

Southbourne bowls club covid-19 procedure for Inter club matches



Equipment

The following equipment is to be sanitised and set out for each rink in play:

- one hand gel dispenser at each end of the rink
- one yellow mat and one grey mat at each end of the rink
- one yellow jack and one white jack at club end of rink
- one scoreboard at fence end of rink
- (Note that pushers and 2m measure sticks should not be used)

On completion of the game, all equipment is to be sanitised prior to being stowed.

Instructions

1. Players should at all times adhere to the current social distancing requirements.
2. In the normal course of events, no player is to handle the bowls or personal equipment of another player. If unavoidable (i.e. a dead wood in the ditch) then hand sanitiser should be used immediately before and after.
- 3a. The home team is to use the following process on those ends when they are to set the mat:
 - the home lead should set the grey mat by handling it's sides only
 - the home lead should cast the white jack
 - the home skip should centre the jack using his foot or personal aid
 - the home skip should clear the grey mat by handling it's top/bottom only
 - the home lead should clear the white jack
 - no other player is to handle the grey mat or white jack
- 3b. The away team is to use the following process on those ends when they are to set the mat:
 - the away lead should set the yellow mat by handling it's sides only
 - the away lead should cast the yellow jack
 - the away skip should centre the jack using his foot or personal aid
 - the away skip should clear the yellow mat by handling it's top/bottom only
 - the away lead should clear the yellow jack
 - no other player is to handle the yellow mat or yellow jack
4. On every end, the lead who did not cast their jack should carry it with them to the 'head end' at the player changeover.
5. Touchers to be marked using personal spray chalk only.
6. Measuring should be undertaken using personal measure without touching bowls or jack.
7. Scoreboards should be turned by the home skip on every other end. No other player is to touch.
8. Bowls should be collected by feet on completion of an end. It is suggested that both Two's should complete this task together.