

Zone 14 Bowling Association Inc.

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Match Committee Notice – 2023-24 – 003

1st July 2023

Zone 14 2023-24 Championships **Pairs**

Entries Close Fri 21st July 2023

All formats of the Pairs Competitions will be played as knockout. The Open Pairs will be a zone wide draw, with all games played in the Zone's central area. The Seniors & Reserve disciplines will be drawn such that the first 2 rounds (Day 1) will be played at either a northern or southern venue (players that are members of central clubs will play Day 1 either southern or northern in a manner to balance the numbers between each). If entries in the Seniors or Reserves are more than anticipated then the north/south split may be for 4 rounds (2 days).

Dates of Play	Sat 12 th August	Sun 23 th August	Sat 26 th August	Sun 27 th August
Extra Dates (if needed)	Sat 9 th December	Sun 10 th December	Sat 16 th December	Sun 17 th December

Entry fee is \$10 per player.

Venues						
Open Pairs	Kempsey RSL – no green fees	South West Rocks (if needed) – no green fees				
Senior Pairs	Port City (Day 1) - \$10/day	Kempsey RSL / SWR – no green fees				
	Urunga (Day 1) - \$10/day	Kempsey RSL / SWR – no green fees				
Reserve Pairs	Port City (Day 1) - \$10/day	Kempsey RSL / SWR – no green fees				
	Nambucca Heads (Day 1) - \$10/day	Kempsey RSL / SWR – no green fees				

Mens Pairs: this competition is open to all registered male players.

Mens Senior Pairs: this competition is open to all registered male players that are aged 60 or greater at 5^{th} October 2024 (first date scheduled for **The Bowls Australia Nationals**).

Reserve Pairs: this competition is open to all registered players that;

- have a 2022/23 grading of 5,6, or 7 (State Open Pennant), or
- be ungraded in Open Gender Pennant and not played 50% or more matches in the current or previous season in Division 1 or 2 Single Gender Pennant, AND
- not have a grading higher than 5 (State Open Pennant) in the current season as at the close of entries (21st July 2023)

Please refer to the <u>General Conditions of Play</u>, & the <u>State Championship Conditions of Play</u> that can be found on the Bowls NSW website.

The competitions will be administered using **BowlsLink**.

A bowler may only enter into <u>one discipline</u> of competition.

Zone winner qualifies for 2023-24 Bowls NSW State Championships scheduled to be held 1-13 March 2024.



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For The Admins

How to Enter:

Feel free to use the following page for your noticeboard.

All entries are to be entered via Bowlslink.

Accompanying this notice is the proforma invoice for your club's entries into the competition. If you club requires an invoice, please fill in the details required (the PDF is editable on your computer) and give the invoice to the person responsible for paying the bills.

Entry fees for this competition need to be paid by the 4th August 2023.

Using Bowlslink to Enter Teams for other people:

- 1. ensure you have their details including the NIN (National ID Numbers)
- 2. ensure you are using your personal profile (not the club admin profile)
- 3. click on competitions
- 4. click on the available (column heading)
- 5. type "zone 14" into the search box and hit enter
- 6. The three pairs events should be listed click on the spanner of the required comp and select "enter comp"
- 7. It will default to you entering, click on the trash can in the top right of the grey box.
- 8. Type in DELETE and click REMOVE
- 9. Click on ADD PLAYER
- 10. Select "- Someone Else?" and click CONTINUE
- 11. Click LINK MEMBER
- 12. Enter their NIN and click SEARCH
- 13. If correct, click on SELECT
- 14. Select the player's position (lead or skip)
- 15. Click SAVE
- 16. Repeat steps 10 through 15 for the second player
- 17. Click NEXT
- 18. Click on LINK CLUB
- 19. Type in at least part of your club name and click SEARCH
- 20. Click SELECT alongside the correct club name
- 21. Click NEXT
- 22. Click NEXT
- 23. Check all the details, and if correct click the tick box alongside "Do you accept these terms...." and then click on CONFIRM AND SUBMIT

Please note, there are other ways of entering teams, and if you are familiar with another way, then go for it. The method above works for anybody! The person entering the team does not need to have club admin access, they simply need their own login to Bowlslink. With this in mind, you might like to give the option to your members to enter their own teams, and have them let you know they have done so, so you know the total number of teams from your club that you have to pay entry fees for.

If you have any problems or questions, please feel free to contact Mark Sharpe – 0435 625 129 – zone14@taxicab.net.au



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2023-24 Zone 14 Pairs Championships

Lead Name	NIN	Skip Name	NIN	Open	Senior	Reserve
Entries close 21 st July 2023 – No late entries will be accepted						