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Nau mai haere mai!

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On behalf of Bowls Auckland, it gives me great pleasure to extend a warm welcome to all participants of the 2024 Premier Development Octagonal Challenge. This event promises to be an exhilarating competition for the eight participating Centres, offering a valuable opportunity for bowlers to showcase their skills in a high-stakes environment.

To all the players, we acknowledge your commitment and congratulate you on your selection. Whether you are representing your Centre for the first time or returning as a seasoned representative, I have every confidence that you will relish this experience.

In competition, victory is not the sole measure of success. True champions are distinguished not only by their triumphs but also by their sportsmanship, in both victory and defeat. Let us remember that as we compete, the spirit of the game is important.

I thank the Howick Bowling Club and its dedicated volunteers for their invaluable support. Additionally, my thanks extend to the tournament officials for the efforts in ensuring the smooth flow of the programme. Your contributions are deeply appreciated and integral to the success of this event.

As the competition unfolds, I wish each one of you the very best. May your bowls be true, and may this challenge be filled with camaraderie, skill, and sportsmanship.

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Dean Bartlett
CEO Bowls Auckland



Event details

Event host

Bowls Auckland
17 Stokes Road, Mt Eden

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Host venue

Howick Bowling Club
33 Selwyn Road, Howick

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howickbowls.co.nz

Tournament Director

Brendon Walton
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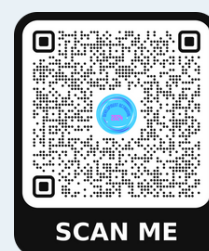
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Results

For event results and
standings scan the QR
code or simply
[follow this link](#)



Food

-  MORNING & AFTERNOON refreshments will be available for purchase.
-  LUNCH on both days for participating reps and their centre officials, courtesy of Bowls Auckland.
-  DINNER on Saturday night is in the upstairs lounge.



Event schedule

DAY ONE - SATURDAY 16 MARCH 2024

8:30am Reporting time

8:45am Trial ends

9:00am – 11:00am Round 1

11:15am – 1:15pm Round 2

1:15pm – 2:00pm Lunch

2:00pm – 4:15pm Round 3

4:15pm – 6:15pm Round 4

6:30pm Dinner

DAY TWO - SUNDAY 17 MARCH 2024

8:00am Reporting time

8:15am Trial ends

8:30am – 10:30am Round 5

10:45am – 12:45pm Round 6

12:45pm – 1:30pm Lunch

1:30pm – 3:30pm Round 7

3:45pm Presentations



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Auckland team list

MEN		WOMEN	
Adam Baillie	Auckland BC	Philly Akaruru	Bridge Park
Adam Blucher	Te Atatu	Helen Blick*	Carlton Cornwall
Viliani Fifita*	Auckland BC	Linda Fenton	St Heliers
Craig Harold	Te Atatu	Jane Field	St Heliers
Peni Panapa	Papatoetoe HC	Rachel Hancock	Onehunga & Districts
Taiki Paniani	Bridge Park	Angela Longney	St Heliers
Lee Warburton	Auckland BC	Lesley McLinden	Bridge Park
Fraser Young	Pt Chevalier	Pip Wilton	St Heliers
Peter Blucher	Manager	Robyn Reihana	Manager
Peter Blick	Manager		

*Reserve





Bay of Plenty team list

MEN		WOMEN	
Andre Hudson	Tauranga South	Janet Barnard	Whakatane
Terry Leadbetter	Tauranga South	Charlene Beckett	Ngongotaha
Jeff Meekings	Omokoroa	Rachelle Morrison	Omokoroa
Bill Morrison*	Omokoroa	Katarina Stepec	Ohope
Ashley Snookes	Opotiki	Angela Stephen	Omokoroa
Jarryd Spriggs	Mt Maunganui	Simone Stewart	Omokoroa
Michael Staite	Ngongotaha	Caitlin Thomson	Omokoroa
Cliff Webber	Omokoroa		
Ron Crimlis	Coach	Robyn Davis	Coach
Bruce Settle	Manager	Pat Andrews*	Manager

*Reserve





Counties Manukau team list

MEN		WOMEN	
Dave Burns	Papakura	Pauline Hayward	Papakura
Karam Chesham	Hunua	Shirley Hodge	Papakura
Peter Hunia	Papakura	Diane Main	Pukekohe
Kevin Judson	Buckland	Christine Mason	Papakura
Mark Kamphorst	Patumahoe	Gail Nelson	Buckland
Karl McInnes	Manurewa	Moi Porea	Buckland
Andre Rautenbach	Pukekohe	Wendy Shaddock	Papakura
Mat Wesche	Hunua	Kathy Steiner	Pukekohe
Mark Kamphorst	Manager & Coach	Fay Sergent	Manager





