



## RULES OF PLAY FOR PROGRESSIVE BEST BALL

- 1a The game is played with a golf putter, golf balls and a lawn bowls jack
- 1b The game is played on a lawn bowls green
- 1c All participants or teams must use a coloured or marked golf ball that can be identified
- 1d There can be any number of participants (preferably limited to 10), the game can be played individually or in pairs or teams
- 2a Play must take place in an order, the first person to play chooses where to play from and sets the distance of the jack. The jack is positioned by rolling it out by hand and then is centred in the playing lane. The first player or team will become the last to putt from the next end
- 2b The playing area is between the marked lines or boundaries of the lane, all areas outside of these lines including the gutter are deemed to be Out of Bounds. A ball must finish in the field of play to score a point
- 2c Once one end has been played the next end commences in the opposite direction
- 3a The first player to start each end can choose the position to putt from, each subsequent player must play from that same length but can move laterally to either side of the marked lane
- 3b A point is scored if the player or teams best putt finishes closer than the oppositions best putt. One point only is scored at each end with the exception if a ball that strikes the jack also finishes closest then that ball will score two points.
- 3c Only a player or teams best putt shall remain on the playing surface, any other putt shall be lifted and removed from the field of play before the next putt
- 4b The game is concluded when a player or team reaches five points, or the winner is decided by the leading player or team at a set number of ends