

Circular No: 2014-01

Date: 16<sup>th</sup> January 2014

Subject: **Expressions of Interest to Host Sections of the 2015 Inter Zone Sides Championship  
Friday 11<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> September, 2015**

It will be BCC/Zone 15's turn to host the State Inter Zone Sides Championship in 2015. A total of 8 greens will be needed to host the event which has 4 Sections each requiring 2 greens. Sectional play will be held on Friday afternoon and all day on the Saturday. Semi Finals and the Final will be played on the Sunday. Roll-ups will be held on the Friday morning and possibly the Thursday afternoon.

Expressions of Interest (EOI's) are invited from all Bowls Central Coast Member Clubs wishing to host a Section of the event or the Semi-Finals and Final. Four green Clubs may be in a position to host 2 Sections. A 3 green Club is required for the semi-final and final.

**Requirements for holding a Section of this event are:**

1. Provision of 2 greens on the Friday and the Saturday with green fees waived.
2. The event will be played on the Friday afternoon and Saturday morning and afternoon.
3. Rollups will be needed on the Friday morning and probably also on the Thursday afternoon.
4. Lunch both days will need to be provided to players (64), team managers (4) and umpires (2). Breakfast will need to be provided to players, managers and umpires on the Saturday morning.
5. A Club person allocated to each team to assist the team and liaise with the Controlling Body and host club officials.
6. Storage of bowls on the Friday night.
7. 2 Umpires for each day.
8. Arrangements need to be in place to allow other officials and spectators to purchase lunch at reasonable prices.

**Requirements for holding the Semi-Final and Final on the Sunday** are similar given that:

1. A total of 3 greens are required. Two greens in the morning and a different green in the afternoon for the final.
2. Outdoor PA system is required for presentations.

Criteria that will be used to evaluate the EOI's are:

1. Thoroughness of the EOI giving comfort to BCC that the hosting of the event will be well organised and generous to visiting players. EOI's that offer other niceties like free tea and coffee or transport to nearby accommodation will be well regarded by BCC.
2. Quality of the Club's greens and availability of lighting.
3. The excellence with which the Club has hosted previous BCC and RNSWBA events.
4. Availability of accommodation and the proximity of the Club to other host Clubs which assists with the overall organisation of the event.

BCC is not asking Clubs to pay hosting fees to conduct the event but, we are asking that the Club waive green fees and provide breakfast (e.g bacon and egg roll) and lunch (e.g. hamburger or sausage sizzle) free to players, team managers and umpires. Arrangements can be made for the appropriate paperwork should a Club wish to utilise Club Grants funding to host the event. Clubs can seek sponsorship to defray these costs but that sponsorship must be approved by BCC.

EOI's must be submitted to me by 30<sup>th</sup> April 2014.

Regards,



Doug Rose  
Secretary

Bowls Central Coast

**AFFILIATED CLUBS**

Avoca Beach, Bateau Bay, Davistown RSL, diggers@ theentrance, Ettalong Memorial, Everglades, Gosford City, Gwandalan, Halekulani, Mingara, Mooney-Mooney Morisset, Munmorah United, Norah Head, Ourimbah-Lisarow RSL, Terrigal, The Entrance, Toukley District, Toukley RSL, Umina Beach, Wamberal, sporties@ woy woy, Wyong, Wyong RSL.