

Club Events



THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, RESERVE THE RIGHT, AT THEIR DISCRETION, TO CHANGE, MODIFY, ADD, OR REMOVE PORTIONS OF THESE TERMS AT ANY TIME.

These conditions of play apply to any Social Bowls and Club Championship Event held at Windang Bowling Club.

CLUB EVENTS

- Minor Singles, Pairs, Triples, Fours.
- Major Minor Pairs.
- Senior Singles & Pairs.
- Mixed Pairs & Fours.
- Any Social Bowls.

These Conditions of Play do not apply to the Association Events listed below. Association Events are governed by the RNSWBA Current Conditions of Play. Refer to RNSWBA [General Conditions of Play](#).

ASSOCIATION EVENTS

- State Pennants
- Club Major Singles, Pairs, Triples & Fours
- State Championships
- State Senior Championships
- State Junior Championships
- Reserve Championships
- Inter-Zone Sides Championships
- Senior Inter-Zone Sides Championship
- Junior Inter-Zone Sides Championship
- Champion of Club Champions Singles & Pairs
- State Mixed Pairs
- Rookies Singles and Pairs
- Australian Indoor Singles Championship (NSW Qualifying)
- State Over 40s Pairs
- State Carnival
- Such other events as may be declared as Championship Events by Bowls NSW.

SOCIAL BOWLS

Social Bowls Days shall normally be run as described below. The Controlling Body may change any aspect of Social Bowls as required. The controlling body on the day reserves the right to alter any of these conditions when play is affected by inclement weather.

Wednesday

Entry – Open Nominated teams.

Attire – mufti – [refer to Attire Policy](#).

Format – triples.

Number of bowls – 3.

Number of ends – 18.

Green fees & Prize Money as determined by the Board of Directors.

Prizes awarded – Out of the Hat.

Dead ends – No dead ends – jack re - spotted on tee (2 m mark).

Friday

Entry – Open Nominated teams.

Attire – mufti – [refer to Attire Policy](#).

Format – pairs.

Number of bowls – 4.

Number of ends – 18.

Green fees & Prize Money as determined by the Board of Directors.

Prizes awarded – Out of the Hat - Hi Margins on last Friday of the month.

Dead ends – No dead ends – jack re - spotted on tee (2 m mark).

Saturday – Nominated

Entry – Open Nominated Teams

Attire – Any club uniform – [refer to Attire Policy](#).

Format – triples.

Number of bowls – 3.

Number of ends – 20.

Green fees & Prize Money as determined by the Board of Directors.

Prizes awarded – random draw (Hi Margin, Random Margin, OOTH).

“Out of the Hat” on Club Selected days (last Saturday of the month).

Dead ends – No dead ends – jack re - spotted on tee (2 m mark).

CHANGES TO PLAYING FORMATS FOR SOCIAL BOWLS.

Players may request a change to the format on their rink if they:

- Have physical or medical conditions that limit their ability. E.G. 4 bowl pairs to 3 bowl pairs.
- Are playing in a Zone or State Event that requires practice.

The Match Committee and/or Controlling Body reserve the right, at their discretion to alter the format as required.

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS.

To enter and play in a Windang Bowling Club Championship Event, a player shall:

- (i.) Be a Bowls NSW registered Member of Windang Bowling Club or Windang Women's Bowling Club.
- (ii.) Be Cleared to play at Windang Bowling Club.

Situations may arise with regard to newly transferred members and junior members entering Windang Bowling Club Minor Championships. It is up to the discretion of the Match Committee whether they allow any player to enter and play in these Club Events. The Match Committee's decision is final.

EVENTS

- All events under the control of Windang Men's Bowling Club shall be classed as open gender events.
- These events are open to eligible members of the Windang Bowling Club and Windang Women's Bowling Club.
- Members of Windang Women's Club who have entered or intend to play in the Women's Club Singles and Pairs Events are ineligible to play in the Open Major Singles and Open Major Pairs events. This is a Bowls NSW COP.
- Attire – Club Uniform – [refer to Attire Policy.](#)
- Format - as determined by the Match Committee.
- Subject to eligibility, players must choose which event they intend to play in. They cannot play in a Major and Minor Event of the same discipline.

The following Club Championship Events shall be conducted under the Local Conditions of Play.

- Minor Singles
- Minor Pairs
- Minor Triples
- Minor Fours
- Senior Singles
- Senior Pairs
- Major Minor Pairs
- Mixed Pairs
- Mixed Fours

MAJORS

A player shall be classified as a Major if they fulfil the following requirements.

