

Entry Rules

1. Entry is open to all youth CTF bowlers bowling in sanctioned youth leagues in BC.
2. Entry Fee paid on or before February 7, 2026: Bantams \$75 - Lineage: \$39, Expenses: \$36 All Other Divisions \$90 – Lineage \$52, Expenses \$38
Entry Fee paid from February 8 to 17, 2026: Bantams \$85 - Lineage: \$39, Expenses: \$46 All other Divisions \$100 – Lineage \$52, Expenses \$48
3. **Bowlers must have bowled in at 21 games of the league up to and including February 21, 2026.** *League standings as of February 22nd must be forwarded to the tournament manager.*
4. Education exemption: Any bowler who is unable to bowl in a CTF-Youth sanctioned league within B.C., due to education reasons, and who bowled in the most recent CTF Provincial Qualifying Tournament, will be allowed to enter into the provincial tournament. Such bowlers must be members in good standing of CTF and BCTF.
5. **Divisions for Scratch:** Age as of August 1, 2025 8 total divisions: 4 boys and 4 girls
Bantam - 11 and under Junior - 12 through 14
Intermediate - 15 through 17 Senior - 18 through 21
6. Bowlers may not enter the Provincial Qualifying Tournament if they have already attempted to qualify from another province.
7. No Refunds once entry fee is received. Refunds may be considered on an individual basis due to extenuating circumstances at the discretion of the BC Tenpin Federation board of directors.

Provincial Finals Rules

1. This tournament will be sanctioned by CTF. All CTF eligibility rules apply.
All bowling balls are subject to inspection. CTF Rules from Chapter VII CTF Equipment Specifications (pages 66 and 67) <https://tenpinCanada.com/home/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/2023-2024-Playing-Rules-Rev20231017.pdf>
2. This is a singles tournament using scratch scores to determine team BC members. (In eight divisions)
3. Bantams will bowl six (6) games. All other divisions will bowl eight (8) games.
4. One gold, silver, and bronze medal will be awarded in each division (twenty-four total). In the event of a tie for silver or bronze medal position, duplicate medals will be awarded. Gold medal ties will be broken by a one game roll-off. The Bowler with the highest single game will call the coin flip. Any subsequent ties will be one game rollofs.
5. If a qualifier bowls in the wrong division, he/she will be disqualified.
6. Bowlers must wear suitable, clean and neat, attire throughout the tournament and awards presentation. Acceptable attire is limited to: Dress pants or jeans of appropriate size, dress shorts, skorts and capris, bowling shirts. Dress shorts/skirts/skorts must not exceed three inches above the knee. Shirts must have sleeves, be able to be tucked in and have no obscene words or pictures. No bare midriffs. Clothing may not be ripped or cut. No hats. The tournament manager reserves the right to disqualify any bowler not wearing suitable attire after reasonable opportunity to change has been given.
7. Foul language or gestures will not be tolerated. Bowlers not abiding by this rule will be subject to disqualification with no refunds.
8. Tardy bowlers will receive zero for all frames missed.
9. No substitute will be permitted once competition has started.
10. Registrants authorize BCTF to take photographs at this event for purposes including, but not limited to; website media, newsletter publications and promotional use
11. Protests must be filed, in writing, within 30 minutes of the tournament completion.
12. The Tournament Manager will have full responsibility for appointing all tournament officials.
13. The use of flash cameras and any electronic device is not permitted while on the lanes during competition.

Provincial Champions Notes for National Championships

1. The eight provincial gold medalists will represent B.C. at the Canadian Tenpin Federation Youth Championships in Calgary, AB May 14 to May 17, 2026. Travel days are May 13th and May 18th.
2. All members **MUST** participate in the training camp (TBA). Failure to do so may result in the runner-up advancing.
3. **Bowlers will be required to pay their own expenses to the national championships (and any international championships, if applicable). Including airfare, hotels and meals not provided by the tournament.**
4. **Bowlers must stay in the host hotel with a parent(s) or other approved chaperone.**
5. Each champion may be levied a \$400 charge to defray the cost of uniforms and tournament entry fee for the CYC's.
6. Team members must have black pants for all official functions.
7. Full Rules are available on the CTF Website. tenpinCanada.com

Tournament Date: February 28 and March 1, 2026

Registration Time: 9:15 – 9:45am Practice: 9:50am Shift Time: 10:00am

Provincial Final: Langford Lanes 1097 Langford Pkwy, Victoria, BC V9B 0A5