Hawke's Bay team list

MEN		WOMEN	
Aaron Bryant	Omaranui	Gay Anderson	Havelock North
Mike Eagle	Havelock	Sue Brown	Omaranui
Paul Falvey	Taradale	Diane Cross	Kia Toa
Simon Frater	Napier	Sharon Grant	Omaranui
Jason Northe	Waipawa	Jackie Hickey	Omaranui
Hein Pharanqua	Hastings	Janine Maconaghie	Kia Toa
Colin Scott	Havelock	Sue Matkin	Taradale
Hewson Whiting	Taradale	Debbie Walters	Waipawa
Sheryl Viggers	Coach	Louise Fitness	Coach
		Faye Lacey	Manager



5m X 35.5m



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Northland team list

MEN		WOMEN	
Tim Apaapa	Kensington	Chris Budge	Kensington
Warwick Catchpole	Mangawhai	Michelle Harrington	Kensington
Garry Fraser	Kamo	Diane Klomp	Kensington
Errol Koroii	Maungaturoto	Savanna Lauder	Hikurangi
George Lyddiard	Kensington	Angela Moon	One Tree Point
Duncan Rhind	Waipu	Lyn Simons	Kamo
Paul Wightman	Mangawhai	LeaAnne Watson	Kensington
Paul Williams	One Tree Point	Sue Wightman	Coach
George Lyddiard	Manager	Leigh Ogier	Manager





North Harbour team list

MEN		WOMEN	
Jerry Belcher	Takapuna	Jan Calcott	Takapuna
Nick Cape	Birkenhead	Jamie Chen	Takapuna
Matthew Higginson	Manly	Judi Farkesh	Takapuna
Jack Huriwai	Birkenhead	Keiko Kurohara	Takapuna
Stewart MacDonald	Warkworth	Adele Ineson	Takapuna
Brent Malcolm	Takapuna	Michelle MacDonald	Warkworth
Chad Nathan	Birkenhead	Sharon Parker	Helensville
Pete Sheehan	Browns Bay	Colleen Rice	Mairangi Bay
Laurie Kean	Manager	Hanaan Shahwan	Manager
		Penny Wakelin	Manager





Waikato team list

MEN		WOMEN	
Dave Campbell	Rewa	Teri Blackburn	Claudelands
Warrick Flintoff	Te Awamutu	Roslyn Brown	Cambridge
Scott Henderson	Rewa	Mary Hughes	Central Cambridge
Andrew Leota	Putaruru	Julie Logan	Bowls Morrinsville
Chen Naude	Putaruru	Kath Nepe	Tokoroa
Paul Sutton	Putaruru	Lou Roughton	Claudelands
James Thomson	Rewa	Maia Wilson	Tokoroa
Russ Murphy	Coach	Rex McGill	Coach
Bryan Scott	Manager		





Wellington team list

MEN		WOMEN	
Brent Ahern	Titahi Bay	Cherie Brien	Stokes Valley
Gavin Bannatyne	Upper Hutt	Lynette Campbell	Johnsonville
John Brien	Stokes Valley	Kathy Cross	Naenae
Petera Johnson	Lyall Bay	Karen Ewart	Stokes Valley
Jordan Keene	Stokes Valley	Gill Oliver	Johnsonville
James Macmillan	Petone Central	Vicki Lee Remuera	Wainuiomata
Hamish Ryan	Silverstream	Cath Thompson	Plimmerton
Jason Puddick	Manager	Sarah Cooper	Manager





Event playing conditions

1 STATUS

These Conditions of Play are also made under Law 55.3 of the Laws of the Sport.

2 NAME, DATES & VENUES

2.1 Event name – Premier Development Octagonal Challenge

2.2 Dates – Saturday 16 & Sunday 17 March 2024

2.3 Event venue – Howick Bowling Club

3 CONTROLLING BODY

3.1 The Controlling Body is Bowls Auckland

3.2 The Tournament Director is Brendon Walton mob: 022 357 3860 or email: brendon@bowlsauckland.co.nz.

Inclusive of umpires and other officials as appointed by the Tournament Director.

4 TRIAL ENDS

4.1 Trail ends are limited to two ends before the first round's play only (5.1.2) and are to be completed within the time allocated

4.2 Should players be required to change greens during the day an extra set of trial ends will be allowed for those players only

5 COMPOSITION OF REPRESENTATION

5.1 Each Centre shall put forward a side of 14, consisting of seven (7) men and seven (7) women.

Each Centre may also include one (1) reserve for each gender and two (2) support staff for each gender (maximum of 20).

5.2 Players can move freely between disciplines between rounds.

Each round will consist of a side made up of one (1) Singles, one (1) Pairs and one (1) Fours.

Reserve Players may be required to mark Singles at the request of the Tournament Director or Umpires.

