



## Ashtead Bowls Club Dress Code when Bowling

### **CLUB Matches including Leagues and Competitions**

When you represent Ashtead Bowls Club in League or Club matches then the dress code will be 'Club Colours' which means Club Shirts plus Dark Navy blue 'lower half' which includes shorts, trousers and skirts.

The Club Fixture list has annotations for the required dress for matches. This listing will take account of dress codes which may be specified by organising bodies for Club Leagues and competitions. If no direction is given the default would be to wear Club Colours.

For other occasions when members of the Club enter external competitions sponsored by Bowls Surrey, Sutton & District BA, West Surrey League, North Downs League and the like, then 'Club Colours' would be the default unless members are given guidance by the sponsoring organisation. If in doubt, for example we are sending an Ashtead BC Team to an event then Club Colours would be the default.

If needed formal bowls style top/waterproofs are acceptable.

### **Individual Competitions**

Depending on the ruling body organising the competitions then there may be definition for what clothing is expect. For example, if the competitions are in the 'early rounds' or in the evenings then Club Colours is likely the choice. In later rounds or in Finals then 'whites' may be required.

Other representative matches may have clothing requirements. Please check relevant competition rules and /or guidance.

### **Club Evenings, Rollups and Personal Practice**

The Club accepts a more casual dress code for 'at home' club activities when choices may be taken from classic shirt/polo shirts/t-shirts worn with shorts/skirts/trousers will be acceptable.

Please adhere to the following general guidance for clothes which are discouraged on the green:-

- No ripped, torn or obviously dirty clothing,
- No cargo or combat style clothing, no track suits,
- No clothing with prominent or offensive slogans,
- No clothing exposing midriffs or underwear.