

CHINESE CANADIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP 2014 NEWSLETTER

1. Eligibility:

- Open to all amateur Chinese descent* current members of USBC/CTF or any affiliated associations of USBC/CTF.
- *Chinese origin or first generation Chinese descent (at least one parent of Chinese origin).

2. Venue:

- Woodbridge Bowl - 181 Marycroft Avenue, Woodbridge, Ontario.

3. Date and time:

- Round 1 - 11 October, 2014 – Registration time: 12 – 12:30 pm
- Round 2 - 12 October, 2014 – Registration time: 12 – 12:30 pm

4. Classification:

- Master Division – scratch, no average limit.
- Open Division – scratch, average 205 and below
- Graded Division – scratch and handicap, average 190 and below

5. Entry fees (includes one dinner ticket, one 1st round double entry):

- Master - \$240, Open - \$210, Graded - \$180

6. No qualify rounds – All bowlers will bowl 2 days (Round 1 & 2)

Pre-registration - September 8 - 29, 2014

Max. 80 bowlers for the 3 divisions' total, including out of province bowlers.

(out of province bowlers must pay the entry fee or deposit to their team delegate for pre-registration)

For Ontario bowlers - Full entry fee to be paid by September 29, 2014.

7. Average:

- Highest average (minimum 21 games) of: 2012-13 Winter & 2013-14 Winter
- Highest 2014 Summer average (minimum 21 games) when the above is not available
- With no valid average, a bowler shall use 230 as average.

8. Handicap (Graded division)

- 70% of (190 minus average), maximum – men 35, ladies 45

9. Round 1

- Date : 11 October, 2014
- **Lane oil pattern – Beijing 35 ft**
- **For Both Master and Open Division:**
All bowlers will bowl a total of **7** games. Please see double round for more info.
All bowlers will advance to Round 2 (Day2).
- **Graded Division:**
All bowlers will enter both the scratch and handicap divisions. Please see double round for more info.
All bowlers will bowl a total of **6** games. All bowlers will advance to Round 2 (Day2).

10. Round 2

- Date : 12 October, 2014
- **Lane oil pattern – Mexico City 45 ft**
- **For Both Master and Open Division:**
All bowlers will bowl a total of **7** games. The top 3 bowlers with highest **14** games total pinfalls (Round 1 and Round 2) will advance to Stepladder.
Stepladder – 3rd position bowls against 2nd position, the winner will bowl against the top seed.

• **Graded Division:**

All bowlers will bowl a total of **6** games. The top 3 bowlers with highest total 12 games in the scratch and handicap divisions will advance to the stepladder final. Advanced bowlers will be lined up in the higher seeded division.

In case of the same bowler has the same stepladder position in both divisions, he/she must take the scratch position.

11. Double round: Handicap = 70% of (230 minus average), men max. 45, ladies max. 55.

- 1st double round, entry fee: FREE, random draw. The top 3 total scores with handicap of the first 3 games of Round 1 will cash.
- 2nd double round, entry fee \$10 per bowler. The top 3 total scores with handicap of the 4, 5 and 6 game of Round 1 will cash

12. Prizes – cash ratio is 1 in 5

For Master and Open based on 20 bowlers, Graded 24 bowlers, subject to change depends on entries

Position	Master	Open	Graded scratch	Graded Handicap
1	\$2,000 + trophy	\$1,500 + trophy	\$700 + trophy	\$700 + trophy
2	\$1,000	\$750	\$350	\$350
3	\$500	\$400	\$150	\$150
4	\$250	\$200		
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13. Tie Breakers

- Semi-final and final rounds - 2 frames roll-off, 9th and 10th frame.

13. Etiquettes

- One lane courtesy is observed.
- Non-CTF approved powder or materials are not allowed to use.
- Only competition participant is allowed in bowler's area.
- It is the responsibility of participants to verify their own scores, any discrepancy will lead to disqualification

14. Bowler's Attire

- No headgear, sleeveless shirt, track pants and jeans with holes. No shorts for men. Ladies may wear skirts, shorts or slacks

15. Bowling balls

- It is the bowler's responsibility to ensure that all bowling balls used during the tournament are verified legal under CTF/USBC specifications. Tournament committee reserves the right to examine the balls used by the participants. Use of an illegal ball will lead to disqualification and forfeiture of games, prizes and standings aside from any other penalties that may be imposed.
- Altering the surface of the bowling ball during a game is not allowed (i.e. only after completion/before commencement of each game), provided they are made at designated area and must not delay the bowler's and other's next turn.

16. CBC adjudication

- This is a non-sanctioned tournament. However, all CTF /USBC tournament rules will apply.
- CBC reserves the right to accept or refuse entry to this tournament.
- Any disputes will be settled by the CBC tournament committee.
- An appeal must be submitted in writing to CBC within 30 days after the tournament for CBC's final decision.

****All items are subject to change with notice.**

Pre-registration contacts will be announced in September.