

Wellesbourne Bowls Club 2025 Handbook

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1. Introduction

Dear Wellesbourne Bowls Club member

Thank you for renewing your membership and a big welcome to our new members.

You may know that 2025 marks the 100th anniversary of the founding of our Club. We aim to celebrate it in style with plenty of bowling and, most importantly, fun. There will be opportunity for all members to join in.

Whether you are an experienced or new bowler, we hope you find this handbook informative and useful. It contains information about the efficient and effective operation of the Club, our conduct as members and general guidance which you might find helpful. Hopefully, it will be a good point of reference.

It is important to remember that we are a Club run by members for the benefit of members. The success of the Club can be measured in many ways, with three key ones being the performance of our teams in competitions, a stable financial footing and the creation of an enjoyable and fun social environment. All of this relies on volunteers be that for the day to day running of the Club or the willingness to play in competitions. Although the Club makes no demands on how its members participate, please do participate as often as you can.

Thank you and here's to great, successful and memorable Centenary Year.

The Wellesbourne Bowls Club Committee

2. Wellesbourne BC Constitution

1. Name and Objectives

- 1.1. The name of the Club shall be Wellesbourne Bowls Club (referred to within this Constitution and other documents as the Club). The Club shall be affiliated to Bowls England and Warwickshire County Bowls Association.
- 1.2. The objectives of the Club are:
 - To provide facilities for, and to promote participation in, the sport of outdoor flat green bowls in the local community.
 - To provide and maintain an outdoor bowling green, a clubhouse and other conveniences for the benefit of the Club members.
 - To promote the Club's activities to potential new members including young people and those with disabilities.
 - To offer bowls coaching and competition opportunities to all Club members.
 - To provide a duty of care and protection to all Club members
 - To make sure all Club members are treated equitably.
- 1.3. The Club adopts and conforms to Bowls England Rules and Regulations and the current Laws of the Sport of Bowls.

2. Club status

- 2.1. The Club is an unincorporated association, which is an organisation set up through an agreement between a group of people who come together under a set of rules (this Constitution) for a reason other than to make a profit. The Management Committee and individual members of the Club are responsible for any debts and contractual obligations. Most small sports clubs operate on this basis.
- 2.2. The income and property of the Club, however derived, shall be applied solely towards the promotion of and the objectives of the Club.

3. Officers of the Club

- 3.1. The Officers of the Club shall be full members. They are Chair, Vice-Chair, Secretary, Treasurer, Club Captain, Women's Captain, Fixture Secretary (x2), Competitions Secretary, Publicity Officer, Green Team Liaison Officer, Safeguarding Officer (x2) and Club Coach.
- 3.2. The Club is run and managed by a Management Committee, the composition and role of which are set out later in the Constitution.
- 3.3. Officers are elected at the Annual General Meeting (AGM) and will hold office for a 12-month period. Officers are eligible for re-election to the same office or another office at the end of their current period of election. The names of those elected will be published on the Club website and at the clubhouse.
- 3.4. Candidates for election to an officer position, including the ordinary members of the Committee, will be proposed and seconded by full/life members of the Club with notification received by the Secretary at least 21 days before the date of the AGM. Nominations, together with the names of the proposer and seconder will be posted at the clubhouse and included in the AGM papers at least 14 days before the meeting.
- 3.5. A full member can hold two or more officer positions.
- 3.6. Only full members whose sole outdoor club is Wellesbourne Bowls Club may stand for a position of officer.

4. Finance and accounts

- 4.1. The funds of the Club shall be deposited in the accounts approved by the Management Committee and no financial liabilities shall be incurred or payment made, except as authorised by the Committee or by a General Meeting. No investment of Club funds shall be made without similar authority.
- 4.2. The Treasurer shall receive all monies payable to the Club and shall issue receipts for all payments, subscriptions and donations where appropriate. The Treasurer shall make all outgoing payments on behalf of the Club. The Treasurer shall keep a debit and credit account and prepare an annual financial report and statement immediately after the end of the Club financial year which ends on 30 September.
- 4.3. All cheques drawn on behalf of the Club shall be signed by and any electronic payments shall be authorised by two of the following five officers: Treasurer, Chair, Vice-Chair, Secretary and one other nominated Committee Member.
- 4.4. The Treasurer shall submit to the AGM, a duly audited statement of finances, and a copy shall be made available to each member of the Club.
- 4.5. Members incurring pre-authorised and necessary expenses when carrying out their duties as representatives of the Club may be reimbursed.
- 4.6. The accounts will be audited annually. The auditor will be appointed at the AGM.

5. Membership – categories, voting and rights of membership

- 5.1. Bowling membership of the Club is open to anyone interested in the sport of outdoor flat green bowls regardless of sex, age, disability, ethnicity, nationality, sexual orientation, religion or other beliefs.
- 5.2. The membership categories are:
 - **Full** – Aged 18 and over. One vote. Full use of the Club facilities.
 - **Junior** – Aged 10 to 17. No vote. Full use of the Club facilities, subject to compliance with the Licensing Act.
 - **Social** – Aged over 18. No vote but are entitled to attend the AGM. Full use of the clubhouse facilities. No access to bowling facilities.
 - **Honorary Life Full Bowling Member** - One vote. Full use of the Club facilities free of annual subscription. Nominations for this membership are made via the Committee and voted on at the AGM.
- 5.3. An individual member of any club affiliated to Bowls England can use the premises of the Club and becomes a temporary member for the time of their stay.
- 5.4. Attendees at any pre-arranged social or community function in the clubhouse are granted temporary membership for the duration of the function concerned. This excludes persons aged under 18 who must always be accompanied by an adult who is deemed to be the temporary member.
- 5.5. Guest bowlers and those wishing to try the sport are encouraged and will be classed as temporary members during their stay. They will have access to the Club facilities accompanied by a Club bowling member. A guest bowler may only use the green 6 times during the season. The green fee is waived for these 6 visits in order to promote membership take up. It is expected that a guest member will become a full member if they wish to use Club facilities after the 6th visit.
- 5.6. Social Members may bring guests to use the Clubhouse facilities.

6. Membership – fees

- 6.1. The fee for the membership categories will be proposed by the Committee to the members at the AGM. Any proposed fee changes must be approved by a majority of those present and entitled to vote and shall become operative on 1 April. A member cannot use the Club facilities or play in matches until the fee is paid. Fees will be published on the Club website.

7. Membership – use of personal data and communication

- 7.1. Every member will be required to provide a contact email, phone number and address which will be included on the Club database. The purposes of collecting this data, the uses of it and who it might be shared with are set out in the Club Privacy Statement.
- 7.2. Membership of the Club and, therefore, acceptance of this Constitution and the associated Privacy Statement by the member will be deemed to constitute consent to the holding of relevant personal data for the essential management of the Club. The Club undertakes to safeguard that data in accordance with the Data Protection Act and GDPR Regulations (2018).
- 7.3. All communication will be sent by email, unless a member opts out or expresses an alternative means. Any email sent will be deemed to have been duly delivered.
- 7.4. Unless they opt out, the contact details of members will be shared with all other members. This is to support the efficient operation of the Club. Further details are in the Privacy Statement contained in the handbook and on the website.

8. Conduct of members and complaints

- 8.1. In paying the membership fee and upon receipt of a copy of the Constitution and Code of Conduct, every member is bound to comply with their contents.
- 8.2. All disciplinary matters will be dealt with in accordance with the Code of Conduct and/or the relevant sections of the Bowls England Regulation 9, which can be found on the BE Website. Should a membership be revoked temporarily or permanently, the member is not entitled to have any part of the membership fee refunded and must return any Club property.

