

## **PORT NATAL BOWLS**

### **CONDITIONS OF PLAY FOR MEN'S AND WOMEN'S NOVICE SINGLES**

**All games shall be played in accordance with the current Laws of the Sport of Bowls, the Bowls SA Domestic Regulations, the PNB Standard Competition By-Laws and the following Conditions of Play.**

The Men's and Women's Novice Singles shall be organised on behalf of PNB by an affiliated Club. That club being the Controlling Body for the Event

#### **ENTRIES**

Entries are open to all bona fide members of clubs affiliated to PNB, having been registered with Bowls SA for not more than three years at the date of commencement of the Events.

A player having won a National, District Novice or District Singles Championship shall not be eligible

#### **DECLARATION FORMS**

Immediately prior to playing its first match, each player shall complete and sign the PNB declaration form setting out their names and Bowls SA registration number.

#### **DRAW**

A straight line draw shall be carried out by the Controlling Body

#### **FORMAT OF PLAY**

1.1 The Singles Championships is to be played with four bowls per player with the winner being the first player to score 21 shots.

1.2 Play shall be on a knockout basis.

#### **MARKERS**

Players shall be responsible for providing their own Marker up to and including the Semi-Final. The Previous year's winner shall be given the option of marking the final and if not available the Controlling Body shall nominate the Markers

#### **TOSSING FOR OPENING PLAY**

Players should toss with a coin to determine who shall play first.

#### **TRIAL ENDS**

One trial end in each direction may be played at the commencement of each game.

#### **RESTRICTING THE MOVEMENT OF PLAYERS DURING PLAY**

Players may visit the head after the delivery of their third bowl. They may visit the head earlier with permission from their opponent and the Marker.

#### **DEAD ENDS & JACK**

Dead ends or a jack being declared dead, the end is to be replayed.

#### **GENERAL**

If anything should arise that is not specifically covered in these Conditions of Play, then the Laws of the Sport of Bowls – Crystal Mark 3rd Edition will apply.

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