



Bowls North Harbour Inc.

2019-2020

1-5YR TWILIGHT

INTERCLUB

**Monday 11th, 18th, 25th Nov
& 2nd, 9th Dec 2019**

Final – 16th December 2019

EVENT DIRECTOR – Lesley Langer 027 235 9864

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

Bowls North Harbour Junior Twilight Interclub

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. **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.
4. **Postponements:** Any postponements due to weather conditions will be on the Bowls North Harbour Website & Facebook page.
5. **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.
6. **Smoking Policy:** There shall be no smoking on the greens or immediate surrounds. Smoking areas will be designated at each venue as advised by the host club duty officer. Please be advised that some clubs in North Harbour are completely smoke-free clubs.
7. **Alcohol Policy:** Alcohol shall only be consumed in areas defined by the host club liquor licence and in no event be allowed on the green or surrounds during play.
8. **Catering:** Payment of any catering supplied by clubs, including morning and afternoon teas, will be at the club’s discretion.
9. **Trial Ends:** Before the scheduled start of play for the first game of the day, 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.
10. **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.
11. **Entry Fees and withdrawals:** Entry fees will be refunded to late entries and entries not accepted. No refunds will be made to teams or 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.
12. **Defaulters:** No team or singles player will withdraw except in the case of illness of a player or other just cause. The Controlling Body may require evidence of the illness or other just cause to be submitted.
13. **Complaints:** 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. **Teams:** Teams to consist of one singles player, 1 pairs team, and 1 triples team.
 - Teams may be re-selected after each round of the competition
 - Players may play in any position within the team in the different rounds of the competition.
 - If more than one team is entered from one club, players cannot change between the teams unless approval is obtained from the Bowls North Harbour Match Committee.
 - The Match Committee has allowed some teams to be composite teams from two clubs to enable as many juniors to play as possible
2. **Clubs** – Once you have represented one club in any one round, a player is ineligible to represent a different club in this same competition.
3. **Clothing:** Players in a side will be in mufti, club shirts or their club uniforms, or whites/creams for the qualifying rounds. Club uniforms or whites/creams to be worn on finals day.
4. **Start Time:** Play will commence as soon as all players are available on each playing day at each venue but no later than 5:45PM.
5. **Match Conditions** – A match will consist of three games between two clubs.
 - One game of singles (4 bowls each) – First to 21 shots or 1hr 45min time limit
 - One game of pairs (3 bowls each) – 15 ends or 1hr 45min time limit
 - One game of triples (2 bowls each) - 15 ends or 1hr 45min time limit
6. **Score cards:** These must be completed **clearly and in full** for every game by the Manager. The manager must ensure that the score card contains the names and signatures of the skip and contains the time at which the game was completed. **Completed score cards must be handed to the Host club**
7. **Killed End:** The jack is to be spotted on the 2 metre mark
8. **Incorrect Jack Delivery:** An incorrectly delivered jack will not be returned but will be placed by the opposing skip, or in singles placed at the discretion of the opposing player
9. **Defaults:** If a team defaults their score will be recorded as a loss. The non-offending team will be awarded a win and the average net total of shots scored by the winning teams in the same round of the same section of the same discipline.
10. **Late Appearances:** When any team has failed to be in position to commence play **15 minutes** after the scheduled starting time, the game will be awarded to the opponent.
11. **Tie in qualifying play:** In the event of a Tie in qualifying play, no extra end(s) will be played.
12. **Time limit:** All games to be completed irrespective of score within the designated time limit. If the jack has been delivered before the time signal the end will continue and if it subsequently becomes dead it will be replayed.
13. **Determining a winner:** In all games three points will be awarded for each game won and one point for each game drawn. Where game points are equal the winner will be the team with the highest net total of shots. If the game points and the net total of shots are equal the team with the lowest “total shots against” will be the winner.
14. **Appeal against decisions of Umpires:** Any appeal must be lodged with the Event Director within 10 minutes of the conclusion of the game.
15. **Inclement Weather:** Should inclement weather or any other circumstance prevent a round being completed fully then:
 - If inclement weather is an issue, a decision will be made by 3pm each Monday whether play will go ahead – this will apply to all venues.
 - If an evening is washed out, the programme will be moved back a week to accommodate this.
 - In the event of more than one week being washed out the Bowls North Harbour Match Committee will make a decision on how to best progress the competition to a conclusion.
16. **Restricting the movement of players during play:** In all games, players will only be allowed to walk up to the head after playing their second bowl apart from the skip who can visit the head after their first bowl.
17. **Tie at End of Game in the Finals:** In the event of a Tie in any finals game, one extra end(s) will be played by the two teams to determine a winner; the shots scored will not be added to the total shots.

18. **Team Manager:** Each team is to have a manager who must NOT be a player in the side. (This person can be the designated marker for the side). The manager must list the names of players on team sheets before play commences. Managers toss at the beginning of the round (one toss for all 3 games in the round) and the winning club shall decide whether the team will take or give the mat away. Each manager must sign off the results chart at the end of play.
19. **Host Club: Results** - The host club is responsible for the issue and collection of cards and for recording results on the charts provided. The host club is to photograph the charts and team sheets and forward to the Bowls North Harbour Centre Office: email bowls@bowlsnorthharbour.co.nz or 027 235 9864 as soon as possible following the completion of play each evening.
20. **Umpires:** As umpires are not appointed for this competition, Team Managers and/or host club organiser are required to adjudicate to resolve disputes, and to undertake measuring when required
21. **Finalists:**

The top team from each section will go through to the finals plus the next best team at the conclusion of the round robin competition. A blind draw will be done. To be played under the cover at Orewa Bowling club on 16th December 2019, starting at 5.45 pm

A sudden death Semi-final

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PROCEDURE:

1. **Prior to each weeks play:** the Centre will email to the host clubs:
 - a. The results sheets for each weeks play (showing the rinks draw)
 - b. Team sheets
2. **Report to venues:** Unless play is cancelled all players must report to the allocated venues.
3. **Postponements:** Any postponements due to weather conditions will be on the Bowls North Harbour Website & Face Book.
4. **Allocated Venues**

Section	11-Nov	18-Nov	25-Nov	02-Dec	09-Dec
Section 1	Takapuna	Sunnybrae	Birkenhead		
Section 2	Mairangi Bay	Milford	Browns Bay		
Section 2	Hobsonville	Helensville	Orewa	Manly	Mahurangi East

5. Preparation of Greens:

- a. Greens must be prepared and made available to players half an hour before the scheduled start time. It is essential that the Green Superintendent communicate with the Bowls North Harbour Event Director - prior to 7.00am on the scheduled day of play if their greens should be doubtful for the day. No club will cancel their greens play without the Tournament Director's approval.
- b. Mats, Jacks, Scoreboards, chalk and buckets of water or dusters will be set out.
- c. The correct numbers of rinks are to be available, and if possible, the centre line of each rink should be chalked.

PRIZE

Winning Club \$300

**The Winning Club Side qualifies to represent Bowls North Harbour Inc. in the
Regional Junior Interclub Play-offs for the prestigious**

MERCEDES ROSE BOWL

HOSTED BY BOWLS NORTHLAND AT HIKURANGI BOWLING CLUB

Date to be advised

**** Teams are REQUIRED to bring a marker for the singles
(This can be the Team Manager).**