9. Club and member liability

- 9.1. Members are bound by the following Rule:

Members of the Club may use the Club premises, and any other facilities of the Club, entirely at their own risk and impliedly accept:

(a) That the Club will not accept any liability for any damage to or loss of property belonging to members on the Club premises, including on the Club car park and on the field/parking area next to the cricket pitch.

(b) That the Club will not accept any liability for personal injury arising out of the use of the Club premises or any other facilities of the Club sustained by members or caused by the said members if such damage or injury could have been attributed to or was occasioned by the neglect, default or negligence of any of them.

- 9.2. The Club shall hold insurance that will adequately cover Public/Civil Liability against Club activities and use of the Club facilities.
- 9.3. The Committee shall endeavour to ensure that the following clause is incorporated in every contract, lease, licence or other agreement entered into by the Committee:

The liability of the Committee and officers for the performance of any contractual or other obligation undertaken by them on behalf of the Club shall be limited to the assets of the Club.

10. Management Committee

Members

- 10.1. The Committee shall consist of 12 positions made up of 9 officers and 3 ordinary members. The officer positions are – Chair, Vice-Chair, Secretary, Treasurer, Club Captain, Women’s Captain, Fixture Secretary (shared role in 2025), Publicity Officer and Green Team Liaison Officer. The officer positions of Competitions Secretary, Safeguarding Officer (shared role in 2025) and Club Coach are not members of the Committee but will attend meetings periodically as required.
- 10.2. The Committee can co-opt further members if required. If any officer leaves the Committee for whatever reason, the Committee can replace that officer until the next AGM.
- 10.3. The Committee can set up sub-committees and working groups as required and may delegate its powers to them.

Meetings

- 10.4. The Committee shall endeavour to meet a minimum of 8 times per year. These meetings can be held in person or virtually. There is no minimum period for calling a meeting to allow flexibility and urgent matters to be considered. In exceptional cases, decisions on urgent matters can be secured by the Chair or Secretary via email.
- 10.5. Items for decision do not require a proposer and seconder. The Chair will put forward the decision required and voting shall be by show of hands with the decision made by majority. In the case of equality of votes the Chair of the meeting has a second and casting vote. Committee members can ask to have their name recorded as voting for or against.
- 10.6. Six members (of which four must be officers) shall form a quorum.
- 10.7. Any conflict of interest must be declared to the Chair of the meeting prior to its start. The Chair of the meeting will determine if the person may remain in the meeting and/or vote when the item is discussed.
- 10.8. Meetings are closed and not open to Club members to observe. However, any Club member can request to attend a Committee meeting to raise an issue or make a proposal. In addition, a Club member or several can be invited by the Committee to attend and participate in a specific item. The minutes and actions of the Committee meetings (redacted where necessary) will be made available to Club members.

Powers

- 10.9. The Committee will manage the affairs of the Club according to this Constitution and other rules and guidelines.
- 10.10. The Committee is empowered to develop and approve club policies, procedures and guidelines.
- 10.11. It will ensure that the funds of the Club are applied solely to Club objectives. It will also ensure that the property and funds of the Club are not used for the direct or indirect private benefit of individual members. No surpluses or assets will be distributed to members or third parties and all surplus income or profits will be re-invested in the Club.
- 10.12. A member of the Committee, of a sub-committee or any member of the Club, in transacting business for the Club, shall disclose to third parties that they are so acting.

- 10.13. The Committee, or any person or sub-committee delegated by the Committee to act as agent for the Club, shall enter into contracts only as far as expressly authorised by the Committee. No one shall, without the express authority of the Committee, borrow money or incur debts on behalf of the Club or its membership.

Indemnification

- 10.14. In pursuance of the authority vested in the Committee by members of the Club, members of the Committee are entitled to be indemnified by the members of the Club against any liabilities properly incurred by them or any one of them on behalf of the Club wherever the contract is of a duly authorised nature or could be assumed to be of a duly authorised nature and entered into on behalf of the Club.
- 10.15. Each member of the Club shall (to the extent that such person is not entitled to recover under any policy of insurance) be entitled to be indemnified out of all funds available to the Club which may lawfully be so applied against all costs, expenses and liabilities whatsoever reasonably incurred by such person in the proper execution and discharge of duties undertaken on behalf of the Club arising there from, or incurred in good faith in the purported discharge of such duties. Save in any such case where any such costs, expenses and liabilities arise in connection with any negligence, default, breach of duty or breach of trust. Provided that any such member so indemnified has been properly authorised in relation to the duties undertaken on behalf of the Club by the Committee.
- 10.16. The Club shall hold insurance that will adequately cover Public/Civil Liability against Club activities and use of the Club facilities.

11. Annual and Special General Meetings

- 11.1. An AGM of the Club will be held each year in October or November on a date to be fixed by the Committee. The Secretary will at least 14 days before the meeting circulate to each member notice of the meeting and the business to be brought forward. This will be done by email.
- 11.2. The Committee may at any time, upon giving 14 days' notice, call a Special General Meeting (SGM) of the Club for any special business, the nature of which shall be stated in the notice. The discussion shall be confined to the business stated in the notice.
- 11.3. The Committee shall call a SGM upon a written request to the Secretary signed by 7 members of the Committee or one third of the total number of full/life members. The Committee shall meet within 14 days of the request and then call the SGM to be held within another 14 days. This will be done via email to Club members. The discussion shall be confined to the business stated in the written request.
- 11.4. At every general meeting of the Club the Chair will preside, or in their absence, a chair elected by a majority of those present.
- 11.5. One third of the Club members (all categories except junior) personally present shall form a quorum at any general meeting.
- 11.6. Only Full and Life Members can vote at a general meeting. Social Members may attend and are welcome to speak.
- 11.7. Voting shall be by show of hands with the decision made by majority. Uncontested officer positions which have been proposed and seconded in accordance with the Constitution will be regarded as having been agreed and will not require a vote.
- 11.8. In the case of an equality of votes the Chair (or other nominated person) has a second or casting vote, on any matter.
- 11.9. The Club will also hold a Spring Meeting in March, the purpose of which is a pre-season meeting to allow membership renewal and inform members of the plans and arrangements for the playing season ahead. This is not a formal decision-making meeting. However, the

Committee reserves the right to bring constitutional and financial matters which require a Club membership decision or discussion, particularly where they cannot wait for the next AGM or do not justify the calling of a SGM.

12. Safeguarding

- 12.1. The Club recognises its responsibilities for the safeguarding of all children and young people under the age 18 and vulnerable adults over the age of 18 who may be unable to take care of himself or herself, or unable to protect himself or herself against significant harm or exploitation, regardless of gender, ethnicity or ability.
- 12.2. To support this responsibility, the Club has produced a Safeguarding Statement, a copy of which will be given to every member and will be available on the website.
- 12.3. This Statement will set out the details of the Club's Safeguarding Officers who are required to be registered with Bowls England and names notified to the Warwickshire County Bowls Association.

13. Premises and Licensing

- 13.1. The Club premises will be open to members at such times set by the Committee.
- 13.2. The Club will adhere to the requirements of the Licensing Act 2003 with regard to the purchase and supply of excisable goods.
- 13.3. The permitted hours for the sale of alcohol for consumption on Club premises are:
 - Monday to Saturday 10.00 to 23.00
 - Sundays 12.00 to 22.30
- 13.4. The Club premises licencing certificate also authorises the showing of films (indoors) in the periods 14.00 to 17.00 and 19.00 to 22.00 on Wednesdays.
- 13.5. The purchase for the Club of excisable goods and the supply of the same upon Club premises shall be exclusively and solely under the control of the Committee.
- 13.6. Intoxicating liquor may only be sold for consumption on the Club premises to persons over the age of 18 who are entitled to the use of the Club premises in line with this Constitution. No Junior Member or visitor/guest under the age of 18 may purchase or attempt to purchase intoxicating liquor within Club premises. Members working behind the bar should ask for age identification where necessary.
- 13.7. No person will take a commission, percentage or other such payment in connection with the purchase of excisable goods for the Club. Any profit from the supply of such goods shall (after deduction of the costs of providing the goods) be applied solely towards the objectives of the Club.
- 13.8. Accounts of all purchases and receipts from excisable goods will be kept and recorded in the financial report to the AGM.

