



# **PROMAC PRO 10 by Fired Earth** **CONDITIONS OF PLAY**

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All games shall be played in accordance with:

**THE LAWS OF THE SPORT OF BOWLS – CRYSTAL MARK 3rd EDITION, THE DOMESTIC REGULATIONS OF BOWLS SOUTH AFRICA and the following CONDITIONS OF PLAY:**

## **CONTROLLING BODY**

The tournament shall be under the control of JBA

## **FORMAT OF PLAY**

- Two Bowl Pairs
- Scoring will be over ten (10) ends per game with a maximum of 100 points. The bowl nearest the jack scores 4 points with each subsequent bowls scoring one point less. The end will allow for 10 points with only the closest 4 bowls earning points.
  - Nearest to the Jack = 4 points
  - Second shot = 3 points
  - Third shot = 2 points
  - Fourth shot = 1 point
- Should a “no shot” situation arise, the points available to the bowls in contention should be shared equally.
- The team with the bowl nearest to the jack at conclusion of an end will start the next end. In a “no shot” situation the team which had their bowl nearest the jack in the previous end will start the following end.
- A jack out of bounds will be replaced on the centre 2m spot (No burnt ends)
- The tournament will be played in sections of 8 teams

## **SECTION WINNERS**

The sequence of criteria to determine the section winners will be as follows:

- The Highest total of points
- The winner of the game when they played against one another in the round robin
- Most games won in sectional play
- A three end tie breaker

## **PLAY OFF**

Section winners will play off on a knock out basis using the same format as used for sectional play, in case of a tie on points after 10 ends one or more extra ends will be played until a winner is determined.

## **QUALIFYING TEAMS**

Qualifying teams may be either all men, all women or mixed gender, with both players in a team being bona fide members of the same club.

## **BOWLS SOUTH AFRICA MEMBERSHIP CARDS**

All participants must be in possession of a current Bowls South Africa Membership Card. Any player participating in an event who is found not to have a current card will be disqualified together with that player's team.

## **DRESS AND FOOTWEAR**

All players must appear on the green dressed in compliance with the Laws of the Sport of Bowls and Bowls South Africa - Domestic Regulations.

Club colours or coloured shirts may be worn subject to both members of the side being uniformly dressed.

## **WITHDRAWING DURING THE TOURNAMENT**

Should a pair not be able to continue during sectional play for any reason, with or without the consent of the Controlling Body, all their completed results to the point of withdrawal shall stand. That game and the remainder of the games shall be forfeited. The opposition team for that game and the remaining un-played opposition teams shall be allocated the average total "points" scored by the winners of all the other games played in the same round/s of the same section.

## **RESERVES & SUBSTITUTES**

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In the event that a player from a team is unavailable, the reserve, nominated on the declaration form, will qualify to play.

### **SUBSTITUTE**

One substitute will be allowed in the event of illness after the start of the tournament or any other valid reason acceptable to the Controlling Body. Should a team using a substitute qualify for a prize, the distribution of such between the players shall be solely at the discretion of that team.

## **PRACTICE AND WARMUP**

Teams not playing for any reason, but due to play in the next round may practise on a rink allocated by the Controlling Body.

Players may warm up before a game with the approval of the Controlling Body, but must be in the opposite direction of expected play. No target such as a jack may be used

## **TRIAL ENDS**

A trial end in each direction may be played at the commencement of a game.

## **RESTRICTION OF MOVEMENT OF PLAYERS**

Leads may not walk up to the head. Skips may visit the head after delivery of their first bowl.

## **INTERRUPTION OF PLAY**

In the event of adverse weather conditions or any other reason, the Controlling body shall have the right to determine, at their sole discretion, the winners and runners-up of each section on a lesser number of rounds.

## **ALCOHOL AND CELLULAR TELEPHONES**

Alcohol and Cell Phones will not be permitted within 2 metres of the green while play is in progress. This Pre-requisite applies to both Technical Officials and players.

## **GENERAL**

Should any matter arise not specifically covered in these Conditions of Play, the Laws of the Sport of Bowls – Crystal Mark 3rd Edition will apply.