

## **The Captain's Cup**

The Captain's Cup is a singles knock-out competition open to both men and women. Unless stated below the competition is governed by standard rules of the sport of bowls defined by World Bowls.

### **Game Format**

Each game except for the Final is the best of 3 sets. The Final is the best of 5 Sets.

### **Winning a Set**

The first competitor to reach 7 shots wins the Set.

### **Choosing the rink for play**

The rink shall be randomly decided by drawing a token from a bag containing tokens for all available rinks.

### **Tossing for opening play**

Before Play the competitors shall toss a coin.

The winner of the toss must choose whether to place the mat and deliver the jack and first bowl of the first set or to tell their opponent to place the mat and deliver the jack and first bowl.

At the end of the first set, the loser of the toss has the choice whether to place the mat and deliver the jack and first bowl for the second set or to tell their opponent to place the mat and deliver the jack and first bowl of the second set.

If it is necessary to play a third set to decide the match, the competitors must again toss a coin. The winner of this toss must choose whether to place the mat and deliver the jack and first bowl of the third set or to tell their opponent to place the mat and deliver the jack and first bowl.

During a set, the winner of an end shall place the mat and deliver the jack and first bowl of the next end.