14. Wellesbourne Sports Association (WSA)

- 14.1. The Club will be a section of the WSA and any business with the Parish Council will be conducted through the WSA.
- 14.2. The Chair (or nominee which can be the Vice-Chair, Secretary, Treasurer or Club Captain) will represent the Club on the WSA.

15. Dissolution of the Club

- 15.1. If, at any Committee or other meeting of the Club, a resolution is proposed calling for the dissolution of the Club, the Secretary will immediately convene a SGM to be held within 28 days to discuss and vote on the resolution.
- 15.2. If the resolution is carried by at least two-thirds of the Members present, the Committee will at the date specified in the resolution, proceed to realise the assets of the Club and discharge all debts and liabilities of the Club.
- 15.3. If, upon the winding up or dissolution of the Club, there remains after the satisfaction of all its debts and liabilities any monies or property whatsoever, those monies and property will not be paid to or distributed amongst the members of the Club. Instead, they will be transferred to one or more of the following – a registered charitable organisation, another registered community amateur sports club, Bowls England for them to invest in the sport.

16. Amendment of the Constitution

- 16.1. This Constitution will be reviewed periodically and at least annually. Approval of major revisions to the Constitution will be at an AGM or SGM. Any necessary or urgent mid-year amendments brought about through unseen circumstances can be agreed and adopted by the Committee, except on those matters which expressly require a decision at an AGM or SGM, including the setting of membership fees.
- 16.2. The Constitution and Club Handbook will be handed to members when they pay the annual membership fee. It will also be published on the website. Any mid-year revisions will be published on the website.

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3. Wellesbourne BC Officers and Committee

1. Chair (2025 – Chris Howarth)

- Uphold the Club Constitution and ensure adherence to.
- Lead the Club to achieve its goals, including growth and improvement of the Club and its facilities, attraction of new and diverse members and fostering community engagement.
- Chair all relevant meetings of the Club.
- Have the casting vote at all relevant meetings of the Club in the event of equality.
- Ensure all disciplinary matters will be dealt with in in line with the Code of Conduct.
- Represent the Club in dealings with Wellesbourne Parish Council and Wellesbourne Sports Association. Representation on the WSA can be delegated to another Club member, subject to approval of the Committee.

2. Vice Chair (2025 – Peter Vale-Humphreys)

- Support the Chair in their duties as and when required. The Vice Chair shall also assume the role of Chair in their absence.

3. Club Secretary (2025 – Richard Tapson)

- Keep a register of Club members' contact details and work with the Treasurer on the membership process.
- Conduct the correspondence of the Club.
- Custody and update of all Club documents and visibility of them to Club members.
- Administer policies which protect the interests of the Club, its Officers and its members (excluding insurance policies which sit with the Treasurer)
- Organise and prepare the papers for all meetings of the Club, the Committee and Sub-Committees. Keep minutes and actions of them.
- Website and social media administrator in conjunction with the Publicity Officer.
- Maintenance of the Club and Fixture Calendars on the website.
- Provide Club updates and other communications to Club members in conjunction with the Publicity Officer.
- Maintain the Club history.

4. Club Treasurer (2025 – Andy Beach)

- Manage the Club's financial affairs, including budgeting, banking, records and reporting.
- Work closely with other Committee members to ensure the Club's financial stability and compliance with financial regulations.
- Manage income collection, including membership fees, facilities hire and bar takings.
- Make all relevant payments on behalf of the Club and to seek Committee approval where appropriate.
- Prepare the Annual Balance Sheet for the AGM and Club Auditor.
- Administer Club insurance and indemnity policies.

5. Club Captain (2025 – Pat Keogh)

- Foster a positive and inclusive team environment on the green and promote team spirit.
- Selection of players for league and friendly matches.
- Setting the positions that each shall play taking account of expertise and experience.
- Act as the liaison between players and the Committee.

- Coordinate entry into county and national tournaments, organising registrations, fulfilment of fixtures and ensuring compliance with the relevant competition rules.

6. Women's Captain (2025 – Carol Baker)

- Ensure a full team is turned out to play women's friendly fixtures.
- In conjunction with the Fixture Secretary, responsible for maintaining women's friendly fixtures and the playing of.

7. Competitions Secretary (2025 – Jon Waight)

- Organisation of internal Club competitions for all members in partnership with the Club Captain and Women's Captain.
- Maintaining the Club Competitions Rules and ensuring adherence to.
- Organisation of Finals Weekend, including umpires and markers as necessary.
- Organisation of Presentations Day, which should be combined with an evening meal if possible. However, it could happen at the AGM if necessary. Includes responsibility for maintenance of the relevant trophies.
- Organisation of the Whitehouse Triples and John McKenzie Competitions.
- Maintain the Club honours board/list.

8. Fixture Secretaries (2025 – Marilyn Langworthy and Anne Ridgway)

- Organise and maintain all Club match and friendly schedules and fixtures (in conjunction with the Club and Women's Captains).
- Liaise with other clubs to ensure logistical details are in place for all matches.
- Ensure the calendar of fixtures is produced and maintained via the Club website, in conjunction with the Club Secretary.

9. Green Maintenance Coordinator (2025 – Malcolm Chard)

- Co-ordinate the Volunteer Green Team to ensure that the green and surrounds are in optimum playing condition.
- Co-ordinate the maintenance work carried out by Avonmore and other external persons.
- Agree the rotation of the direction of play on the green in conjunction with the Club Captain.
- Bring maintenance updates and issues to the attention of the Committee.
- Support and, where possible, co-ordinate maintenance activities which require the wider support of Club members e.g. working parties.
- This officer is not responsible for:
 - Selection of rinks for play and setting of the rinks (Club and/or Match Captains instead).
 - Green associated Health and Safety issues (Committee instead).
 - Decisions on whether the green is playable or not during adverse weather or other extreme conditions, but should be consulted where possible (Club and/or Match Captains instead)

10. Publicity Officer (2025 – Peter Vale-Humphreys)

- Building a positive public image and attracting interest in the Club's activities, events and initiatives.
- Manage the Club's communications to its members, local organisations, the Wellesbourne community and the local press (in conjunction with the Club Secretary in relation to the website, social media and newsletters).
- Market the Club to potential new players and potential sponsors. Chair the Centenary Sub-Committee and co-ordinate Centenary events, activities and fundraising.

11. Safeguarding Officers (2025 – David Burrows and Julia Joy)

- Ensure the welfare and protection of Club members, particularly vulnerable groups such as children and adults at risk.
- Develop, implement and oversee Club safeguarding policies, conduct necessary checks, and provide guidance to create a safe and inclusive environment.
- Act as the point of contact for the reporting of safeguarding concerns experienced and/or observed by Club members. Upon receipt, handle these in line with Club safeguarding policies.

12. Club Coach (2025 – David Burrows)

- Lead the coaching activities at the Club.
- Deliver or enable coaching sessions to existing and new Club members.
- Maintain up to date Bowls England qualifications and up to date safeguarding training.
- Help identify and recruit additional coaches and assist with their training.

13. Ordinary Committee Members (2025 – Denise Edwards, Geoff Langworthy, Dave Vaughan)

- To support the Club's officers in the running of the Club.
- Attendance at Committee meetings and acting as a point of reference and advice on items under discussion.
- Note – each Voluntary Committee Member is entitled to a vote at Committee meetings when one is called for by the Chair.

