

NANTWICH PARK ROAD BOWLING CLUB

BYE-LAWS

The following Bye-laws, agreed by the elected Officers of the Club are applicable to all members, visiting team members and officials and to any casual visitors or guests who may, from time to time, be invited to the premises:-

1. SMOKING

- 1.1 Smoking is strictly prohibited, at all times, on the bowling green, in the Clubhouse, on the veranda and paved and grassed areas in front of and at each side of the Clubhouse, with the exception of the grassed area within the confines of the gazebo, sited close to the Park Road boundary trees to the left of the Clubhouse.
- 1.2 The restricted areas where smoking is permitted include the grassed areas at each side and at the far end of the Bowling Green, the grassed area within the confines of the gazebo referred to in paragraph 1.1 and the car park.
- 1.3 Failure to adhere to these restrictions will be regarded as misconduct and dealt with under Rule 5 – Misconduct of Members.

2. INTOXICATING LIQUOR

- 2.1 Only intoxicating liquor purchased from Nantwich Park Road Bowling Clubhouse may be consumed on the premises.

3. JUNIOR MEMBERS

- 3.1 Any Junior admitted to membership of Nantwich Park Road Bowling Club will be required to be accompanied by an adult at all times.
- 3.2 The parent/carer of such junior member will be required to sign a consent form which will be retained by the Club Secretary.
- 3.3 Junior members will not be permitted unfettered access to the Clubhouse and will not have access to the keys to the Clubhouse.
- 3.4 Whilst junior members may enter the lounge and kitchen areas, under no circumstances will a junior member or visiting junior be permitted behind the Bar or in the adjacent cellar room.
- 3.5 Junior members are not allowed to use the catering facilities within the kitchen.

4. MINUTES OF MEETINGS

- 4.1 Members wishing to have sight of the minutes of any meeting of the Management Committee are required to submit a request, in writing, to the Secretary who will fulfil the request within a period of two weeks.

5. CHILD PROTECTION POLICY

- 5.1 The Club will appoint a person from within its membership to undertake, on behalf of the Management Committee, responsibility for child protection issues relating to junior members of Park Road Bowling Club. The nominated person will be required to hold appropriate Certification as a Welfare Officer and conform to the conditions stipulated by the British Crown Green Bowling Association.
- 5.2 Any incident or allegation involving the protection of a junior member will be recorded and receive the immediate swift and appropriate attention of the Welfare Officer and the Club Management Committee.
- 5.3 All routines concerning child protection good practise will be regularly reviewed at Management Committee Meetings.

6. TEAM SQUADS AND SELECTION

- 6.1 The Club Captain and Vice-Captain will select team squads and each squad will elect their team captain. Team selection will be done fairly, based on individual results during the previous season.
- 6.2 Team Captains will select teams from players who they perceive to be the best available to them. However, any player who refuses to play for the 'A' or 'B' team, without a valid reason (e.g. other regular commitments on the night the team plays), will not be eligible for selection in the 'C' or 'D' team.
- 6.3 Team Captains will select players from their own squads before looking further afield.
- 6.4 Team Captains to display on the Club Notice Board their selected team and reserves for each fixture.

7. CLUB COMPETITIONS

- 7.1 Any player entering a competition at their own free will and who 'scratches', without a valid reason, after the draw has taken place, will be excluded from the following two competitions.

8. DRESS CODE

- 8.1 Members of the Club will be required to wear suitable attire when on the bowling green. Shorts, other than ladies tailored shorts and men's knee length tailored shorts, will not be allowed.

9. MISCODUCT BY OTHER THAN CLUB MEMBERS

- 9.1 All persons visiting Nantwich Park Road Bowling Club will be required to abide by the Rules and Bye-laws of the Club. Failure to do so will result in disciplinary action determined by the Committee, which could result in the transgressor being required to leave the premises. The Officials of the Parent Club or Organisation involved to be notified, in writing, by the Secretary, of the circumstances justifying such action.

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