- The player has won a MAJOR SINGLES or MAJOR PAIRS at any bowling club within any State or Territory of the Commonwealth of Australia or in any other country.
- The player has won a ZONE OR STATE OPEN SINGLES OR OPEN PAIRS.
- Is in the opinion of the Match Committee, eligible to participate in MAJOR CHAMPIONSHIPS.

MINORS

Upon request, The Match Committee may review and change the Major Minor Status of any player. Any decision by the match Committee shall be final and not subject to appeal.

MINOR SINGLES

Format - 25 up.

A player is eligible to participate in a MINOR SINGLES Championship if they fulfil the following requirements:

- Has not won a MAJOR SINGLES or MAJOR PAIRS at any bowling club within any State or Territory of the Commonwealth of Australia or in any other country.
- Has not won a ZONE OR STATE SINGLES Championship.
- Has not won a MINOR SINGLES championship at Windang Bowling Club.
This does not include Windang Women's Bowling Club.

- Is in the opinion of the Match Committee, eligible to participate in the MINOR SINGLES championship.

MINOR PAIRS

Format - 4 bowls x 21 ends.

A player is eligible to participate in a MINOR PAIRS Championship if they fulfil the following requirements:

- Has not won a MAJOR SINGLES or MAJOR PAIRS at any bowling club within any State or Territory of the Commonwealth of Australia or in any other country.
- Has not won a ZONE OR STATE PAIRS Championship.
- Has not won a MINOR PAIRS championship at Windang Bowling Club.
- Is in the opinion of the Match Committee, eligible to participate in the MINOR PAIRS championship.

MINOR TRIPLES

2 bowls x 25 ends.

A player is eligible to participate in a MINOR TRIPLES Championship if they fulfil the following requirements:

- Has not won a MAJOR SINGLES or MAJOR PAIRS at any bowling club within any State or Territory of the Commonwealth of Australia or in any other country.
- Has not won a ZONE OR STATE TRIPLES Championship.
- Has not won a MINOR TRIPLES Championship at Windang Bowling Club.
- Has not won a CLUB (MAJOR) TRIPLES Championship at Windang Bowling Club.
- Is in the opinion of the Match Committee, eligible to participate in the MINOR TRIPLES championship.

MINOR FOURS

2 bowls x 21 ends.

A player is eligible to participate in a MINOR FOURS Championship if they fulfil the following requirements:

- Has not won a MAJOR SINGLES or MAJOR PAIRS at any bowling club within any State or Territory of the Commonwealth of Australia or in any other country.
- Has not won a ZONE OR STATE FOURS Championship.
- Has not won a MINOR FOURS Championship at Windang Bowling Club.
- Has not won a CLUB (MAJOR) FOURS Championship at Windang Bowling Club.
- Is in the opinion of the Match Committee, eligible to participate in a MINOR FOURS championship.

SENIORS

SINGLES

Format - 25 up.

PAIRS

Format - 3 bowls x 21 ends.

A player is eligible to participate in a Senior Singles or Pairs Championship if they have reached the age of 65 on or before the first round played.

MAJOR MINOR PAIRS

Format - 4 bowls x 21 ends.

- (a) A winning MINOR playing in this event is eligible to play in this event the following year, BUT MUST COMPETE AS A MAJOR.
- (b) The winning MINOR player is eligible to play in MINOR SINGLES and MINOR PAIRS the following year.
- (c) To balance the number of majors and minors for the championship, the Match Committee reserves the right to change the status of players as required.
- (d) Substitutes
 - Only 1 substitute per team is permitted.
 - A major player may be substituted by an eligible major or minor player.
 - A minor player may only be substituted by an eligible minor player.
 - An eligible substitute may play in **any** position.

SUBSTITUTIONS IN MAJOR MINOR PAIRS, MIXED PAIRS, MIXED FOURS

MIXED PAIRS

Format - 4 bowls x 18 ends.

Only 1 substitute per team is permitted.

A male player may only be substituted by an eligible male player.

A female player may only be substituted by an eligible female player.

An eligible substitute may play in any position.

MIXED FOURS

Format - 2 bowls x 18 ends.

1 male and 1 female substitute is permitted.

A male player may only be substituted by an eligible male player.

A female player may only be substituted by an eligible female player.

An eligible substitute may play in any position.