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4. Wellesbourne BC Code of Conduct

1. Introduction

- 1.1. Members will know that Wellesbourne Bowls Club has been built and developed over the years by its members for the benefit of members and for the advancement of the sport of bowling. It is the responsibility of everyone involved with the Club to ensure that it continues to develop and progress and that no person(s) is/are allowed to degrade or damage the property or interests of the Club or bring the Club or the sport of bowls into disrepute.
- 1.2. The Management Committee is a voluntary body elected by the membership and the Committee's commitment to the Club and its membership should be respected. It should be noted that Committee decisions are made for the benefit of the Club in general and not for the convenience of the Committee.
- 1.3. Being a member of Wellesbourne Bowls Club entitles and obligates you to certain rights and responsibilities, as it does other members, guests, visitors and the Club overall. Members of and visitors to the Club are required under this Code of Conduct to always behave in a way which upholds the values and good reputation of the Club, affiliated organisations and the game of bowls.

2. Members and Visitors have a right to:

- Be treated equitably and with respect.
- Participate in an environment free from all forms of harassment and discrimination.
- Have their privacy and confidentiality treated lawfully and with respect.
- Submit their views to the Committee provided this is done appropriately and respectfully in line with the Club's Constitution and procedures/policies.

3. Members and Visitors must:

- Treat everyone with respect, courtesy and without harassment. All members must respect the rights, (not to be harassed, discriminated or bullied) dignity and worth of all Club members regardless of age, gender reassignment, disability, marriage and civil partnership, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion or belief, sex or sexual orientation.
- Behave honestly and with integrity.
- Comply with the rules and follow all safety requirements and practices of the Club.
- Observe the rules and etiquette of the sport of bowls.
- Not use obscene, offensive language or gestures or behave in a disorderly manner.
- Refrain from behaviour that could offend or embarrass others.
- Maintain appropriate confidentiality about dealings that any person has with the Club.
- Not physically or verbally harass others (includes fight, argue, ridicule, threaten, stalk, etc.).
- Behave responsibly and not motivate or incite any person(s) to do or feel anything unpleasant or violent.
- Comply with any lawful and reasonable direction given by someone who has authority to give the direction.
- Not provide false or misleading information in response to a request for information that is made for official purposes in connection with the Club.
- Use the Club resources in an appropriate manner.
- At all times behave in a way that upholds the good reputation of the Club.

4. Members selected to play matches must:

- Adhere to and not challenge the decisions of the Club and Women's Captains in selecting teams and setting the playing positions, which they will do taking account of expertise and experience. It is recognised that match day captains (skips) will have the discretion to re-arrange playing

positions on the day to reflect conditions and opponent tactics (to be done in consultation with the Club and Women's Captains if they are present).

5. Breaches of the Code of Conduct – Reporting and Resolution

- 5.1. The Club, through its Committee, reserves the right to make decisions and enforce fair and reasonable measures following a breach of the Code of Conduct.
- 5.2. Any breach of the Code of Conduct must be reported to the Committee who will fully investigate the matter in a calm, honest and dignified manner and every effort should be made by all concerned to maintain confidentiality. Reports can be made in writing or verbally to the Chair and/or Vice-Chair. In most cases, the investigation of breaches will follow the process in Bowls England Regulation 9.
- 5.3. If, following an investigation and having considered all relevant circumstances, it is concluded that a breach has occurred, then the Committee shall take what it deems to be appropriate action. This may include issuing a formal reprimand in writing, a temporary suspension of membership or fully revoking membership.
- 5.4. In the case of non-members, action may include a ban from club premises for a set period or for life.

5. Wellesbourne BC general rules, etiquette and other useful information

1. Rules of the game

- 1.1. The Laws of the Sport of Bowls are set by the World Bowls Council and are adopted by Bowls England and its affiliated clubs for all outdoor play in England. They are available on the [World Bowls website](#) and members are encouraged to familiarise themselves, particularly those playing regularly in league matches and competitions.

2. Dress Code

- 2.1. League matches, friendly matches, competitions entered by the Club, the Club Finals Day and other Club days such as the Whitehouse Triples:
 - Club shirts, grey trousers/shorts/skorts and bowling/flat shoes of any colour.
 - The Club and Women's Captains and Competitions Secretary will advise of different requirements/colours for specific matches.
- 2.2. Matches during inclement and cold weather:
 - As above, plus preferably white or grey jackets, fleeces, jumpers and over-trousers. Other light colours are acceptable.
- 2.3. Club Night, roll-ups, practising, coaching, social nights and preliminary rounds of Club competitions:
 - Casual clothing and bowling/flat shoes or club kit if a member prefers.
- 2.4. Guests:
 - Casual clothing. They can wear flat soled trainers. No sandals.
- 2.5. Footwear:
 - This must be changed on Club premises to avoid the transfer of spores and chemicals.

3. Etiquette and conduct on the green during and after matches

- 3.1. Match players should be ready to play 15 minutes before the official start time so the skip can log player attendance and be satisfied of a full team turn out. This applies to home and away matches. If you are running unavoidably late, do try to inform the captain/skip or another player.
- 3.2. Match players shall play with bowls identified with Wellesbourne Bowls Club stickers fixed to both sides of each bowl.
- 3.3. In addition to delivering their bowls, players have specific duties which are set out later.
- 3.4. During a match, players must stand behind and out of the delivering bowlers line of sight and be silent.
- 3.5. When standing at the jack end, players must stand clear of the head and avoid any unnecessary movement when a player is on the mat and ready to bowl. Be aware of not standing in the line of sight of a bowler on an adjacent rink. Keep an eye on where your shadow is falling.
- 3.6. When an end is completed, all the bowls are collected and placed about a metre behind the mat to reduce the likelihood of an accident.
- 3.7. After a home match it is customary but not compulsory for a home player to offer his/her opposite player the first drink. If food is provided after a match, players sit at the table corresponding to their rink number. It is good etiquette for Club players to wait for all visiting players to be seated before eating.
- 3.8. A match fee is payable to the skip at the end of the match (applies to home and away matches).

- 3.9. For home matches, Wellesbourne players are expected to assist with the clearing of tables, washing up and cleaning of the floor.
- 3.10. When a home match or Club competition is in progress, there might be spare rinks which can be used for roll ups and practice. Ideally, these should start after the match has started to avoid interference with the match.

4. Etiquette and conduct on the green and club facilities at all times

- 4.1. Club members are expected to take an interest in the preservation of the green and should not play on it without wearing bowling/flat shoes.
- 4.2. No sitting on the ditch wall or deliberately stepping into the ditch itself. Try to avoid standing right on the edge of the green.
- 4.3. No smoking, vaping or betting on Club premises.
- 4.4. Roll up games should be kept to 2 hours if other members are waiting to play.
- 4.5. If all rinks are in use, ask members waiting to play if they want to join your game.
- 4.6. Only plastic drinking glasses are to be taken outside of the clubhouse but must not be taken onto the green.

5. Role of players (4 on each team)

Lead

- Leads should be adept at jack delivery and drawing close to the jack. Your aim is to draw close to the jack unless the skip says otherwise. You should ignore what the opposition lead is doing and remember that a close second bowl is as important as the shot bowl.
- You place the mat (if the team has it) ensuring that it is straight and centred. Your skip will tell you if any adjustment is necessary.
- You deliver the jack (if the team has it) to the distance determined by the skip. The skip may leave the decision to you. Assist the skip in the centring of the jack. It is up to the skips to decide whether the jack has been delivered to the legal length.
- If the end is lost, you gather the bowls as soon as the score has been agreed by the number threes of both teams – other players will usually assist.

Two

- Your role, under the skip's direction, is to consolidate a good position or salvage a bad one. The number two's skill set includes being able to draw shots as well as varying length and line.
- If playing at home you will be responsible for updating the scoreboard.
- The skip might ask you to hold the scorecard and record the points throughout the game.

