

## **MEN'S SINGLES NOTES AND RULES**

THE DAYS WILL BE VERY BUSY.

EVERYONE'S CO-OPERATION IS IMPORTANT.

1. IT IS VITAL THAT WE KEEP TO THE TIMETABLE. THERE IS NO PLAN B.
2. There will be five groups of five players. Groups A, B and C will play on Sunday, Groups D and E on Monday.
3. First games are at 1030. Not all players can start at the same time but it will be very helpful if you check-in at 1000am.
4. **One dispensation!** One player on each day will not play their first game until much later. There is no way around this. That player, if he wishes, can arrive later.
5. There will be the chance for practice before the first games. Five rinks will be marked out.
6. **GROUP MATCHES WILL BE NINE ENDS. TWO POINTS FOR A WIN, ONE FOR A TIE.**
7. THERE WILL BE NO TIME FOR TRIAL ENDS BETWEEN GAMES. If the rink you are next due to play on is free because the previous game has finished, by all means have a practice, but you must not delay the start.
8. DEAD ENDS in group matches **not** to be replayed. Record the score as 0-0.
9. Markers may be used by mutual agreement. Please bring your own if you can. Duties can be shared. Their fee is your responsibility!
10. Please bring some scorecards of your own.
11. Keep scorecards and hand them in at the end of each game.
12. RON JACKLIN WILL BE UMPIRE FOR ALL THREE DAYS. IF CALLED UPON, HIS DECISION WILL BE FINAL.
13. Group winners and the three best second placed players will go through to the knockout stages to be played on Tuesday.
14. Tie break – if two or more players are tied on points the tie break criteria will be  
HEAD TO HEAD (within the group only)  
SHOT DIFFERENCE  
MOST SHOTS SCORED

## **BOWLS ALGARVE MEN'S SINGLES COMPETITION 16 – 17 – 18 NOVEMBER 2025**

We will not know the outcome of second place qualification until the end of day two. We will be in direct contact with those concerned immediately after day two has finished. If you finished second on day 1, don't make other plans for the third day.

### **QUARTER-FINALS, SEMI FINALS AND FINAL**

These games will be 14 ends plus super end if required. Game will be called complete if it is impossible for the losing player to win, for example 9 shots down with two ends to play. The schedule allows two hours for each game.

The Trophy will be presented after the final.

ALL THE SCORES AND TABLES / STANDINGS WILL BE AVAILABLE IN REAL TIME AT

<https://www.tournifyapp.com/live/baclubsingles>

OR

SCAN THIS QR CODE FOR QUICK ACCESS

THE FIXTURES TAB INCLUDES RESULTS

We shall of course be keeping records on paper as well as technological means.



### **PROBLEMS?**

If you should be unfortunate enough to have to withdraw in advance, please advise [ba\\_interclub@sapo.pt](mailto:ba_interclub@sapo.pt) and your club contact.

Should this happen the day before or on the day itself, **DO NOT EMAIL!!!** I do not take email on my phone.

Instead phone or text (+351) 934657117.

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