

Clubs NZ 34th North Island Ladies Outdoor Bowls Championship Tournament
Minutes of the Delegates Meeting held at Manurewa Cosmopolitan Club
Tuesday 14th November 2023

Meeting opened at 6pm: Mike Cassidy Clubs NZ

Board member welcomed all present

Present:

Hamilton Workingmen's Club: Raewyn Chalken & Judi Bishop

Club Vista: Carol Rolton & Eileen Jones

Johnsonville Club: Paula Meredith

Ohope Chartered Club: Margaret O'Regan & Kirsty Lee

Papakura Club: Semara Watt

Pukekohe Cosmopolitan Club: Kathy Steiner

Piopio Cosmopolitan Club: Wendy Weinberg

Raglan Club: Eileen Stephen

St John's Club: Linda Lowe & Deb Garside

Waitara District Services & Citizens Club: Tina Quilter & Gloria Wolfe

Manurewa Cosmopolitan Club: Jan Jones & Maureen Rodwell

Apologies: None

A Minutes silence in Remembrance for those who have passed away.

Minutes of Last Delegates Meeting to be confirmed as a true and correct record.

Moved: Hamilton Workingmen's Club – Raewyn Chalken

Seconded: St John's Club – Lynda Lowe

Matters Arising: All agreed a change to 15 ends was a very good move.

Update from Host Club 2024:

The delegate from St Johns Club, Wanganui spoke on their plans to host this tournament. They are all looking forward to this.

Future Tournament 2025:

No definite interest. Hamilton Workingmen's Club could be interested.

A discussion was held on one year to be held in the North Island and one in the South Island.

Eileen Stephens, Raglan Club spoke on the **Conditions of Play** for Manurewa's Tournament. The following were her suggestions to change.

Clause 8 (iv) (Leave subclauses i, ii, iii and v as they are)

Subclause iv to read:

No change of players will be allowed except in cases of illness or some other reasonable cause as approved by the controlling body. Bowls New Zealand Domestic Regulation Clause 2 shall apply... Once an entry has been accepted, as per Clause 1 of the COP for this tournament, a 'Change of player prior to the start of the event' can be lodged and approved by the controlling body. This player is NOT considered to be a substitute and can play in any position in the team. See BNZ Domestic Regulations Clause 2.2. Once the tournament has started a substitute can be applied for and approved by the controlling body, this player may NOT play as skip as per BNZ Domestic Regulations Clause 2.4.

Explanation: A team is entered into the competition. If it is a composite team, the player from the minority club CANNOT play as skip (as per Clause 1 of the COP for this event – this is correct and does not need changing at all). If a 'change of player before the event starts' is requested, the controlling body has to approve this request but this player can play in any position as they are NOT considered to be a substitute. Then, once the game has started a substitute has to be approved by the controlling body and this player CANNOT play as skip.

Meeting closed at 6:20pm.