



TAUNTON BOWLING CLUB

SUMMER 2026
OUTDOORS FIXTURES



Price
£1

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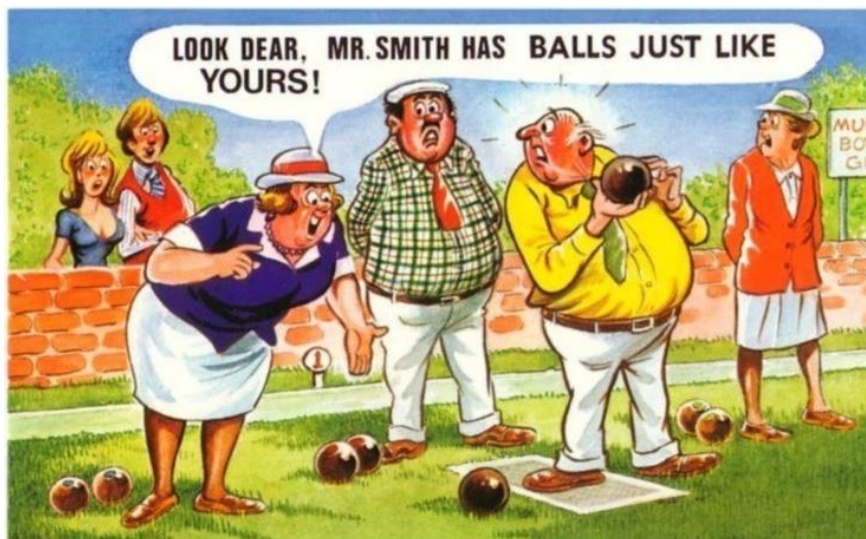
Dress code: unless otherwise stated for all games New Club Shirts with Maroon Bottoms

CLUB ETIQUETTE

Some general things to remember when playing bowls

- At the start of the game shake hands and wish everyone a good game
- Don't move or walk past the rink when someone is about to bowl towards you
- Try to stay 2 meters behind the mat and the head when at the other end
- Try to keep to the middle of your rink when walking up so as not to distract the next rink
- Be mindful of bowling on the hand next to the adjoining rink, just check to make sure they are not about to bowl also (or your bowls may collide)
- Always show good sportsmanship by acknowledging a good bowl by another bowler
- Never applaud lucky shots, never complain about lucky shots, and admit a lucky shot with good grace. Do not say thanks for a bad shot that goes your way
- Never make any negative comment (however pleased you may be) about an opponent's bowl
- Win or lose always shake hands at the end of the game and be gracious

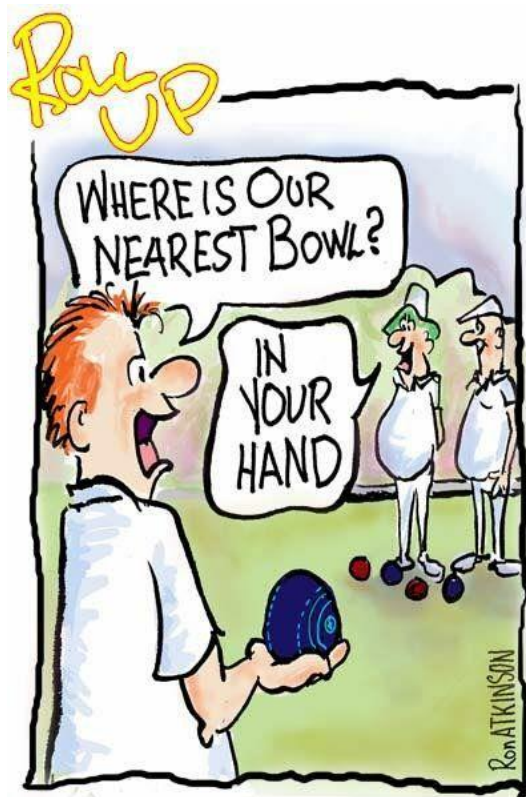
APR 2026		MEN	LADIES	MIXED	H/A	TIME	
Apr 18	Sat	PRESIDENT'S DAY					
Apr 19	Sun			Tiverton Canal	A	14:30	4T
Apr 20	Mon						
Apr 21	Tues		Ladies Day & Practice		H	14:30	
Apr 22	Wed						
Apr 23	Thur						
Apr 24	Fri			Ladies v Men	H	18:00	?
Apr 25	Sat	Men's Practice			H	14:30	
Apr 26	Sun			Cullompton	A	14:30	4R
Apr 27	Mon						
Apr 28	Tues			Trevor Cup v Taunton Deane	A	14:00	4R
Apr 29	Wed	Wellington Pre-Season friendly			A	17:45	6R
Apr 30	Thur						



