this past May Long weekend. The event once again showcased our talented youth from across Canada. It should make all Provinces very proud of their organizations running youth leagues. I would like to thank the host Province, Bowling Centre and their staff for all their hard work to make this tournament the success it was.

The 2026 Canadian Youth Championships will be held in Calgary Alberta next May. I am sure our youth who made friendships this past May hope to rekindle next year at the tournament.

Once again thank you to the parents/guardians who come out each year to support the tournament, without their involvement our kids would not have the opportunity to participate in the best Canadian Youth Tournament.

To the proprietors who support our programme thank you, you play a big part in the development of our youth.

Respectfully submitted by:

Elaine Yamron Youth Director.

## **ACHIEVMENT AWARDS COMMITTEE REPORT**

Isabel Rioux was inducted into the Hall of Fame under the Athletes category at the 2025 Team Trials along with Frank Buffa inducted in builder category.

For 2026 we have 2 nominees who will be inducted at Canadian Championships in Brampton, Ontario. Under the athlete categories will be Robin Orlikowski and Ray Verynck.

This year Jayne Picott from Southern Ontario was awarded the Sherry Hobson Excellence Award for all the years she has contributed to tenpin bowling in Ontario.

### **BOWLER OF YEAR AWARD**

#### **2024 Youth**

Girls- Mei Yen-Lachapelle

Boys – Alexandre Gareau

#### **2024 Adult**

Female –Jade Cote

Male – Francois Lavoie

#### **2024 Seniors**

Female – Lana Mink

Male –Michael Snow

Submitted by:

Elaine Yamron Recognition Awards Chair



Canadian Tenpin Federation Annual Meeting  
2026 Canadian Youth Championships Report  
June 8, 2025

Alberta will be the host province for the 2026 Canadian Youth Championships in Calgary on May 14 thru 18, 2026.

Location: PowerPlay Entertainment  
South Centre Mall  
100 Anderson Road SE  
Calgary AB T2J 3V1

#### Funding

ATPA has been working with Tourism Calgary Convention & Visitor Bureau and has completed a Host Convention Agreement with CTF in the amount of \$8,500.00 to be used for hosting this event. Hosting funds will be available as of February 1, 2026.

In addition, ATPA applied for a hosting grant from the Bowling Federation of Alberta and has received the \$5,000.00 grant. These funds are being retained in the ATPA account and will be provided to CTF prior to the event.

#### Host Hotel

Courtyard Inn by Marriott, Calgary South  
3750 Market Street SE  
Calgary AB T3M 1M4

Standard and Deluxe Guest Rooms have been blocked at \$179.00 per night with a maximum of 10 rooms available for each province. A flyer will be available to each province to make reservations monitored by the host committee and the hotel manager.

#### Transportation

Buses have been booked with First Student for pickup at the hotel and drop off at the bowling centre and for the return trip for the practice session and the 3 days of events. 3 buses will be available, 2 for athletes and 1 for parents or guests. Arrangements for pickup at the airport and return to the airport have not been determined at this time.

#### Submitted by:

Stan May – ATPA Tournament Director

## **Nominating Committee Report – May, 2025**

### **Chair - Dan Tereck**

Hi everyone! As the new Acting Chair of this committee, you will see and hear me at our Annual Meeting as I will be running our Director elections. At the time of creating this report, I do not know if I have all of the applications for the position of CTF Director. However, the applications for the ones I DO have are summarized in the following pages.

As a word of warning, just like a number of other areas of CTF Governance, the Nominating Committee functions will be expanding somewhat in the future, in order to comply with Sport Canada guidance and recommendations. There will be a greater focus on not only attracting more Director applications from our tenpin community, but also on ensuring that we find people who have the various skills that are needed for a well-functioning Board.

If you, or someone you know, is interested in applying for a role in CTF, whether it be as a Director, or as a Committee member, please see the application form on CTF's website. Here is the link: <https://tenpincanada.com/home/ctf/annual-meeting/>

The 3-year terms of three Directors are ending this year. They are Wanda Howard, Michelle Konkle, and Jody Scott. All have submitted their applications for re-election.