5.3 A list of all names of Players and identified team officials must be forwarded to the Tournament Director no later than 5pm on 16 February 2024 (unless prior agreement has been made).

**A final playing list may be submitted before the first-round play if it differs from the pre-submitted list.*



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6 PREMIER DEVELOPMENT GUIDELINES

- 6.1 The purpose of 'Premier Development' is to provide a pathway for emerging players seeking higher representative honours.
- 6.2 To uphold the above intent, it is strongly encouraged that centres use the suggested guidance in clause 6.3 to select their teams for this event. As we transition to more defined guidelines in future editions, for this event a best endeavour approach will be taken.
- 6.3 **Guidance for selecting teams:**
- a) A Player with less than 10 years bowling experience.
 - b) A Player with less than 15 years bowling experience who has yet to represent their centre at a premier level.
 - c) A player who has previously and no longer plays in their centre's Premier side (maximum of two players in this category). The intent is to provide a mentor role within the side to developing players.

7 EVENT FORMAT

- 7.1 All Centres will be randomly drawn into a seven (7) round, round-robin.
- Each Centre will compete against their scheduled opposing Centre in all three disciplines in each round, i.e. head-to-head.
- 7.2 Only Players included on the official entry form are eligible to compete.

8 PLAYING FORMAT

8.1 Shots, ends, time:

Singles	4 bowls	21 shots	2 hours
Pairs	3 bowls	18 ends	2 hours
Fours	2 bowls	15 ends	2 hours

8.2 Time signals:

The time signals for each game shall be the commencement of play and the expiry of time shall be signalled by the Umpire by a bell or some other means, clearly audible to the Players concerned.

All games will be started on the time signal.

8.3 Dead ends after time limit:

If the time limit has expired and the end is declared dead, the next replayed end will not be declared dead, with the Jack being repositioned on the 2-metre mark should it be out of bounds at any time.



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8.4 Scoring:

Teams will be awarded three (3) game points for each game won and one (1) point for each game drawn. Based on the head-to-head match, the side with the highest game points will be awarded three (3) match points.

If game points are equal, then the sides will be awarded one match point each.

8.5 Determine winning Centre:

The winning Centre shall be determined by accumulating the Men's & Women's scores across all disciplines, in order as follows:

- i) highest match points
- ii) highest game points
- iii) highest net total of shots
- iv) lowest shots against
- v) in the unlikely event that two Centres are tied, after (iv) above, then the title shall be shared equally.

8.6 Restricting the movement of players:

Player movement is to be restricted per Appendix A. 4.1 - Laws of the Sport.

If a player does not meet the requirements of Appendix A.4.1, Law 13 of the Laws of the Sport shall apply.

8.7 Defaults:

If a team or Player defaults their score will be recorded as a loss. The non-offending team will be awarded a win and the average total of shots scored for and against by the winning teams in the same discipline in the same round of the same section.

8.8 Coaches:

Coaches registered with the Tournament Director may offer advice and coaching to players per Laws 44 - 44.5.

9 SUBSTITUTES

Substitutes and changes to original team members will be allowed in terms of Bowls New Zealand Domestic Regulation Clause 7.

10 FOOTWEAR & CLOTHING

- 10.1 Shoes or sandals may be worn by Players when playing on a bowling green. All shoes must be flat-soled and heel-less. Soles may be of a non-slip material with a slightly abrasive surface.



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- 10.2 Any Player with a physical disability may use appropriate support, wheelchair, or bowling aid, provided that the same is so made that its use causes no damage to the green.
- 10.3 All players within a side must wear garments of the same colour/design. This means all members of a team or side wearing the same colour trousers/shorts/skirt etc or similar style as well as the same uniformed shirt. Wet weather gear is encouraged to be uniform, or of neutral tone.

11 **SMOKING, VAPING & ALCOHOL**

- 11.1 There shall be no smoking or vaping indoors, on the greens or in its immediate surroundings.
- 11.2 Designated smoking/vaping areas with be signposted.
- 11.3 The drinking of alcohol is restricted to the clubhouse and outdoor courtyard areas.

Drinking outside of the clubhouse including on the greens is strictly prohibited.

Please follow any host Alcohol licensing restrictions.

12 **JURY OF APPEAL**

A Jury of Appeal shall be appointed by Bowls Auckland to decide upon any points not provided in the Conditions of Play and/or to deal with any referrals or appeals from decisions made by Technical Officials (Law 43.2.6 of the Laws of the Sport and Rule 14.4 of Regulation 10).



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A BIG THANK YOU TO...

- ☺ All the participating Centres, teams and officials
- ☺ Host club, Howick Bowling Club and their band of merry helpers
- ☺ Event officials and umpires
- ☺ Supporters and fans
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- ☺ Lou the DJ





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