MAY 2026		MEN	LADIES	MIXED	H/A	TIME	
May 1	Fri			Honiton	A	14:00	4T
May 2	Sat	Taunton A v Williton			A	14:30	3R
		Taunton B v Watchet B			A	14:30	3R
		Taunton C v Taunton Deane B			H	14:30	3R
			South Petherton (County League)		A	10:30	3T
May 3	Sun			Chard	H	14:00	4T
May 4	Mon						
May 5	Tues			Tiverton West End	H	14:00	5T
May 6	Wed		Wellington		H	14:30	3T
May 7	Thur						
May 8	Fri			Ladies Top Club v Isle of Wedmore	H	14:30	
May 9	Sat	Taunton A v Street A			H	14:30	3R
		Taunton B v South Petherton			H	14:30	3R
		Taunton C v Westland Sports			A	14:30	3R
			Wellington (County League)		H	10:30	3T
May 10	Sun						
May 11	Mon	Penarth Windsor Bowling Club (ploughman's after game) (Men's team but happy to play mixed)			H	13:00	6R
May 12	Tues			Chardstock	H	14:30	5T
May 13	Wed						
May 14	Thur			Taunton A v Williton A	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton B v Wellington C	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton C v Ilminster A	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton D v Minehead B	H	18:15	3T

MAY 2026		MEN	LADIES	MIXED	H/A	TIME	
May 15	Fri						
May 16	Sat	Taunton A v Victoria A			A	14:30	3R
		Taunton B v Eastover Park			H	14:30	3R
		Taunton C v Wyrral Park			H	14:30	3R
			Yeovil (County League)		H	10:30	3T
May 17	Sun						
May 18	Mon						
May 19	Tues						
May 20	Wed		Somerton (SWSLL)		1H/1A	14:30	R
May 21	Thur			Taunton A v Burnham-on-Sea A	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton B v North Petherton B	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton C v Ilminster B	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton D v Wellington B	A	18:15	3T
May 22	Fri						
May 23	Sat						
			Ilminster (County League)		A	10:30	3T
May 24	Sun						
May 25	Mon						
May 26	Tues						
May 27	Wed	Caldicot Bowls Club (IOW) 7 Mixed Rinks (meal after game)			H	12:00	7R

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May 28	Thur			Taunton A v Taunton Deane A	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton B v Burnham-on-Sea C	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton C v Burnham-on-Sea A	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton D v North Petherton B	H	18:15	3T
May 29	Fri		Yeovil (SWSLL)		1H/1A	14:30	R
May 30	Sat	BOWLS ENGLAND OPEN DAY - CLUB OPEN DAY 11:00 to 15:00					
May 31	Sun			Uffculme	A	14:30	4T



JUNE 2026		MEN	LADIES	MIXED	H/A	TIME	
June 1	Mon	Sunderland Bowling Club (tea & biscuits)			H	14:00	5R
June 2	Tues						
June 3	Wed		Badcock Shield North Petherton		H	14:30	3T
June 4	Thur			Taunton A v Wellington A	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton B v Victoria Park B	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton C v Taunton Deane C	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton D v Victoria Park A	A	18:15	3T
June 5	Fri						
June 6	Sat			Eastover	A	14:30	4R
June 7	Sun						
June 8	Mon		Isle of Wedmore (SWSLL)		1H/1A	14:30	R
June 9	Tues						
June 10	Wed			Avon & Somerset Police	H	13:30	3R or 4T
June 11	Thur			Taunton A v Minehead A	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton B v Burnham-on-Sea B	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton C v Bridgwater B	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton D v North Petherton C	H	18:15	3T

JUNE 2026		MEN	LADIES	MIXED	H/A	TIME		
June 12	Fri		Taunton Deane (SWSLL)		1H/1A	14:30	R	
June 13	Sat	Taunton A v Yeovil A			H	14:30	3R	
		Taunton B v Castle Cary			H	14:30	3R	
		Taunton C NO GAME						
			Taunton Deane (County League)		A	10:30	3T	
June 14	Sun	AMY ROSE TROPHY (all day National event) (food to be available to purchase)						
				Tiverton West End	A	14:00	5T	
June 15	Mon							
June 16	Tues			Ottery St Mary	A	14:00	5T	
June 17	Wed							
June 18	Thur			Taunton A v Ilminster A	H	18:15	3T	
				Taunton B v Minehead B	H	18:15	3T	
				Taunton C v Bridgwater A	A	18:15	3T	
				Taunton D v Taunton Deane B	A	18:15	3T	
June 19	Fri							
June 20	Sat		Minehead (County League)		H	10:30	3T	
June 21	Sun			Seaton	H	14:00	4R	
June 22	Mon			Bridgwater	A	14:30	5T	
June 23	Tues		Minehead (SWSLL)		1H/1A	14:30	R	
June 24	Wed		Southey Trophy v Taunton Deane		H	18:15		