Three

- You will be required to play a variety of shots as you will face every conceivable situation.
- You advise the skip when the head changes or when they ask for advice.
- You remove dead bowls from the rink and chalk the skip's touchers.
- You will need to place markers on the bank when a jack or toucher bowl enters the ditch.
- You agree the score of each end with the opposing number 3. You also measure the head when required.
- Inform the skip of the agreed score.

Skip

- It is your job to give direction, motivate and encourage the team and ensure that morale is maintained.
- You read the head and give instructions to the team on how you would like the game to progress e.g. which side to bowl and the weight of shot.
- You stand at the head while team mates play their shots.

- You work with the lead to align the mat and jack. You also determine whether the jack has reached the required distance from the mat.
- You remove dead bowls from the rink and chalk touchers.
- You are responsible for the score card while play is in progress – you can delegate the filling of the score to another player, usually the number 2.
- At the end of the game, you and the opposing skip compare score cards and sign each other's.
- You decide all disputed points and issues with the opposing skip, making sure that any decision reached is in line with the Laws of the Sport of Bowls.

General points to note

- In a triples match, the roles of the number 2 and 3 are combined.
- In a pairs match, the lead does everything that the number 2 and 3 would do.
- To ensure that the game progresses smoothly be ready with your bowl when it is your turn.
- Take your time on the mat, you do not have to vacate it until your bowl comes to rest. The skip may ask you to remain on the mat until the bowl comes to a rest so that they can communicate with you.
- When a bowl is delivered one of your feet must be on or over the mat as the bowl leaves your hand.

6. Opening times of club facilities

- 6.1. The green will generally be available for play from mid-April to the end of September. The Committee will inform members of the dates and has discretion to suspend the use of the green at any time for whatever reason.
- 6.2. During the bowling season the green will normally be available to play on from 11am to dusk. This is to allow for daily maintenance.
- 6.3. The clubhouse will be open during home matches and at other times as required.
- 6.4. During the playing season, Friday evening is Club Night when members can take part in roll ups or coaching/training sessions. The bar is also open.

7. Matches, competitions, fixtures, roll ups and practicing

- 7.1. Members can take part in a variety of matches and internal and external competitions. Details of these are on the 'When, where and who we play' page on the Club website.
- 7.2. The fixtures list (as at March 2025) is included in this handbook. There is also a fixtures calendar on the website which may include additions and changes to the printed version.
- 7.3. The process for putting your name forward for league matches and the selection process is as follows:
 - a) The Club Captain will send an email to playing members at the start of each month detailing matches to be played that month. These include home, away and friendly matches. Members can opt out of receiving these emails on the membership form.
 - b) If you would like to be considered for any of the matches, reply to the Club Captain detailing the ones you wish to play in.
 - c) All playing members will be given the opportunity to play in all positions.
 - d) Once the teams have been selected a confirmation email will be sent out.
- 7.4. The process for entering internal Club competitions is set out in this handbook.
- 7.5. Members can also enter themselves into Warwickshire County and national individual competitions. Entry into County and national pairs and team competitions is handled by the Club Captain and you can express a wish to take part.
- 7.6. Members are encouraged to use the green for practicing. Even when matches are on, there might be free rinks that can be used.

- 7.7. Members may bring a guest or guests, including new players, for roll up games. A guest bowler may only use the green 6 times during the season. The green fee is waived for guests in order to promote membership take up. It is expected that a guest member will become a full member if they wish to use Club facilities after the 6th visit.

8. Supporting the maintenance of the green and club facilities, and helping out with events.

- 8.1. The green requires continual maintenance, particularly during the playing season. Members are requested to offer whatever time and expertise they can spare to support this. There is a small group of volunteers maintaining the green and more support is always welcome. Please speak to the Green Team Liaison Officer.
- 8.2. The areas surrounding the green and the buildings require periodic maintenance which often requires the setting up of a working party. Please volunteer for these when they are called for.
- 8.3. Similarly, we hire out the clubhouse to local organisations for events, parties etc. This is an essential income stream for the Club. Please volunteer to help when a request is made.

9. Health and Safety

- 9.1. The health and safety of all members and guests who use the Club facilities is very important. This requires the Committee, members and visitors to be aware of and to discharge their respective responsibilities.
- 9.2. Similarly, the health and safety of members and contractors working in/on and maintaining Club facilities is very important. The Health and Safety at Work Act 1974 requires the Club to do what is reasonably practicable to ensure people's health and safety. Members and visitors should conduct themselves in such a manner as to ensure that they pose no risk to their own or any other person's health and safety.
- 9.3. Member volunteers using machinery for the maintenance of the facilities and those working in the kitchen and bar shall be given adequate instruction in the safe use of equipment being used.
- 9.4. The hirers of Club facilities, particularly the kitchen, will be provided with the conditions of hire which will include instruction on the use of equipment.
- 9.5. To address these requirements, the Club has a Health and Safety Statement.

10. Safeguarding and welfare of members and visitors

- 10.1. The Club recognises its responsibilities for the safeguarding of all children and young people under the age 18 and vulnerable adults over the age of 18 who may be unable to take care of himself or herself, or unable to protect himself or herself against significant harm or exploitation, regardless of gender, ethnicity or ability.
- 10.2. To support this responsibility, the Club has produced a Safeguarding Statement, a copy of which will be given to every member. This Statement sets out the details of the Club's Safeguarding Officers who are registered with Bowls England.

11. Staying informed of Club news, fixtures, match reports and activities

- 11.1. For 2025 and onwards, the main channels for this will be the Club website and Facebook page, and occasional newsletters. Email will be used for time critical communications. Email will also be the primary channel used by the Club Captain for team selection purposes.
- 11.2. The fixtures list (as at March 2025) is included in this handbook. There is also a fixtures calendar on the website which may include additions and changes to the printed version.

6. Wellesbourne BC Competitions and Rules

1. Introduction

- 1.1. Internal Club competitions are run throughout the season and all members are encouraged to take part. It brings Club members together, fosters team spirit and is a useful income stream.
- 1.2. The Club Competitions Secretary, Jon Waight, has the responsibility of co-ordinating these competitions in 2025.

2. Entry forms

- 2.1. These will be available before the Spring Meeting which is scheduled for 15/3/2025. Completed forms can be handed in at the meeting or emailed to Jon by the end of April at – jonathanwaight1@gmail.com. The form can be downloaded from the website.
- 2.2. The entry fee is £2.50 per competition.

3. Draw

- 3.1. The draw for each competition will be displayed on the Clubhouse noticeboard. Draws take place as follows:
 - Singles and pairs competitions – names are drawn at random by the Competitions Secretary, observed by one other member of the Committee.
 - Whitehouse Triples – participants will be drawn at random on the day of the competition in order to generate the teams. The teams will then agree the playing positions, which can be changed from round to round.

4. Format

- 4.1. Two wood singles are played to 21 ends.
- 4.2. Four wood singles are played to 21 shots.
- 4.3. Four wood pairs and The Whitehouse Triples are played to 18 ends or less if the match is conceded or cannot be won due to insufficient ends remaining.
- 4.4. The format for the competition in memory of John McKenzie will be announced in due course.

5. Match arrangements

- 5.1. The onus is equally on both entrants to make the arrangements to play a match. This involves jointly agreeing the date and time and, in the case of a singles match, the availability of a marker.
- 5.2. On the day of the match, the first named player/pairing is the 'challenger' who offers the opponent the choice of 2 rinks. The opponent also calls for mat selection on the toss of a coin.

6. Deadlines

- 6.1. Deadlines for each round are set by the Competitions Secretary and will be displayed on the draw sheets.
- 6.2. Entrants should aim to comply with these deadlines or as soon as possible after if there is a good reason for the delay. They must be played before the deadline for the following round.

