

1 General

- 1.1 These Rules are in addition to the Championship Rules.

2 The Junior Singles Championships – Men and Women

- 2.1 The format of the game will be as defined by Bowls England
- 2.2 These Championships are open to all male and female members of Affiliated Clubs, who have not attained their 25th birthday on the 1st April in the year of the championship, and on payment of an entry fee, as determined at a General Meeting.
- 2.3 This entry must be forwarded directly to the appropriate Competition Manager through the Club Secretary on the form provided by the Association.

3 The Singles Championships – Men and Women

- 3.1 The format of the game will be as defined by Bowls England
- 3.2 These Championships are open to all male or female members of Affiliated Clubs on payment of an entry fee, as determined at a General Meeting, and which must be forwarded directly to the appropriate Competition Manager through the Club Secretary on the form provided by the Association.

4 The Two-Wood Singles Championships - Men and Women

- 4.1 The format of the game will be as defined by Bowls England
- 4.2 This Championship is open to all female members of Affiliated Clubs on payment of an entry fee and green fee, as determined at a General Meeting, and which must be forwarded directly to the appropriate Competition Manager through the Club Secretary on the form provided by the Association.

5 The Pairs Championships - Men and Women

- 5.1 The format of the game will be as defined by Bowls England
- 5.2 These Championships are open to all male or female members of Affiliated Clubs on payment of an entry fee, as determined at a General Meeting, and which must be forwarded directly to the appropriate Competition Manager through the Club Secretary on the form provided by the Association.
- 5.3 The named player in the draw and one other player shall constitute the Pair and should normally play together throughout the championship.
- 5.4 One additional, and the same, player may be used as a substitute at any time, provided that player has not already played in the current championship.

6 Women's Junior Pairs (Players from the same County)

- 6.1 The format of the game will be as defined by Bowls England
- 6.2 This Championship shall be open to all female Members of affiliated Clubs who have not attained their 25th birthday on the 1st April in the year of the Championship on payment of an entry fee, as determined at a General Meeting, and which must be forwarded directly to the appropriate Competition Manager through the Club Secretary on the form provided by the Association.
- 6.3 The two players may belong to separate clubs within the same county, so long as both clubs are affiliated.
- 6.4 The named player in the draw and one other player shall constitute the Pair and should normally

play together throughout the championship.

- 6.5 One additional, and the same, player may be used as a substitute at any time, provided that player has not already played in the current championship.

7 The Triples Championships – Men and Women

- 7.1 The format of the game will be as defined by Bowls England
- 7.2 These championships are open to all male or female members of Affiliated Clubs on payment of an entry fee, as determined at a General Meeting, and which must be forwarded directly to the appropriate Competition Manager through the Club Secretary on the form provided by the Association.
- 7.3 The named player in the draw and two other players shall constitute the Triple and should normally play together throughout the championship.
- 7.4 One additional, and the same, player may be used as a substitute at any time provided that the player has not already played in the current championship.

8 The Fours Championships – Men and Women

- 8.1 The format of the game will be as defined by Bowls England
- 8.2 These championships are open to all male and female members of Affiliated Clubs on payment of an entry fee, as determined at a General Meeting, and which must be forwarded directly to the appropriate Competition Manager through the Club Secretary on the form provided by the Association.
- 8.3 The named player in the draw and three other players shall constitute the Four and should normally play together throughout the championship.
- 8.4 One additional, and the same, player may be used as a substitute at any time provided that the player has not already played in the current championship.

9 The Senior Fours Championships – Men and Women

- 9.1 The format of the game will be as defined by Bowls England
- 9.2 These championships are open to all male and female members of Affiliated Clubs on payment of an entry fee, as determined at a General Meeting, and which must be forwarded directly to the appropriate Competition Manager through the Club Secretary on the form provided by the Association.
- 9.3 The named player in the draw and three other players shall constitute the Four and should normally play together throughout the championship.
- 9.4 One additional, and the same, player may be used as a substitute at any time provided that the player has not already played in the current championship.

End

History:

Issue 1.0 - 16th February 2013 – issued for ratification.

Issue 1.1 – January 2019 – addition of Section 9 to include Senior Fours

Issue 1.2 – 18th November 2023 - Amend each section to bring in line with BE playing formats, both currently and to cover future changes.