

## Women's Knock-out Singles Competition 2024 Sunday, 16<sup>th</sup> February, 2025

## Conditions of Play

- 1. Players are required to report in person to the duty umpire at the designated venue by 8.45 am. The first batch of matches (from Round 1 and Round 2) will start as soon as the green is ready. Late-comers will be disqualified.
- 2. Play will be continuous. A match will start as soon as a rink is available. Players must be ready to play at any time at the assigned rink as instructed by the duty umpire.
- 3. Players are not allowed to leave the venue without the permission of the duty umpire.
- 4. Winner of round 5 is qualified for the Quarter-finals and losers of Ref 504 & 505 are required to proceed to CCC without delay. The duty umpire at CCC has the discretion to disqualify any player who fails to arrive at a reasonable time.
- 5. No meal break or recess is scheduled. Players are advised to make their own meal arrangements. No outside food is allowed at venue clubs.
- 6. All losing players are required to act as markers in subsequent matches as decided by the duty umpire. A player may be required to mark for more than one match.
- 7. A player may be required to act as a marker before his/her first match as decided by the duty umpire. Any player who refuses to do so will be disqualified.
- 8. Any player who fails to act as a marker as instructed by the duty umpire and his/her affiliated club may be barred from entering for this competition in the following year.
- 9. Four bowls per player.
- 10. All matches up to the Quarter-finals will be decided by 13 shots or a time limit of 50 minutes. The Semi-finals and Final will be decided by 17 shots or a time limit of 60 minutes. Timer will be provided by LBA. Marker should keep the time and return to umpire after each game.
- 11. No trial ends.
- 12. No visit to the head until after the delivery of the player's third bowl.
- 13. No dead ends. A jack out of bound will be re-spotted on the centre line with the nearest point of the jack to the mat line at a spot which is 2 metres from the front ditch, commonly known as the "T". Players and markers are advised to agree to and identify the spot prior to the commencement of each match.
- 14. When time is up but the jack has been delivered and valid, the end will then be carry on.
- 15. Players are required to respect and observe house rules of the venue club. Club management can ask violating players to leave their premises immediately.
- 16. In case of any dispute, the decision of the duty umpire is final.