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Subject: 2021 Competition Round Dates

Here are the 2021 Competition Round Dates for men's & women's and club competitions.

As is now the custom National Championship Quarter Finals for each competition will take place on nominated greens in the evenings of the dates allocated. The Semi Finals of all competitions and the Finals of Senior Fours and Junior Pairs will take place from 18:00 at Welwyn & District BC.

The County Finals Day for both Men & Women will be on **Sunday 1 August** at Bishop's Stortford BC. County Finals Reserve day is **Saturday 31 July** at Buntingford BC

The only competition without dates is the Women's Top Club as the draw is made by Bowls England. Hertfordshire can arrange fixed round dates for Hertfordshire clubs playing each other but if playing clubs from other Counties in the same section they do not apply.

Below are the Dates for the **Women's Competitions**. Semi Final Reserve day is **Thursday 22 July**.

All matches other than Juniors at 18:00 unless by mutual arrangement. Challengers must call opponents to confirm as per BE Rules and Handbook bylaws.

Women's National & County Competitions:

	National Singles	National Pairs	National Triples	National Fours	National Senior Fours*	National Junior Singles	National Junior Pairs**	County Unbadged	National Top Club
PreLim									
1 st	Tue 8/6	Wed 9/6	Fri 7/5	Tue 11/5	Fri 18/6	Sun 13/6	Sun 4/7	Tue 18/5	Tba
2 nd	Tue 15/6	Thu 17/6	Thu 13/5	Thu 20/5	Tue 29/6	"	"	Wed 26/5	
3 rd	Wed 30/6	Fri 2/7	Wed 19/5	Tue 25/5	-	"	"	Thu 1/7	
4 th	Mon 5/7	Thu 8/7	Thu 27/5	-	-	"	"	-	
Q/F	Tu 13/7	Wed 14/7	Thu 3/6	Wed 2/6	Tue 6/7	"	"	Wed 7/7	
S/F	Wed 21/7	Tue 20/7	Thu 10/6	Fri 11/6	Mon 12/7	Sun 13/6	Sun 4/7	Mon 19/7	
F	Sun 1/8	Sun 1/8	Sun 1/8	Sun 1/8	Wed 21/7	Sun 1/8	Mon 19/7	Sun 1/8	

The **Women's Two Wood Singles Competition** will be played on Saturday **19 June** at two venues with the Winner and Runner Up from each venue meeting in the Semi Finals on **Wednesday 21 July**, the Semi Final for Herts A will be played at 18.00 hours followed by Herts B at 19.15 hours on the same rink. Finals on **Sunday 1 August**.

The **Women's Benevolent Triples Competition** will be played on **Friday 16 July** (from 10:30). The number of venues will be dependent on the number of entries received. Winners of each venue will meet in the Semi Finals on **Tuesday 20 July** (18:00) and Finals on **Sunday 1 August**.

Below are the Dates for the **Men's Competitions**. Semi Final Reserve day is **Thursday 22 July**.
 All matches other than Junior at 18:00 unless by mutual arrangements. Challengers must call opponents to confirm as per BE Rules and Handbook bylaws

Men's National & County Competitions:

	National Singles	National Pairs	National Triples	National Fours	National Senior Fours*	National Junior Singles	National Junior Pairs**	County Unbadged Singles
Pre-Lim								
1 st	Wed 26/5	Tue 1/6	Fri 7/5	Thu 6/5	Mon 31/5	Sun 4/7	Sun 13/6	Tue 18/5
2 nd	Tue 8/6	Wed 9/6	Thu 13/5	Mon 10/5	Mon 7/6	"	"	Mon 24/5
3 rd	Tue 15/6	Thu 17/6	Wed 19/5	Thu 20/5	Mon 14/6	"	"	Wed 16/6
4 th	Mon 28/6	Tue 29/6	Thu 27/5	Tue 25/5	-	"	"	Wed 30/6
5 th	Mon 5/7	Thu 8/7	-	-	-	"	"	-
Qtr Finals	Tue 13/7	Wed 14/7	Thu 3/6	Wed 2/6	Tue 6/7	"	"	Wed 7/7
S -Finals	Wed 21/7	Tue 20/7	Thu 10/6	Fri 11/6	Mon 12/7	Sun 4/7	Sun 13/6	Mon 19/7
Final	Sun 1/8	Sun 1/8	Sun 1/8	Sun 1/8	Mon 19/7	Sun 1/8	Mon 19/7	Sun 1/8

The **Men's Two Wood Singles Competition** will be played on **Saturday 12 June** at either two or four venues tbc with Semi Finals on **Wednesday 21 July**, the semi final for Herts A will be played at 18.00 hours followed by Herts B at 19.15 hours on the same rink. Finals on **Sunday 1 August**.

County Club Team Competitions:

	Inter Club Team Championship	Inter Club Team Ten
Pre-Lim		
1 st	Fri 28/5	Fri 21/5
2 nd	Fri 18/6	Fri 4/6
3 rd	Fri 9/7	Fri 2/7
4 th	Divisional Finals Mon 26/7	Fri 16/7
	Whitethorn Buntingford Harpenden K. Langley	
Semi Finals	Sun 8/8 (10:00) at Potters Bar	Sat 31/7 (10:00) Baldock/Royston
Final	Sun 8/8 (14:30) at Potters Bar	Sat 31/7 (14:30) Buntingford

* Please note that the National Senior Fours is played over 18 ends.

**New for 2021: Junior Pairs will be 3 bowls per player, 18 ends.

National Finals at Leamington Spa are from Saturday 7 August till Sunday 5 September.

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