



2021 MEN'S INTER-CLUB LEAGUE

FORMAT OF PLAY:

Divisions 1 and 2 comprise 12 players per side – Divisions 3 and below comprise 8 players per side. **All games are to consist of 21 ends.**

Sides playing away shall appoint a Manager who will furnish the names of the members of the side to the official at the venue at which the matches are being played and supervise the drawing of the rinks – (By-Law 2.9.).

METHOD OF SCORING:

Each game will be played in sets of seven ends. 1 point per set won or ½ point per set peeled. 2 points per game won or 1 point per game peeled. The side with the highest net score will receive 2 bonus points. The side with the most points shall be the winner eg. 17 points per match for Div 1 and 2 and 12 points per match for Div 3 and below. Should adverse weather conditions, or any other valid reason, prevent the completion of 15 ends each side shall be awarded 8.5 points or 6 points.

RESERVES OR SUBSTITUTES:

Should a player fail to report within ten (10) minutes of the scheduled time for the start of a match or withdraws after the match has commenced, for reasons acceptable to the controlling body, the provisions of Law 39.2.2. of the Laws of the Sport of Bowls shall apply except that the time frame shall be **10 minutes** and not 30 minutes. **Please note** that if a substitute is used then he must be a bona fide member of the club concerned. Should a team be short a player then the team will lose 25% and play 3-3-2.

PLAYERS MAY BE INTER-CHANGED FROM ONE LEAGUE TO ANOTHER.

THE LEAGUES WILL BE PLAYED ON THE FOLLOWING DATES.

ROUND 1	Sat. 10 APRIL (pm)	ROUND 6	Sat. 29 MAY (pm)
ROUND 2	Sat. 17 APRIL (pm)	ROUND 7	Sat. 12 JUNE (pm)
ROUND 3	Sat. 24 APRIL (pm)	ROUND 8	Sat. 26 JUNE (pm)
ROUND 4	Sat. 1 MAY (pm)	ROUND 9	Sat. 3 JULY (pm)
ROUND 5	Sat. 22 MAY (pm)		

GREEN FEES - R10.00 PER PLAYER.

SATURDAY GAMES - **NO TEA BREAK.** STARTING TIME - **13H00** - SAT

RESULTS MUST BE EMAILED (portnatalbowls@telkomsa.net) OR FAXED (0867514931) TO THE DISTRICT OFFICE ON MONDAY MORNING BEFORE 11H00. NB: PLEASE NOTE THAT EACH SIDE PLAYING AT HOME SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR NOTIFYING THE RESULTS TO PORT NATAL OFFICE FAILING WHICH IT SHALL INCUR A PENALTY OF 1 POINT WHICH SHALL BE DEDUCTED FROM ITS TOTAL POINTS.– (By- Law 12.9)

Please note that the best rinks are to be used and greens demarcated for 6 only with centered dotted line and T marked on each rink.

Cell phones, Smoking and hand held TV devices will not be permitted within 2 metres of the green while play is in progress. Consumption of Alcohol during play is NOT permitted

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