

Juan de Fuca Lawn Bowls Club

2024 Osprey Challenge

CONDITIONS OF PLAY:

1. **Laws of the Sport of Bowls**, Crystal Mark 4th^r Edition, 2022, including all appendixes, unless specified in these Conditions of Play
2. **Dress Code:** Players' clothing may be any combination of colors. Red must not be worn, this color is reserved for umpires.
3. **Closed Tournament:** The team members must be from Juan de Fuca Lawn Bowls Club.
4. **Smoking:** There will be no smoking anywhere within the bounds of the West Shore Parks & Recreation, this includes electronic cigarettes.
5. **Game Format:**
 - a. The tournament consists of three 12-end mixed pairs games, with a time limit of 1 hour & 45 minutes for each game.
 - b. Teams will be assigned by random draw and will be mixed where possible.
 - c. Trial ends are permitted before the first game. Trial ends for the second and third game are at the discretion of skips if time permits. Trial ends must finish before the bell starts.
 - d. Trial ends will start 15 minutes prior to the scheduled game start and will consist of 2 bowls by each player in one direction, then 2 bowls in the reverse direction. The Lead for the team who won the toss will throw the Jack in the first direction, and the opposing Lead in the return direction.
 - e. There will be a bell start for each game, to be rung at 10:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 2:45 p.m.
 - f. There will be a bell finish for each game, to be rung at 11:45a.m., 2:15p.m., 4:30 p.m.
 - g. Game sharing is allowed. A player must play an entire game, but an alternate may play for them in the next game(s).
6. **Burnt Ends:** The Jack will be set on the 2-meter mark.
7. **Visitations to the Head:**
 - a. Skips: After the delivery of each of their bowls
 - b. Seconds: After the delivery of their second bowl.
8. **Scoring**
 - a. Win =3 points
 - b. Tie =1 point
 - c. Loss =0 points
 - i. A maximum 15 shot differential
 - ii. Ties among teams will be broken according to:
 1. The ratio of **Shots For** divided by **Total Shots Scored For & Against**
 2. If still tied, the number of ends won will be considered
9. **Monetary Prizes:** Will be awarded based to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place finishes.