

Bowls North Harbour Inc 2017 – 2018 Men's & Women's Champion of Champion Singles

Saturday 19th & Sunday 20th May 2018

EVENT DIRECTOR – Norma Klaassen Ph 09 424 4240

SATURDAY 19th MAY WOMEN AT MAHURANGI EAST BOWLING CLUB MEN AT WAIMAUKU BOWLING CLUB SUNDAY 20th MAY ALL PLAY AT WAIMAUKU BOWLING CLUB

For any cancellations – please check the Bowls North Harbour Website & Facebook Page

PRESIDENTS WELCOME

ON BEHALF OF BOWLS NORTH HARBOUR IT IS MY PLEASURE TO WELCOME ALL CONTESTANTS TO THE MEN'S & WOMEN'S CHAMPION OF CHAMPION SINGLES FOR THIS SEASON.

THANK YOU TO ALL CLUBS HOSTING THIS EVENT AND TO THE VOLUNTEER'S. WITHOUT YOUR SUPPORT WE COULD NOT HOLD THESE EVENTS.

TO ALL PLAYERS, GOOD LUCK AND GOOD BOWLING.

TONY RICKERBY

President

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CONDITIONS OF PLAY:

- 1. Laws and Regulations: Played under the Laws of the Sport of Bowls and Bowls New Zealand Associated Regulations as applicable.
- 2. **Controlling Body**: The Controlling Body for this event is the Bowls North Harbour Match Committee. The Controlling Body will have the right to alter, add to or delete any conditions of play and/or special conditions to enable the completion of the tournament.
- 3. **Entry Requirements:** In this event both players must be full playing members of the same club affiliated to Bowls North Harbour to enter in this competition.
- 4. **Code of Conduct:** All players will comply with and observe the requirements of the "Code of Conduct for players at Bowls North Harbour Event" as set down in the Bowls North Harbour Centre Handbook.
- 5. **Clothing:** Players must abide by their Club Regulations unless there are no specific requirements. If not, the singles player may be in club uniform, whites, or appropriate bowls clothing. Logos that conflict with the event sponsor or with Bowls North Harbour will not be permitted.
- 6. **Postponements:** Any postponements due to weather conditions will be on the Bowls North Harbour website & face-book page.
- 7. **Mobile phone:** Use is not permitted by players on or alongside the greens during play. It is preferred that cell phones are switched off or turned to silent.
- 8. **No Smoking Policy:** Smoking is banned anywhere in the club house and on the greens. Clubs have designated "smoking areas" which must be used by players and officials.
- 9. **Alcohol:** The drinking of alcohol is to be confined to the club house at each venue. Drinking of alcohol outside of the clubhouse during competitions will not be permitted.
- 10. **Catering:** Payment of any catering supplied by clubs, including morning and afternoon teas, will be at the club's discretion.
- 11. **Trial Ends:** Before the scheduled start of play in any game, or before continuing an unfinished game on another day, one trial end may be played in each direction. Please refer to Laws of the Sport of Bowls, Law 5.1.
- 12. Late Appearances: When any player has failed to be in position to commence play **15 minutes** after the scheduled starting time, the game will be awarded to the opponent.
- 13. Score cards: These must be completed clearly and in full for every game by the marker. The marker must ensure that the score card contains the names and signatures of the players and contains the time at which the game was completed.
- 14. Entry Fees and withdrawals: Entry fees will be refunded to late entries and entries not accepted. No refunds will be made to players who withdraw less than 48 hours prior to the scheduled commencement of the event. Any withdrawals must be notified to the Bowls North Harbour office by 12 noon on the day preceding the scheduled commencement of the event.

- 15. **Appeal against decisions of Umpires:** "The Umpire's decision is final in all circumstances except those relating to the meaning or interpretation of a law, in which case there will be a right of appeal to the Controlling Body" (Law 43.2.6). Any such appeal must be lodged with the Tournament Director within 10 minutes of the conclusion of the game.
- 16. The Bowls North Harbour Match Committee will act on any complaints and all playing disputes, provided they are in writing, to the Bowls North Harbour Events Manager.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF PLAY:

- 1. **Play will commence by:** 9:00am on Saturday for Men at Waimauku Bowling Club except Riverhead and for Women at Mahurangi East Bowling Club except Birkenhead & Mahurangi East and Sunday all play will be at Waimauku Bowling Club.
- 2. Byes: Men's Bye is Riverhead, they will report by 10:30am

Women's Byes are Birkenhead & Mahurangi East, they will report by 10:30am

- 3. **Games:** Order of play will be randomly drawn. All games will be sudden death, 21 Shots, no time limit. Three games will be played per day.
- 4. Bowls: Each player will play 4 bowls in each end.
- 5. Losing Players: Will be required to mark the following game. Players must NOT leave the venue before checking with the umpire.
- 6. **Defaults:** If a player defaults their score will be recorded as a loss. The non-offending player will be awarded a win.
- 7. Time limit: There is NO time limit for the Singles Competitions.
- 8. **Restricting the Movement of Players During Play**: In all games, players will only be allowed to walk up to the head under the following circumstances:
 - After delivery of their third and fourth bowls
 - In exceptional and limited circumstances, a singles player can ask a marker for permission to walk up to the head earlier than described above.
 - If a player does not meet the terms of this law, Law 13 will apply.
- 9. First round of play for the Men: Play will commence at 9:00am for everyone EXCEPT Riverhead whose game will commence at approximately 10:30am.
- 10. First round of play for the Women: Play will commence at 9:00am for all sides EXCEPT Birkenhead & Mahurangi East, whose games will commence at approximately 10:30am
- 11. **Tie in Post Section Sudden Death play:** If after the required ends are completed the scores are equal, an extra end or ends will be played to decide a winner.
- 12. Prize Money: Prize money will be paid in cash at the conclusion of the event.

MEN'S PRIZE MONEY	1 st	\$30	Runner Up	\$20
WOMEN'S PRIZE MONEY	1 ST	\$30	Runner Up	\$20