JUNE 2026		MEN	LADIES	MIXED	H/A	TIME	
June 25	Thur			Taunton A v Eastover	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton B v Williton B	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton C v Williton A	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton D v Wellington C	H	18:15	3T
June 26	Fri						
June 27	Sat	Taunton A v Bath A			A	14:30	3R
		Taunton B v Minehead			A	14:30	3R
		Taunton C NO GAME					
			North Petherton (County League)		H	10:30	3T
June 28	Sun						
June 29	Mon			Exonia	A	14:00	4T
June 30	Tues						



JULY 2026		MEN	LADIES	MIXED	H/A	TIME	
July 1	Wed						
July 2	Thur			Taunton A v Ilminster B	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton B v Wellington B	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton C v North Petherton A	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton D v Bridgwater C	A	18:15	3T
July 3	Fri						
July 4	Sat	Taunton A v Willmott Park			H	14:30	3R
		Taunton B v Bridgwater A			A	14:30	3R
		Taunton C v Yeovil C			A	14:30	3R
			South Petherton (County League)		H	10:30	3T
July 5	Sun		Southey Trophy R5				
July 6	Mon						
July 7	Tues	Turnbull Cup v Burnham on sea			H	18:15	
July 8	Wed			Queen Camel	H	14:00	4T
July 9	Thur			Taunton C v Taunton A	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton D v Taunton B	H	18:15	3T
July 10	Fri		Fear Cup R3				
				Honiton	H	14:00	4T
July 11	Sat	Taunton C v South Petherton B			H	14:30	3R
July 12	Sun			Torquay Victoria	H	14:30	4T
July 13	Mon						
July 14	Tues			Chard	H	14:00	4T

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July 15	Wed						
July 16	Thur			Taunton A v Taunton Deane C	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton B v Victoria Park A	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton C v Taunton Deane A	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton D v Burnham-on-Sea C	A	18:15	3T
July 17	Fri		Fear Cup R4				
July 18	Sat	Taunton A v Clevedon Prom A			A	14:30	3R
		Taunton B v Crewkerne			A	14:30	3R
		Taunton C v Ilminster D			H	14:30	3R
			Wellington (County League)		A	10:30	3T
July 19	Sun						
July 20	Mon						
July 21	Tues	Turnbull Cup R5 Wedmore Plate R4					
July 22	Wed						
July 23	Thur			Taunton A v Bridgwater B	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton B v North Petherton C	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton C v Wellington A	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton D v Victoria Park B	H	18:15	3T
July 24	Fri		Fear Cup/Plate R5/R4				

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July 25	Sat	Taunton A v Ilminster A			H	14:30	3R
		Taunton B v Ilminster C			H	14:30	3R
		Taunton C v Victoria Park (BWTR)			A	14:30	3R
			Yeovil (County League)		A	10:30	3T
July 26	Sun			Uffculme	H	14:30	4T
July 27	Mon			Exonia	H	14:00	4T
July 28	Tues		Watchet (SWSLL)		1H/1A	14:00	R
		Turnbull Cup QF Wedmore Plate R5					
July 29	Wed			Merriott	H	14:30	4R
July 30	Thur			Taunton A v Bridgwater A	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton B v Taunton Deane B	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton C v Minehead A	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton D v Burnham-on-Sea B	A	18:15	3T
July 31	Fri	Devon Mixed Tour (4 to 6 mixed rinks) (Roll on arrival, tea and biscuits after)			H	TBA	tba



AUG 2026		MEN	LADIES	MIXED	H/A	TIME	
Aug 1	Sat	Taunton A v Bristol A			H	14:30	3R
		Taunton B v Wellington A			H	14:30	3R
		Taunton C NO GAME					
Aug 2	Sun			Seaton	A	14:00	4R
			Southey Trophy QF				
Aug 3	Mon			Somerton	H	14:30	4R
Aug 4	Tue		Wellington (SWSLL)		1H/1A	14:30	R
Aug 5	Wed						
Aug 6	Thu			Taunton A v North Petherton A	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton B v Bridgwater C	H	18:15	3T
				Taunton C v Eastover	A	18:15	3T
				Taunton D v Williton B	A	18:15	3T
Aug 7	Fri	Blackwood Bowls Club Touring Team (tea & biscuits only)			H	13:00	6R
			Fear Cup QF				
Aug 8	Sat	Taunton C v Ilminster E			A	14:30	3R
			Ilminster (County League)		H	10:30	3T
Aug 9	Sun			Tiverton Canal	H	14:30	4T
Aug 10	Mon		Crewkerne (SWSLL)		1H/1A	14:30	R
Aug 11	Tue			Merriott	A	14:30	4R
Aug 12	Wed						
Aug 13	Thu			Wellington	H	14:30	6R
Aug 14	Fri						

