



# Mapleton Bowls Club

## Dress Code

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**Responsibility:** Management Committee

**Relationship to the constitution:** Section 48. Conduct of Members

**Relationship to other club policies:** Disciplinary Policy

**Relationship to external policies:** Bowls Queensland Member Protection Policy

### Purpose

This policy ensures the compliant and appropriate garments are worn for entry to the club and also for Pennant and 'above level' events.

### Scope

This policy applies to all ordinary members, life members, junior members, temporary members, social members and honorary members, and visitors (including contractors) to the club.

For this policy:

- 'pennant' refers to any competition between clubs that are affiliated either to a state or district where the competition uses the regulations of Bowls Australia, State or Territory bowls authorities and/or any subdivision thereof, and/or where accredited umpires are required to adjudicate.
- 'above level' events are those events organised or controlled by Bowls Australia, State, or Territory bowls authorities and/or any subdivision thereof. In addition, this includes club championships, regional and/or district championships and tournaments.

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#### Team Wear

For side competitions at Pennant and above level, club players must be attired in the same club upper and lower body attire in respect to image and colour. The club colours are green and white.

Players should refer to the conditions of play and dress regulations of each/any competition to determine which uniform requirements are to be followed when participating Pennant or 'above level' events. The Bowls Australia logo is mandatory for upper body wear worn in Pennant and above level competitions.

For all other events there is no requirement for teams to be similarly attired and participants can wear a combination of team wear and/ or non- team wear.

#### Social Game Wear and Minimum for Entry to the Club House

##### Clean and tidy casual attire.

Footwear must be always worn (thongs are permitted) for entry into the club house. Footwear is not required for barefoot bowls. Shoes need to be clean and with a smooth sole when on the green. Trainers or shoes which have a tread or sharp edges to them are not allowed on the green.

The following are not allowed:

- revealing clothing.
- stained, torn, dirty, ripped or excessively frayed clothing.
- clothing with obscene or offensive slogans or images.
- offensive personal hygiene.

The club reserves the right to refuse entry to anyone deemed to be not suitably attired.

The club reserves the right to refuse entry on to the green to anyone deemed to not have appropriate footwear.

### **Notification of Amendments to this Policy**

From time to time this policy will be reviewed and updated. It is your responsibility to ensure that you review the clubs' policies regularly. We will notify you of any significant changes to this policy either by email, the club website and/or our Facebook page.

### **Disciplinary Action**

The club may have to take disciplinary action against members who repeatedly or intentionally fail to follow this policy.