

# Official MBO Dress Code

The MBO Official dress code for all MBO Tournament events during the current season will be as follows:

**BOTTOMS - APPLICABLE FOR ALL MASTERS:** “BLACK” pants/dress shorts (for men) and “BLACK” pants/dress skirts/dress skorts/dress shorts/dress capris (for women). “BLACK” dress shorts will be permitted at all MBO events providing they are “golf length”. Cotton pants/skirts/shorts/capris will be permitted provided they are not faded, have no rips, tears, or studs on them and have no slits up the side of them. Joggers, jeans, sweatpants, cargo pants, or bike/exercise shorts are prohibited. No pants/slacks/skirts/shorts/capris with external pockets on the sides will be accepted. Pants cannot have any sheer material.

**SHIRT - ALL MASTERS AND EVENTS:** All Master Bowlers will wear a MBO, or an MBAC National shirt from another Province, logoed golf shirt (including long sleeve version). National souvenir shirts are not approved attire. The Master Bowlers’ Provincial Logo must always be visible on the approach.

**SHIRT – AFFILIATED MASTERS:** All Affiliated Masters may continue to wear and order shirts with their name and affiliated bowling centre on the sleeve. This is no longer a requirement due to changing circumstances with Bowling Centres

**SUBLIMATION SHIRT CRITERIA:** Bradson Promotional Group Inc. (Mark Johnstone), has been selected as our exclusive supplier for sublimation shirts, located in Edmonton, Alberta. Shirt sizes available in both Men and Women sizes XS to 7XL. Tall or long shirts available upon request.

## Approval Required:

- All shirts must be approved by the MBO Membership Committee based on the criteria we are recommending below
- Bradson Promotional Group Inc – Logo release - \$15.00 per shirt payable to the MBO upon approval of the shirt. Once payment is received, the MBO will send a letter of approval to Mark Johnstone, allowing our logo to be printed on the shirt.

## Criteria:

- MBO Swoosh logo must appear on front left breast.
- Sponsor logos on the left sleeve - ONLY
- No trademarked logos or themes allowed.
- Lettering on back of shirt: Standard printing or script no smaller than two (2) inches and not larger than three (3) inches.
- Lettering on sleeve to be an appropriate size based on the shirt size being ordered as determined by Bradson Promotional Group during production of the sample.
- Sport visuals can **ONLY** be related to 5-Pin bowling. Pins and Balls **MUST** be 5 Pin (i.e., 10-Pin, Duckpin or Candlepin will **NOT** be permitted.)
- Generic designs acceptable provided no profanity, offensive gestures, political or country representation.

**SHIRTS FOR APPROVAL (NOT PURCHASED THROUGH OUR SUPPLIERS):** Should a member have a golf shirt they would like to have made into an MBAO shirt:

**Approval Required:**

- Shirt to be brought to an event or the office
- Approval will be required by the Membership Committee
- Logo: Upon approval a \$25.00 per shirt embroidery charge will be required. Once payment is received, the shirt will be sent to our embroiderer and returned to the Member upon completion.

**Criteria:**

- MBAO Swoosh logo must appear on front left breast.
- Sponsor logos on the left sleeve - ONLY
- No trademarked logos or themes allowed.
- Lettering on back of shirt: Standard printing or script no smaller than two (2) inches and not larger than three (3) inches.
- Lettering on sleeve to be an appropriate size based on the shirt size being ordered as determined by the embroiderer during stitching process.
- Sport visuals can **ONLY** be related to 5-Pin bowling. Pins and Balls **MUST** be 5 Pin (i.e., 10-Pin, Duckpin or Candlepin will **NOT** be permitted.)
- Generic designs acceptable provided no profanity, offensive gestures, political or country representation.

**HEAD WEAR / ELECTRONIC DEVICES:** Members are not allowed to wear headphones of any kind for cellphones, iPods, or other electronic entertainment devices on the approach during any MBAO event. Medical devices such as hearing aids are allowed. Hats or other headwear, excluding those for religious or medical purposes are not permitted to be worn.

**PERSONAL SAFETY:** Members will be permitted to wear Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) during MBAO events. In some cases, depending on public health and the host bowling centre, masks may be mandatory. Masks may not have any derogatory logo's, sayings, or statements. Players are reminded that anything falling from their person during the delivery of a ball that crosses the foul line is **NOT** considered a foul under Canadian 5 Pin Bowlers Association (C5PBA) rules.

**Any Master Bowler not in uniform while participating in an MBAO event will be issued a written warning for the first occurrence. If the Master Bowler participates in another MBAO event and is not in uniform, a \$50 fine will be issued.**