

## Bowls England News release – Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2018

### 2018 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS - C ENTRIES AND JUNIOR

#### SINGLES/PAIRS UPDATE

Bowls England is now in the position to advise further regarding qualification for the 2018 Bowls England National Championships.

#### **Men's National Junior Singles**

The six counties with the lowest number of entries for the 2018 Men's Junior Singles are Derbyshire, Herefordshire, Isle of Wight, Lancashire, Northumberland and Nottinghamshire.

Each of these counties will receive just one entry for the National Championship finals. All other counties will have two qualification places.

#### **Men's National Junior Pairs**

All counties will receive one entry for the National Championship finals.

#### **Women's National Junior Singles**

Two counties submitted no entries for the 2018 Women's Junior Singles therefore they will not be represented at the National Finals. These are Isle of Wight and Nottinghamshire.

Four counties submitted one entry for the 2018 Women's Junior Singles therefore they will have one representative at the National Finals. These are Derbyshire, Lancashire, Middlesex and Yorkshire.

All other counties will have two qualification places.

#### **Women's National Junior Pairs**

Seven counties submitted no entries for the 2018 Women's Junior Pairs therefore they will not be represented at the National Finals. These are Derbyshire, Durham, Isle of Wight, Lancashire, Middlesex, Nottinghamshire and Yorkshire.

All other counties will receive one entry for the National Championship finals.

#### **'C' Representatives**

All counties with five per cent or more of the total number of entries in that National Championship from the previous year will be entitled to three representatives at the National Championships.

Below is a table outlining the counties that have reached the required number of entries for a third representative at the 2018 National Championships in each Championship event.

Championship Event	Men – Number of entries required in 2018	Counties that have received a ‘C’ in 2018 (In accordance with Regulation 50 3.1)	Women – Number of entries required in 2018	Counties that have received a ‘C’ in 2018 (In accordance with Regulation 50 3.1)
Singles	219	Devon, Essex, Hampshire, Kent, Surrey	107	Devon, Essex, Hampshire, Kent, Surrey
Two Wood Singles	136	Devon, Essex, Hampshire, Kent, Surrey	105	Devon, Essex, Kent, Leicestershire, Surrey
Pairs	218	Essex, Hampshire, Kent, Surrey, Sussex	124	Devon, Essex, Hampshire, Kent, Surrey
Triples	139	Essex, Hampshire, Kent, Surrey, Sussex	92	Devon, Essex, Hampshire, Kent, Surrey, Sussex
Fours	91	Devon, Essex, Hampshire, Kent, Surrey	55	Devon, Essex, Hampshire, Kent, Surrey, Sussex

I trust this is of assistance but if you have any questions please contact me.

Kind Regards

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