



**THE NIAGARA TENPIN BOWLING ASSOCIATION  
PRESENTS  
OUR ANNUAL ASSOCIATION TOURNAMENT**

**SINGLES EVENT**

Saturday, March 2, 2024 @ 1 PM  
Fairview Lanes  
285 Geneva St, Catharines, ON

**TEAMS EVENT**

Saturday, March 23, 2024 @ 1 PM  
Cataract Lanes  
7906 Lundy's Lane, Niagara Falls, ON

**\$45 Entry Fee per Event - Optional All Events \$5 Entry Fee  
Handicap, Scratch, and Senior All Events Categories Available**

1 in 7 entries to cash, PLUS high scratch series per event to cash

Both events are a four game series

Brackets and side pots extra available at time of entry

**ENTRIES CLOSE 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO START TIME.  
LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.  
Lane availability is limited.**

Bowlers will be assigned lanes

**THIS TOURNAMENT IS OPEN TO ALL NTBA SANCTIONED BOWLERS.**

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## **NIAGARA TENPIN BOWLING ASSOCIATION TOURNAMENT RULES**

1. This is a CTF sanctioned tournament. All CTF rules will govern this tournament.
2. Open to all bowlers, 18 years of age and older who are members of the Niagara Tenpin Bowling Association for the 2023-2024 season.
3. Total entry fee must be remitted with entry form to have the entry accepted. No post dated cheques will be accepted. Returned cheques will be subject to prevailing bank service charge.
4. Bowlers arriving late for their assigned shift will start in the frame being bowled and zero shall be scored for each frame missed.
5. Entrants will use their HIGHEST 2022/2023 NTBA/CTF sanctioned average (Standard/Sport/Challenge) based on 21 games or more. If no NTBA/CTF sanctioned average is available, bowler must use their highest NTBA/CTF sanctioned average for the 2023/2024 season based on 21 games or more, as of March 1, 2023. Proof of average to be supplied by bowler submitting current average. All others will bowl scratch.
6. Handicap shall be 100% of the difference of the bowlers average and 230.
7. Bowlers shall bowl 4 games on the same pair of lanes.
8. It shall be the bowlers responsibility to verify their highest NTBA/CTF sanctioned average. Refer to rule 319a-3 for specific details.
9. CTF RULE 319a-2 - THE TEN PIN RULE and RULE 319-D & 319-E shall not apply.
10. Bowlers entering All-Events must indicate such on a completed entry form along with the additional fee of \$5 prior to bowling the singles event.
11. All prize money won will be paid to the team captain or the person who signed the entry form and must be distributed to all bowlers within 30 days of receiving the cheque.
12. No substitutions allowed during the game. Emergency cases will be decided by the tournament director.
13. Team captains or their representatives must report to the tournament office 30 prior to squad time for registration and report any changes to their line up.
14. All protests/complaints must be in writing to the Tournament Director within 72 hours.
15. Prize Ratio; All prize money returned 100%. Handicap scores = At least 1 in 7 to cash in singles and doubles. First place high scratch will receive \$45.00 in singles portion of the tournament and \$45.00 per team member for the teams portion of the tournament. Scratch and handicap prize fund determined by the number of entries received in each category.