

## 23rd Annual Scrabble Fundraising Tournament How to Participate

## **Registration and Donations:**

- 1. Support Thunder Bay literacy group by raising pledges and enter the 23rd Annual Scrabble® Virtual Fundraising Tournament **Thursday**, **February 4th Sunday**, **February 7th**, **2021**.
- 2. To register, visit <a href="www.tblg.org">www.tblg.org</a> and complete the <a href="Registration Form">Registration Form</a>, or call 475-7211 and leave a message with your name and number and we will get back to you.
- 3. Please pay your \$20 registration fee through our Canada Helps page
- 4. You can collect pledges through our <u>Canada Helps</u> page by having people pledge directly through our page, or set up your own Scrabble Fundraiser page that you can share with friends and family through social media or email. It's quick and easy to set up, and all you need to do to get started is sign up for a FREE Canada Helps account. You can find out how here: <a href="https://www.canadahelps.org/en/fundraise/">https://www.canadahelps.org/en/fundraise/</a>. If you collect cash or cheque donations, please email <a href="mailto:community@tblg.org">community@tblg.org</a> to coordinate pick up of the donations.

IMPORTANT: Due to COVID-19 we are encouraging all participants to collect donations online through our Canada Helps page. If you have any questions, please email <a href="mailto:community@tblg.org">community@tblg.org</a> or call 475-7211 with your name and a call-back number and we will happily return your call and answer any questions you may have.



## Game Play:

- Between Thursday, February 4th and Sunday, February 7th, 2021 participants will play two (2) Scrabble games. Games can be played on a virtual platform (app) such as Words with Friends or Scrabble Go, or with someone in your household. IMPORTANT: Due to COVID-19 in-person games can only be played with members within a household only.
- Record your scores for each game in the <u>Scrabble Score Form</u>. You must fill out a form for EACH of your two games, win or lose. If you have issues filling out the form, email <u>community@tblg.org</u> or call 475-7211 and leave a message with your name and callback number.
- 3. In order for your game to be counted, you must also submit a photo (or screenshot) of your game board. Email your photo to <a href="mailto:community@tblg.org">community@tblg.org</a>. The photo will be used to match your game with the Scrabble Score Form.
- 4. All games must be completed and scores & photos submitted by midnight EST on Sunday, February 7th, 2021
- 5. Award winners will be announced on social media (Facebook and Instagram) on Friday, February 12, 2021. Winners will also be notified by email and phone call.
- 6. Prizes will be awarded for high score, most pledges raised, and other categories.