

WEST SURREY LADIES BOWLING LEAGUE

CONSTITUTION

1. The league shall be called The West Surrey Ladies Bowling League.
2. The object of the league shall be for clubs in West Surrey to play each other on a league basis. Maximum teams being 28, divided into 2 equal divisions.
3. The games to be played under the Bowls England Rules.
4. All clubs to be affiliated to the Surrey County Women's Bowling Association.
5. The league shall be managed by an elected committee, who shall conduct the affairs of the league during the year. Committee decisions shall be final and binding to ALL parties. If needed additional committee members shall be co-opted onto the committee.
6. Each club shall enter two triples which may be varied from game to game. On reaching the finals of the league, players must have played at least TWO (2) games in the league.
7. The games will be played on Monday evenings and in an emergency the match, by mutual agreement, may be played on a Monday afternoon. Any club unable to fulfil their fixture must concede the game and points will be awarded as per rule 8.
8. Games will commence at 6.15pm. A team failing to report within 30 minutes of the commencement will forfeit the game - every effort shall be made by all of those concerned to allow the game to take place and should these efforts prove to be difficult neither side may automatically claim the game, and the League Secretary be informed as soon as possible.
9. League Competition finals will be the third Saturday in August. The Monday following the competition finals will be the League Final evening, If any club is unable – for any reason - to raise a team for the League Final then the second club in the zone shall be invited to play. The finals to be hosted by the Club winning the league the previous season
10. An Annual General Meeting will be held in October/ November, venue to be notified by the Secretary. Each club will be entitled to be represented by two voting members.
11. Should the league dissolve all debts and liabilities of the league shall be fully paid up and remaining funds donated to a designated charity.