7. Markers

7.1. A marker is required for a singles match. Members with experience of this are asked to put their names forward for this role via a sheet on the noticeboard.

8. Finals Weekend

8.1. The date will be publicised alongside the fixture list. It is preferable for all competitions to be concluded during this weekend. However, there is provision for a final to be played on a different day if necessary.

9. Trophies

9.1. These will be awarded on Presentation Day, which should be combined with an evening meal in the Clubhouse if possible. Alternatively, presentations can be made at the AGM.

7a. Wellesbourne BC Health and Safety Statement

1. Introduction

- 1.1. Wellesbourne Bowls Club recognises its responsibilities under Health and Safety at Work and Leisure legislation to:
- Provide and maintain a safe clubhouse, safe green equipment and a safe environment for its members, including volunteers working for the Club and its guests.
 - Ensure hazards and risks are identified and that there is a regular and recorded risk assessment of the facilities and activities undertaken by the Club.
 - Ensure the Club takes appropriate preventative and protective measures.
 - Promote awareness of Health and Safety encouraging best practice to all members.
 - Ensure the policy is reviewed regularly and monitored for effectiveness.

2. Organisation and Responsibilities

2.1. Responsibility for ensuring that the Club complies with Health and Safety legislation, is vested in the Club's Management Committee. They will conduct a periodic pre-season risk assessment to ensure appropriate measures are in place to eliminate/mitigate risk. In addition, the Club appoints one member as Health and Safety Officer, whose function is at any time to draw to the Committee's attention any risks/hazards.

2.2. As a Club Member you have a duty to:

- Take reasonable care for your own health and safety and that of others who may be affected by what you do or do not do.
- Comply with the Club's Health and Safety Policy.
- Use all equipment provided by the Club correctly and safely.
- Not interfere with or misuse anything provided for your health and safety.
- Wear suitable footwear on the green, either bowling shoes or, for guests, flat soled shoes (no sandals).
- Take care on walkways and surrounds and take special care when stepping onto or off the green.
- Take care when using electrical equipment and not use damaged or suspect equipment. Defective equipment should be taken out of use immediately and reported to a member of the Committee.
- Not lift beyond their capacity and assistance should be sought when lifting, moving heavy furniture or other equipment.
- Store bowls and other equipment safely.
- Take extra care when storing and accessing pushers and two metre sticks on their rails.
- Always conduct their activities in a way to minimize the risk of fire. They have a duty to report immediately any fire, smoke, or potential fire hazards. Make sure you are aware of where Fire Extinguishers are placed in the clubhouse.

3. Measures in Place to Mitigate Risk

- Fire extinguishers are inspected annually and serviced by qualified personnel.
- Electrical installations and portable electrical equipment are subject to periodic inspection and testing.
- Chemicals, petrol and fertilizers are held securely under lock and key.
- First Aid box to be checked every 4-6 weeks by the Health and Safety Officer. Location made clear to members.
- Accident Book displayed by the First Aid box.

7b. Wellesbourne BC Safeguarding Statement

1. Introduction

- 1.1. Wellesbourne Bowls Club recognises its responsibilities for the safeguarding of all children and young people under the age 18 and vulnerable adults over the age of 18 who may be unable to take care of himself or herself, or unable to protect himself or herself against significant harm or exploitation, regardless of gender, ethnicity or ability.
- 1.2. All people have the right to be safe from harm and must be able to live free from fear of abuse, neglect and exploitation and to that end the Club adopts this statement that applies to, and must be followed, by all members and their guests.
- 1.3. The following principles are those upon which this Safeguarding Statement is based:
 - The welfare of a child, young person and a vulnerable adult will always be paramount.
 - The welfare of families, the vulnerable and the elderly will be promoted.
 - The rights, wishes and feelings of children, young people and their families and vulnerable adults will be respected and listened to.
 - Club members behave in accordance with the interests of those safeguarded and follow the statement outlined below.
- 1.4. This document is written in accordance with the 'Working Together to Safeguard Children' produced by the Department of Education in 2018 and The Care Act 2014.

2. Statement

Prevention and Reporting of Abuse and Responding to Concern

- 2.1. It is the duty of every member of the Club to prevent the physical, sexual or emotional abuse, neglect or exploitation of children, young people and vulnerable adults. It is the duty of all to respond to concerns about the wellbeing of children, young people and vulnerable adults and to report any abuse disclosed, discovered or suspected. The Club will fully co-operate with any statutory investigation into any suspected abuse linked to the activity or facility of the Club and its members.

Safe Support of Members

- 2.2. The Club will exercise proper care in the selection of those in contact with children, young people and vulnerable adults in the playing of bowls or during any event organised and run by the Club. The Club will arrange for the appropriate level of Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) checks and training/guidance for those routinely working with children, young people and vulnerable adults.

Safe Practice and Safe Premises

- 2.3. The Club is committed to providing a safe environment for activities with children, young people and vulnerable adults, where appropriate and will adopt ways of working with them that promote their safety and wellbeing.

Responsible People

- 2.4. The Club will consult with Bowls England and the Warwickshire County Bowls Association and any other a relevant body to give support and advice on Safeguarding matters.
- 2.5. For 2025, the Club has appointed two Safeguarding Officers and has registered these with Bowls England. Their names and contact details are set out below. These officers are the first point of contact for If you suspect a safeguarding issue or if someone discloses something to you.
- 2.6. Parents have a responsibility to work with the Club in implementing procedures and providing their children with the necessary information to keep themselves safe.

Accompanying and supervising junior members

- 2.7. Where children up to the age of 13 years old are involved with the Club as Junior Bowling Members or visitors to the Club they shall be accompanied and under the full supervision of the parent/s who will take full responsibility for their child's welfare.
- 2.8. For children over the age of 13 years the parent/s can nominate, by agreement, a Club Bowling Member to supervise their child whilst involved with the Club but it remains the parent/s responsibility for any risks associated with this arrangement.

Procedures

- 2.9. The Club is affiliated to Bowls England and, therefore, has adopted the Bowls England Safeguarding Policies for Children and Adults. These are on the Bowls England website and are also linked on the Club's safeguarding page on its website.
- 2.10. Each member of the Club will be given a copy of this statement.

Club Safeguarding Officers

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7c. Wellesbourne BC Privacy and GDPR Statement

1. Introduction

- 1.1. This policy applies to personal information collected by Wellesbourne Bowls Club and sets out the principles governing our processing of that information, in the way we use, keep secure and disclose it under Data Protection Act and the General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR).
- 1.2. The personal information which is necessary for us to operate the Club membership includes: - first and last names, address, post code, telephone numbers, email address and membership of another affiliated club. Where relevant we collect information about coaching and umpiring qualifications and DBS clearances.
- 1.3. The Club has chosen to use Legitimate Interest as the basis for holding your personal data and has completed a voluntary Legitimate Interest Assessment, the outcomes of which are held by the Club Secretary.

2. How we collect this personal information

- 2.1. All the information collected is obtained directly from each member. This is usually at the point of application for or renewal of membership.
- 2.2. At the point personal information for membership is provided, consent for the Club to store and use the data will be requested.
- 2.3. Consent is required in order to ensure the Club's compliance with Data Protection legislation.

