Bowls Birkenhead Social Bowls3Five Frequently Asked Questions

I have never played before?

No experience necessary, We can give you a quick lesson on the night. There will be bowlers around to answer your questions

Can my girlfriend or boyfriend play? Yes, it is a mixed tournament

What do I need? Soft flat soled shoes, jandals or bare feet. Sweater or jacket. Money – the bar is open selling alcoholic and non alcoholic drinks and snacks and there are raffles on sale each evening.

Do I need Bowls? We can provide bowls for you to use on the night or you can bring your own.

What is the entry fee? \$180 per team, that's \$60 per player for 6 evenings and meal included

What do we get for our Team entry fee? 18 games of bowls (weather dependant), 18 meals, 6 nights of great fun and socialising and the chance to win some great prizes.

Are there prizes? Each night there are prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd overall, a consolation on the last game of the evening and various door prizes

I can't play every night? That's fine; just get a friend to take your place in the team on those evenings.

I'd like to play but can't get a team?. Contact Evan (021 0575491) and he will endeavour to find a team for you.

Can I have a practice? Yes, the greens are available for practice from 5pm on the evening.

How long does it all take? Play starts at 6pm, 3 games, followed by the prize giving and a meal, it's all over about 9pm

What if it rains?

If it rains during the evening we will do our best to get the games through but we don't want you wet and miserable. If we don't get out on the green there will still be raffles, a meal and the prizes will be determined by the tried-and-true bowlers method of "cutting cards", don't worry we will still have a good time.

Greens Open or Closed?

A decision will be made around 3.30pmpm on the day if there will be play on the greens that evening or it will be "cutting cards" and a meal in the Clubrooms.

If in doubt ring the club the club after 3.30pm, the Club's facebook page has up to date Social Bowls3Five information on it (Birkenhead bowling club).