

CALGARY 5 PIN BOWLERS' ASSOCIATION



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Youth Bowling Code of Conduct For: Parents, Guardians, and Spectators

The Calgary 5 Pin Bowlers' Association (Calgary 5 Pin) has developed the Youth Bowling Code of Conduct for Parents, Guardians, and Spectators to serve as a reminder that parents, guardians, and spectators serve as role models for our youth bowlers.

We greatly appreciate your support for our youth bowlers. By attending a Calgary 5 Pin Youth Bowling event, you hereby agree to all of the following points and their intentions.

Failure to adhere to any of these points will result in disciplinary action, outlined at the end of this document.

General Respect

- At all times, I will exemplify the highest standards of sportsmanship, showing respect for all participants, tournament officials, and fellow spectators. I understand and accept my responsibility to be a model of good sportsmanship.
- At all times, I will ensure that my child treats all participants, tournament officials, and spectators with respect.

Respect Towards Participants

- I will provide support and encouragement towards all participants, regardless of ability.
- I will place the emotional and physical well-being of my child and all participants ahead of my personal agenda or desire to win.
- I understand that emotional and physical abuse of participants will not be tolerated. Any language or actions with intent to hurt, intimidate, or humiliate any participant will be considered harassment.

Respect Towards Judges of Play

- I will accept the decisions of the Judges of Play.
- I understand that Judges of Play are volunteers and are making decisions to the best of their ability. I will not complain about calls made by the Judges of Play.

DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS

Failure to adhere to the Youth Bowling Code of Conduct for Parents, Guardians, and Spectators will result in the following actions:

- 1st Offence: Verbal warning by tournament chairperson or Calgary 5 Pin board member
- 2nd Offence: Parent/Guardian/Spectator removed from event
- 3rd Offence: Parent/Guardian/Spectator suspended from all Calgary 5 Pin Youth Bowling events for 12 months
- 4th Offence: Parent/Guardian/Spectator banned from all future Calgary 5 Pin Youth Bowling events

NOTE: All disciplinary actions will be documented by Calgary 5 Pin. Any offence committed will carry-forward to all future Calgary 5 Pin Youth bowling events.