3. How we use your personal information

- 3.1. The Club will limit the collection and use of a member's personal information. The purposes for collecting the information are:
 - Maintaining a Wellesbourne Bowls Club database to facilitate administration and management.
 - Contacting members about fixtures and team selection i.e. requesting availability and informing who has been selected (unless a member has opted out of this contact).
 - **Enabling members to contact one another to support the operation of the Club. Every member will be sent a list of membership contact details. This information will be limited to name, email address and contact phone number taken from the Club database. A member will be able to opt out via the membership application/renewal form or by informing the Club Secretary.**
 - Communicating Club news and information about all upcoming events and the Club in general.
 - Contacting members about activities taking place at Club facilities, including requests for support.
 - Contacting members with information relating to membership and details of events and other matters which we think may be of interest to each member.
 - Communicating membership information to Warwickshire County Bowls Association and Bowls England. The Club is required to supply the names only of its members to both of these organisations to comply with the conditions of affiliation.

4. Timescale

- 4.1. We will store each member's information electronically and/or paper-based from the point of collection for as long as they are a member of the Club. After you cease to be a member your personal information will be retained for a period of up to 1 year before being deleted.

5. Security

- 5.1. We strive to protect the privacy and security of our database, and to maintain the reliability and accuracy of personal information. We will hold information collected by us on a password protected computer and in cloud-based storage including MS365 and Google Drive.
- 5.2. Although we cannot guarantee the security of all transmissions of personal information, especially where the internet is involved, we take all reasonable steps to ensure security of all transmissions. You need to accept the inherent security implications of providing information and will not hold us responsible for any breach of security or disclosure of information unless we have been proved to be negligent.

6. With whom we share your information

- 6.1. The people who may have access to a member's personal information are: -
 - The Club Committee.
 - All Club members as previously described).
 - Warwickshire County Bowling Association (as previously described)
 - Bowls England (as previously described)
 - Warwickshire County Bowling Association affiliated clubs in the case of Qualified Coaches and Umpires

7. Photographs

- 7.1. We may take photographs of members attending matches or other events and we may wish to use them for marketing or advertising purpose or publishing on the Club's website. We will only include details or names of any person in an image on our website or in printed publications for a good reason. For example, we may include the full name of a competition prize winner.

8. Information Access and Corrections

- 8.1. Members need to inform the Club Secretary of any changes in personal information.
- 8.2. You have right of access under the General Data Protection Regulations to information the Club holds about you.

9. Opt-out choice

- 9.1. Members have the right to withdraw at any time agreement to any of the individual consent options on the membership form by informing the Club Secretary.
- 9.2. Members have the right to withdraw consent to having any personal photos published by informing the Club Secretary.
- 9.3. These requests will be acted on as soon as possible and in any event within 3 months. There will be a longer period (up to 12 months) involved for withdrawal of your contact details from a printed document.

10. Data Breach Notification

- 10.1. All personal data breaches must be reported immediately to the Secretary. If that breach is likely to result in a risk to the rights and freedoms of data subjects, the Secretary will ensure that the Information Commissioner's Office is informed within 72 hours of becoming aware of it.

You have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner's Office which enforces data protection laws: <https://ico.org.uk>.