Respectfully,

Dan Tereck

**Wanda Howard**  
**Winnipeg, MB**

**Experience**

**Bowling Organizations**

- Director – Manitoba Bowling Association – 5 years
- Director – Manitoba Tenpin Federation – 20 years
- Director – Winnipeg Tenpin Bowling Association – 20 years
- President – Winnipeg Tenpin Bowling Association – 17 years
- Tournament Director – Winnipeg Bowling Association – 19 years
- Director – Canadian Tenpin Federation – 9 years
- President – Lav II Bowling League – 5 years

**Non-Bowling Organizations**

- Manitoba Government Employees Union – throughout the past 26 years have held positions of Member-at-Large and Steward, and was the Vice President of my local for 9 years
- Citizens on Patrol Program – Volunteer (5 years); Coordinator – 3 years
- Ralph Brown Community Club – Vice President (5 years)
- Manitoba Gymnastics Association – Board Member (6 years)
- Flairs Gymnastics Association – Board Member & Bingo Coordinator (6 years)

**Skills/Qualifications/Experience**

- Extensive computer skills, with such programs as Excel, Word, PowerPoint, Outlook, Access, SharePoint, Power BI
- Accounting
- Project Management
- Analytical
- Team Building
- Conflict Mediation
- Writing and Communication
- Organized

Having recently retired after over three decades of dedicated service with the provincial government, I bring a wealth of experience in contract administration, business and software training, project management, and business analysis. Throughout my career, I honed the abilities to thoroughly analyze situations, comprehend complex information, meticulously document findings, and provide insightful recommendations that led to tangible improvements across various governmental sectors. These same skills, cultivated over years of professional practice, are readily transferable and can be leveraged to support the continued growth and advancement of the sport of bowling that we all cherish.

I love bowling and recognize it as a lifelong sport and would like to be involved in obtaining and retaining bowlers and helping our sport grow.

**Michelle Konkle**  
**Campbell River, BC**

**Experience**

Bowling Organizations

- Vice-President – BC Tenpin Federation – 6 years
- Director, Tournament Manager, Treasurer – Campbell River & District Bowling Association – 7 years
- Director – Canadian Tenpin Federation - 3 years
- President, Secretary – Various local bowling leagues – 5-8 years

Non-Bowling Organizations

- BC Career College Association – Provincial Board Member – 4 years

I have been a member of CTF's Board for the past 3 years and am the current Vice President on the BC Tenpin Federation and the Treasurer of my local bowling association. I currently bowls in three leagues and attend as many tournaments as I can, domestically and internationally. I am Safe Sport certified and have been a support with the CTF coaching certification program as well as Safe Sport.

I have more than ten years experience on various boards, in executive and non-executive roles and more than 28 years of management experience including being a certified Project Management Professional (PMP) which includes Management, Accounting, Computer Skills and Sales/Marketing. I am also an entrepreneur, and am currently self-employed with a more flexible schedule, which I feel can be an asset to the CTF Board.

I believe that I can continue to benefit CTF with the following qualifications: Teamwork, leadership, coaching/mentoring, marketing and promotion, grant writing and funding procurement, and Project Management. I want to continue to support our sport and work towards growing tenpin bowling locally, nationally, and internationally.

**Jody Scott**  
**Dauphin, MB**

**Experience**

**Bowling Organizations**

- Director & Executive Director – Dauphin Tenpin Bowling Association – 2004 to Present
- President, Vice-President, Secretary – Several Leagues from 2000 to Present
- Director – Manitoba Tenpin Federation – 2004-2012, 2024 to Present
- Director – Canadian Tenpin Federation – 2019 to Present

**Non-Bowling Organizations**

- Church Youth Camp Leader – 1990 to Present
- Church Youth Leader – 1993 to 2010

**Skills/Qualifications/Experience**

- Own/Operate two businesses:
  - Scott Express Courier
  - Sports Card Memorabilia Company
- Have taken and studied a number of Marketing courses
- Hard-working
- Willing to get involved in any assigned tasks
- Pride myself on always finishing projects

I have plenty of experience on many bowling-related Boards, and being from a smaller community, I understand the struggles that can be encountered in their day-to-day operations.

I have enjoyed my 6 years as a CTF Director. I see exciting times ahead for CTF and hope I can assist in the future of this organization and sport.