



September 2024 Newsletter

Region Events

2024–25 State Pairs Qualifiers completed.

- The full results are on Bowlslink.

2024–25 State Triples Qualifiers Finals

- The Finals scheduled for Saturday 28th September have been delayed due to bad weather.
- The finals are now scheduled for Saturday 19th October 2024.

This was the first of the Triples competitions to be run by Mid-North Coast Bowls and we are very appreciative of everybody who showed their support for the new Region by entering these competitions.

2024–25 Women's Pennant Competition

Grade	Northern Section Winners	Southern Section Winners
1	Park Beach	Port City
2	Sawtell	Lake Cathie Blue
3	Kempsey Macleay RSL	North Haven
4	Sawtell	Port City Red

Section winners have now been decided and the finals playoffs are scheduled for Tuesday 8th October 2024 at Kempsey Bowlo. The playoffs will be followed by lunch for the Winners and Runner Ups and a presentation.

Click on [Mid North Coast 2024–25 Women's Pennant](#) to access Bowlslink for further details of the competition.

2024–25 State Fours Qualifiers

- Entries are now open in Bowlslink
- The closing date for entries is Friday 18th October 2024.
- Players should be familiar with the 2024–25 Conditions of Play as there have been changes since 2023–24.
- Please note the Conditions of Entry in Bowlslink

2024–25 Men's Pennant Competition

This competition is scheduled to run over two weekends in December.

The revamped format has seen a rise in the number of entries, and this is a very positive result for the competition in this Region.

Entries have now closed, and the Match Committee are working on the draws.

2024–25 Representative Nomination Forms

Nominations are now being called for from all registered bowlers (Men & Women) seeking selection to represent the Mid-North Coast Region this season.

Details have been emailed to all club secretaries.

Closing date Saturday 5th October 2024

Region Website Updates

The Mid-North Coast Bowls website is located at [Mid North Coast Bowls](#)

The sections for Committees and Newsletters have now been updated



Additional Information

Attire for Umpires and Controlling Bodies

Following some confusion in regards to the attire to be worn by both Umpires and Controlling Bodies, an email was sent to Bowls NSW and the response is as follows: –

Unfortunately, I cannot give you any policy in regard to the accepted attire for National Umpires or the Controlling Body, although it is highly recommended that what they wear must be in accordance with the Bowls NSW Uniform Policy.

Below is the HIGHLY recommended attire:

- National Umpire:

– *National Umpire Uniform.*

- Women can wear be the Pink & Blue shirt or the current National Umpires uniform.

Men can wear the Grey/green shirt or the current National Umpires uniform.

- Please note: that the Lower Body attire & footwear must be in accordance with the Bowls NSW Uniform Policy.

It is noted that some clubs & Regions have their own National Umpires uniform, however they must be in accordance with the Bowls NSW Uniform Policy.

It is recommended that if their umpire's uniform does need replacing, they should replace their uniform with the current National Umpires Uniform from BA.

- Controlling Body:

– *The Controlling Body should be dressed in their Club Uniform and this uniform must be in accordance with the Bowls NSW Uniform Policy.*

Communication Pathways

Currently all communications are being emailed to the club secretaries/coordinators and posted on Facebook.

In addition, we are looking at sending emails out via the Bowlslink email campaign system (possibly starting towards the end of September).

Please see your club Secretaries/Admin to update your contact information in Bowlslink if you are unable to do so.

Bowls NSW Policies

Some of the Bowls NSW Policies were updated earlier this year. For the current policies please check the Bowls NSW website or click on the link [Bowls NSW Ltd Policies](#)

Bowls NSW, and Bowls Australia, have also adopted Sports Integrity Australia's (SIA) National Integrity Framework. The National Integrity Framework is a set of rules that all members of our sport need to follow when it comes to our behaviour and conduct. To view these policies, please go to the Bowls Australia website or click on the link [Bowls Australia – National Integrity Framework](#)

Facebook Group

Click on [Mid North Coast Bowls Facebook](#)

Region Calendar

Click on [MNCB Team Up Calendar](#)