Southern Ontario CYC Youth Qualifier

Sunday, January 17, 2027

Classic Bowl
3055 Dundas Street West
Mississauga, ON L5L 3R8
905-607-2695

Tournament Director
Jayne Picott
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ENTRY FEE: $105.00

ALL PRIZES ARE IN SCHOLARSHIP FORM

8 GOLD MEDALISTS WILL REPRESENT SOUTHERN ONTARIO AT THE CYC YOUTH NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS IN MAY

SANCTIONED BY THE CANADIAN TENPIN FEDERATION

Entry Deadline	
January 10, 2027	
Email Entries/E-Transfers	**Postal Entries/Cheques**
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Cheques/E-Transfers payable to ***Ontario CTF Youth Championship***

Entries received after the final deadline will only be accepted at the Tournament Director's discretion.

1. Per CTF Rule 300d, a youth bowler who bowls in a youth league or who bowls in a youth league and an adult league must have a minimum of 21 games in youth league either during the previous or current season to bowl in a CTF youth tournament.

2. This tournament is sanctioned by the Canadian Tenpin Federation.

3. Entry closing date is **January 10, 2027**. Entries received after close will only be accepted at the discretion of the Tournament Director.

4. Squad time is **Sunday, January 17, 2027** at **9:30 a.m.**.

5. Tournament location is **Classic Bowl, 3055 Dundas Street West, Mississauga, ON L5L 3R8.**

6. Divisions are based on the participants age as of August 1, 2026, with separate divisions for boys and girls.

Division	Age Range	Birthday Range
Bantam	11 and under	August 2, 2014 or later
Junior	12 to 14 years	August 2, 2011 – August 1, 2014
Intermediate	15 to 17 years	August 2, 2008 – August 1, 2011
Senior	18 to 21 years	August 2, 2004 – August 1, 2008

7. Entry fees will be as follows:

All Divisions	
Lineage	$37.57
Expenses	$2.00
Awards	$65.43
Total	**$105.00**

8. The qualifying will consist of six (6) games bowled, three (3) games on one pair, and then three (3) games on a different pair. The lanes are determined randomly upon entry and may not be changed.

9. This tournament is scratch – no handicaps are applied.

10. Award fees will be returned 100% to the youth bowlers.

    a. Winners will be determined by the total combined scratch scores for all six (6) games. The top three (3) boys and girls in each age division will be awarded gold, silver, and bronze medallions.

    b. The eight (8) Gold medal winners will be the Southern Ontario team at the next Canadian National Youth Championships in Calgary, Alberta.

    c. In the event of a tie for any of the medal positions, one complete game shall be bowled. Subsequent ties shall be broken in the same manner. If a bowler is not present for a roll-off within 15 minutes of when it is scheduled to start, they will forfeit their position.

    d. Scholarships will be awarded at a ratio of 1 in 5 entries per division.

11. Proper attire is required.

a. Mandatory dress code will be enforced, violation of which may result in disqualification.
   i. Boys: Dress pants or shorts and shirts with collars or official bowling shirts.
   ii. Girls: Skirts, skorts, or dress pants and shirts with collars or official bowling shirts.
   iii. All: No headgear of any type.
b. Tournament director reserves the right to disqualify any bowler not wearing suitable attire after reasonable opportunity to change has been given.

12. No electronic devices (headsets, phones, etc.) permitted to be used by participants while bowling in this event, except a phone used silently to record the bowler's own scores and statistics.

13. No participant may be photographed or recorded without their permission and, if under 18, that of their parent or guardian.

14. Entry information is used to verify eligibility, administer the tournament, award scholarships, and publish results on the tournament and OTBA websites. Published results show bowler name, division, scores, handicap, and standing; contact information, dates of birth, and addresses are never published. Entry information is not sold or provided to any other party. Submitting an entry constitutes consent to this use.

15. Athletes are not permitted to smoke, vape, or consume cannabis or alcoholic beverages while bowling in the tournament. Necessary prescription drugs must be cleared through a tournament official before competition starts. Infraction will result in immediate disqualification.

16. The bowlers' area is restricted to participants. Food and beverages are not permitted.

17. Competitors are expected to watch their scores. Any errors should immediately be brought to the lane runner's attention for resolution, deferring up to the Tournament Director if resolution cannot be made locally.

18. Poor sportsmanship, abusive language, or abuse of bowling equipment will not be tolerated at any time. Bowlers are expected to abide by the fundamental rules of good sportsmanship. All CTF rules will be adhered to, and any violation of the rules could result in immediate disqualification.

19. You must report immediately to a tournament official any unusual incident or medical problem.

20. Practice will be for a maximum of ten (10) minutes prior to the start of the shift. There will be no practice after the bowlers change lanes for the second set of three (3) games.

21. In the event of an injury to a competitor during competition, the Tournament Director shall decide if a short delay is warranted. A bowler unable to return to competition shall receive a score of zero (0) for the remaining frames.

22. Results and scholarship information will be posted on the Ontario Tenpin Bowling Association youth web page https://www.otba.ca/ivan-nelson-memorial.

23. All posted rules will be in effect. Rules not covered here will use CTF rules. Any situations not covered by the rules will be at the Tournament Director's discretion.

The above rules and guidelines are set to assist you in representing your province in an admirable way and to having an enjoyable, trouble-free event. Get as much rest as possible. Travel, activities, and the pressure of competitive bowling can affect your bowling.