Tournament Rules

- 1. Play shall be according to "Laws of the Sport of Bowls" as adopted by O.L.B.A. Where there are differences between the Laws and these rules, these rules shall prevail.
- 2. Play the Tournament games as directed by the draw master.
- 3. Maximum game Score = Number of Ends x 1½ shots. Shots above the Maximum will count as 'plus shots'.
- 4. Tournament Ranking shall be in this order. The most wins with the most shots.

Ties shall be broken; **Firs**t, by the most '<u>plus shots'</u>. (If any). **Second,** by the least shots against. **Third,** by most ends won and **finally** by a coin toss.

5. If play is stopped for any reason and;

- a) 2 games + the minimum ends, or more of the 3rd game are played by <u>all teams</u> this shall be deemed a 3 game tournament.
- b) 1 game + the minimum ends, or more of the 2nd game are played by <u>all teams</u> this shall be deemed a 2 game tournament.
- c) 1 game & less than the minimum ends of the 2nd game are played by <u>any team</u> this shall be a cancelled tournament.

The minimum ends shall = $\frac{1}{2}$ of a game +1 end

 $\underline{\text{or}}$ ½ a game + ½ an end - if the ends to be played are an odd number. Scores for incomplete games will be based on the greatest number of ends played by all teams.

6. After a 3 game tournament prizes will be awarded;

To the tournament winner - any advertised 1st prize.

To the Teams that won 3 games.

To one or more Teams that won 2 games with the highest aggregate scores of all the two game winners.

To the Team having won one game with the highest aggregate score of all the one game winners.

After a 2 game tournament there is no tournament winner.

Equal amount prizes will be paid to all Teams deemed to have won 2 games and a prize will be paid to the highest aggregate one game winner.

If a tournament is cancelled there will be a refund of fees less a possible charge for provisions.