AUG 2026		MEN	LADIES	MIXED	H/A	TIME		
Aug 15	Sat	Taunton A v Clevedon A			A	14:30	3R	
		Taunton B v Yeovil B			H	14:30	3R	
		Taunton C v Bridgwater B			A	14:30	3R	
			Minehead (County League)		A	10:30	3T	
Aug 16	Sun			Cullompton	H	14:30	4R	
Aug 17	Mon							
Aug 18	Tue							
Aug 19	Wed							
Aug 20	Thu			Hemyock	A	18:30	4R	
Aug 21	Fri							
Aug 22	Sat			Axminster	A	14:00	3T	
Aug 23	Sun	HARRY SCRAGG MEMORIAL TRIPLES TOURNAMENT						
Aug 24	Mon		Ilminster (SWSL)		1H/1A	14:30	R	
Aug 25	Tue			Chardstock	A	14:00	5T	
Aug 26	Wed							
Aug 27	Thu							
Aug 28	Fri							
Aug 29	Sat	Taunton A v Watchet A			A	14:30	3R	
		Taunton B v Somerton			H	14:30	3R	
		Taunton C v Wellington B			H	14:30	3R	
			Taunton Deane (County League)		H	10:30	3T	
Aug 30	Sun			Torquay Victoria	A	14:30	4T	
Aug 31	Mon							

SEPT 2026		MEN	LADIES	MIXED	H/A	TIME	
Sept 1	Tue						
Sept 2	Wed		Badcock Shield North Petherton		A	14:30	3T
Sept 3	Thu						
Sept 4	Fri						
Sept 5	Sat		North Petherton (County League)		A	10:30	3T
		Turnbull/Wedmore F & SF					
Sept 6	Sun	Misfits (cricketers)			H	10:00	3R
Sept 7	Mon	South Wales and Monmouth Touring Team (food to be advised) (Ladies team but happy to play against men in front end)			H	tba	6R
Sept 8	Tue						
Sept 9	Wed			Wellington	A	14:30	3T
Sept 10	Thu			Hemyock	H	18:30	4R
Sept 11	Fri		Fear Cup SF & F				
Sept 12	Sat			Eastover	H	14:30	4R
Sept 13	Sun	CLUB FINALS DAY					
			Southey Trophy SF/F				
Sept 14	Mon			Axminster	H	14:00	3T
Sept 15	Tue						
Sept 16	Wed			Ottery St Mary	H	14:00	5T
Sept 17	Thu						
Sept 18	Fri			Wellington	A	14:30	6T
Sept 19	Sat	RESERVE DAY FOR CLUB FINALS					
Sept 20	Sun	CAPTAINS DAY – CLOSING OF GREEN					



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FRIENDLY GAMES

Lists of upcoming friendly games will be posted on the notice board. All outdoor members are encouraged to put their names on the lists. After the selection meeting, the names of the players selected will be put on the team sheet and sent out by email.

- You **MUST CHECK** to see if you have been selected to play and tick your name or reply by email to confirm your availability.
- For away games you must contact the **DRIVER** a week before the match to arrange a pick-up point and time.
- It is not the driver's responsibility to contact you!
- If you have been selected but cannot play, you **MUST** contact the captain asap. Do not ask someone else to substitute for you.
- For home games, all **SKIPS** must be at the club early to put out the equipment needed.

TEAS FOR HOME GAMES

Two players are designated to provide tea for the teams, the names will be shown on the team sheets. They are responsible for buying and preparing the food. **FULL TEAS** are required for all league games. **LIGHT TEAS** are normally made for friendly games. Please give your food receipts to the team captain for reimbursement.

Budget:

RINKS: £8 per table of eight

TRIPLES: £6 per table of six

Suggested menus (or similar)

FULL TEA: Tiger bread/rolls with ham/cheese/pate, pickle, crisps. etc.

LIGHT TEA: Fruit loaf/current buns/cakes or just tea & biscuits

FOOD FOR COUNTY AND TOURING TEAMS

Please confirm food requirements and number of players/spectators with touring team at least two weeks before the date of the game. Bar to be open one hour before start time.

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