Approved by WBC Committee 29/1/25
Next review January 2026

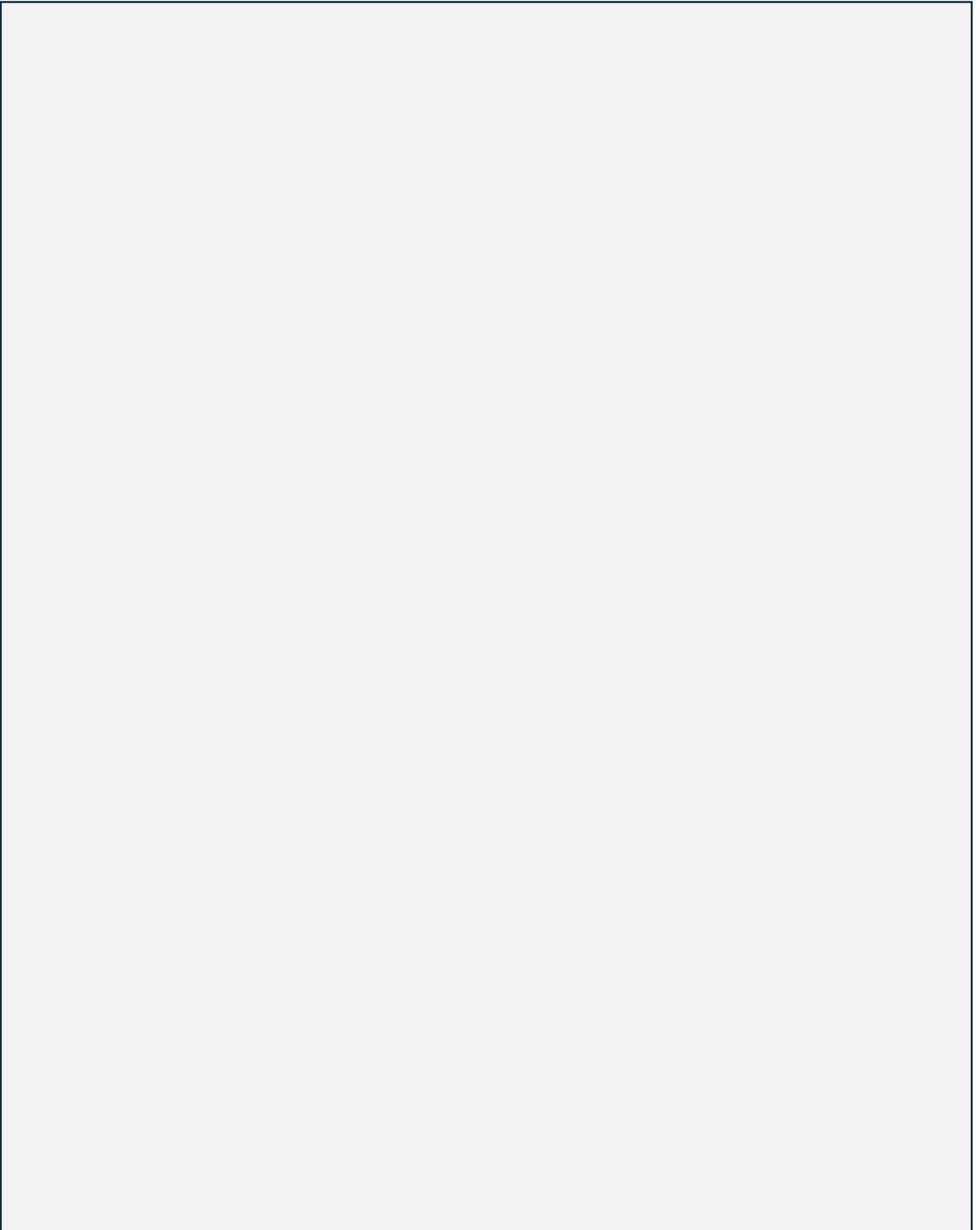
8. Fixtures 2025

As at 15/3/2025 – see Club website for current list

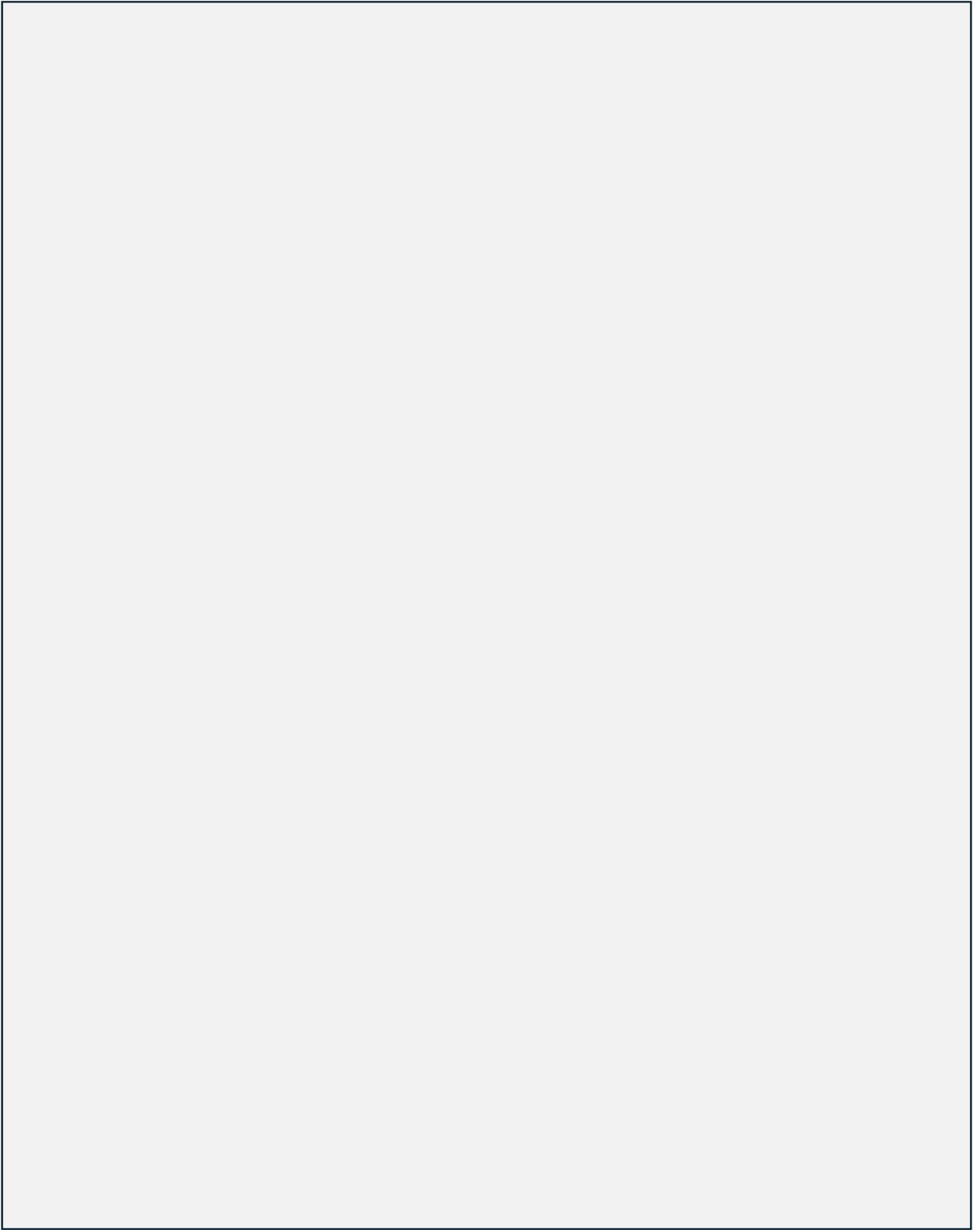
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APRIL							
23	Wed	RLS 3	H	1400	3	G	Pickering
24	Thu	WCC Staff	H	1830	TBC	TBC	Friendly
26	Sat	WBC Training Day – open to all members					Club event
29	Tue	Stratford	A	1830	3	G	KDL
MAY							
1	Thu	Snitterfield	H	1830	3	G	KDL
6	Tue	Welford	A	1815	3	G	KDL
7	Wed	Little Compton	H	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
8	Thu	FISSC	A	1815	3	G	KDL
13	Tue	Avenue	A	1800	3	G	KDL
15	Thu	Newbold	A	1815	3	G	KDL
17	Sat	WBC Open Afternoon alongside Beer Fest.		1300			Club event
20	Tue	Chipping Campden	A	1830	3	G	KDL
21	Wed	Shipston Sports	A	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
21	Wed	Whitnash	A	1400	2 Triples	TBC	Friendly - ladies
22	Thu	FISSC	H	1830	3	G	KDL
24	Sat	Bowls Big Weekend Open Day @ WBC		1000			Club event
27	Tue	Avon	H	1815	3	G	KDL
28	Wed	Avon 2	A	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
29	Thu	Southam	H	1815	3	G	KDL
JUNE							
3	Tue	Ilmington	H	1830	3	G	KDL
4	Wed	WCC Staff	H	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
5	Thu	Avenue	H	1800	3	G	KDL
10	Tue	Fenny Compton	H	1830	3	G	KDL
11	Wed	RLS 4	A	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
14	Sat	John McKenzie Trophy		TBC		G	Club event
18	Wed	Bidford 2	A	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
19	Thu	Kineton	A	1830	3	G	KDL
22	Sun	Southam Gala	A	TBC	TBC	TBC	Gala - ladies
23	Mon	Friends of English Bowling	H	1400	6	W	Centenary - mixed
JULY							
1	Tue	Snitterfield	A	1830	3	G	KDL

DATE		TEAM	VENUE	TIME	RINKS	DRESS	FIXTURE
2	Wed	Bowls England	H	1400	6	W	Centenary - mixed
3	Thu	Moreton in Marsh	A	1830	3	G	KDL
8	Tue	Southam	A	1815	3	G	KDL
9	Wed	RLS 3	A	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
13	Sun	Warwickshire County Bowls Assoc.	H	1400	6	W	Centenary – mixed for WBC. Men for WCBA
15	Tue	Warwick Boat Club	A	1830	3	G	KDL
16	Wed	Little Compton	A	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
19	Sat	Newbold	H	1430	3	G	KDL
23	Wed	Stratford 2	H	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
24	Thu	Chipping Campden	H	1830	3	G	KDL
30	Wed	Shipston Sports	H	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
31	Thu	Moreton in Marsh	H	1830	3	G	KDL
AUGUST							
2	Sat	Kineton	H	1430	3	G	KDL
6	Wed	Avon 2	H	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
7	Thu	Fenny Compton	A	1815	3	G	KDL
10	Sun	South Warwickshire Bowls Assoc.	H	1400	6	W	Centenary - mixed
12	Tue	Ilmington	A	1815	3	G	KDL
13	Wed	WCC Staff	A	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
14	Thu	Avon	A	1815	3	G	KDL
19	Tue	Warwick Boat Club	H	1830	3	G	KDL
20	Wed	RLS 4	H	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
21	Thu	Shipston Sports	H	1430	TBC	TBC	Friendly
23	Sat	Welford	H	1430	3	G	KDL
26	Tue	Homeguard	H	1800	TBC	TBC	Friendly
27	Wed	Bidford 2	H	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
28	Thu	WCC Staff	A	1800	TBC	TBC	Friendly
SEPTEMBER							
2	Tue	Stratford	H	1730	3	G	KDL
3	Wed	Stratford 2	A	1400	3 Triples	G	Pickering
6	Sat	WBC Finals Weekend		TBC		G	Club event
7	Sun	WBC Finals Weekend		TBC		G	Club event
9	Tue	Homeguard	A	1730	TBC	TBC	Friendly
11	Thu	Shipston Sports	A	1430	TBC	TBC	Friendly
14	Sun	Whitehouse Triples Trophy		TBC	TBC	G	Club event

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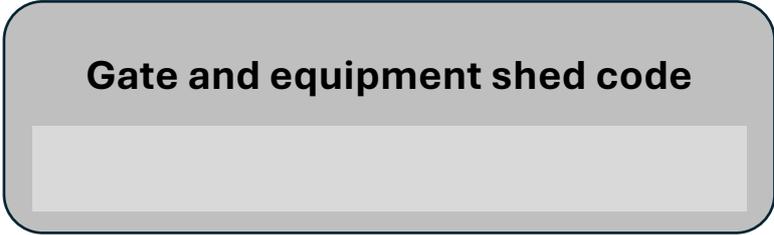


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Gate and equipment shed code



Membership fees for 2025:

Full member - £90 (reduced to £45 for the first year)

Junior member - £20 (reduced to £10 for the first year)

Social member - £20



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