

COVID-19 Precautions during North Shore District events

All competitors must adhere to the Covid-19 Safety Plan of each host club they visit during the playing of District championship events, with particular regard to the requirement to keep 1.5m distance from other people, both inside the clubhouse and out at the green.

Any entrants who have been in Victoria, or in a known "COVID-19 case location" in NSW in the 14 days prior to each event will be excluded from the competition and should not attend any host venue. Please monitor the current list of locations using this link:

<https://www.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/latest-news-and-updates>

The District will provide each host club with the names and phone numbers of all players, to simplify the "check-in" process at each club. Players should expect to have their temperatures checked on arrival, and must adhere to any directions from the venue's and/or District's COVID-Safe marshal.

In line with directives from NSW government agencies and WBNSW, please discourage friends and family from attending as spectators, even for the Finals.

Travelling to the venue

We recommend that players do not "carpool". If this is unavoidable, it is recommended that each person traveling in the vehicle wears a mask.

No sharing of equipment

Please bring your own measure, wedges, duster, etc. Measure, etc, is not to be handed to the Marker to carry on the player's behalf.

Bring own water bottle (preferably already filled). Use hand sanitiser before/after using water fountains. If you use a "lifter", please bring your own and only use your own throughout the game.

Singles players will each be allocated a mat and jack for the game.

As it will be unavoidable for bowls to remain completely "untouched" by others, players are asked to sanitise their hands before unpacking their bowls, and to observe hand hygiene during the game.

Avoid handling other people's bowls

Bring **spray chalk** for contactless marking of "touchers". No stick chalk or "liquid chalk pens".

When declaring the head, we suggest removing "shot bowls" out of the head only if necessary to gain access to other bowls that need to be measured. Otherwise, just leave the bowls in position and agree on the bowls that are the "shots".

Maintaining distance around the greens

Where possible for the Triples, opposing teams will be asked to unpack their bowls bags at different ends of the green, so each player has suitable space. The Controlling Body will give directions on this.