



**BOWLS**  
NEW ZEALAND  
AOTEAROA

# ANNUAL REPORT

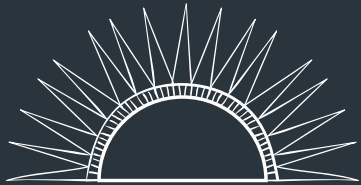
*Bowls New Zealand 2022–2023*



# 2022-23 AT A GLANCE

**465**  **clubs**

**3.6%**  
growth in  
playing members



Twilight Bowls

GROWTH  
**31%**

**21.4%**  
growth  
in 1st year  
players

**18.5%**  
growth  
in casual  
participation

UMPIRES  
appointed to  
COMM GAMES



**566**

**Umpires**

**1.2m**

**YouTube  
VIEWS**

YOUTUBE  
WATCH  
TIME  
(hours)

**381.3k**



**1.27m**  
reach

**337.5k**  
page visits



**4.7k**

**Youth  
playing  
Rangatahi  
Bowls**



**158**  
Registered  
COACHES



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# EXECUTIVE REPORT

Tony Lepper, ONZM (Chairman)

Mark Cameron (C.E.O.)



Ka tuku mihi mātou a Bowls Aotearoa ki a koutou katoa.

On behalf of Tony Lepper (Bowls New Zealand Board Chair) and myself, it is our pleasure to present the 2023 Annual Report, a 12 month period that saw our communities navigate out of COVID-19, only for the North Island to be faced with some of the worst weather Aotearoa has seen in many years.

The resilience of, and support for, our communities was evident in how our bowling clubs rallied behind communities in the Gisborne and Hawkes Bay regions following Cyclone Gabrielle. Despite many club members having to play bowls on wet greens and managing leaking clubrooms, 2022/2023 nevertheless evidenced some great growth in our game and community.

## Bowling Clubs – Membership & Participation

Our annual census of membership and participation numbers reflects the calendar year to 31 December 2022. Details to these numbers can be found later in this report. The highlights though as evidenced by the table below, show playing membership up 3.6% on prior year. What was especially encouraging was first year membership (at 1789) is the highest it has been in 20 years. This is a direct consequence of some of the great work done by many of our clubs with twilight (social) bowls leagues. Twilight bowls members have grown to 13,272 which is half the number that Bowls NZ separately recorded as full playing members.

Casual participation within bowling clubs is quickly returning to pre-COVID-19 numbers, with the corporate market supporting many clubs financially during the summer months of 2022.

## National Events

Our Summerset national events continue to attract strong interest from around the country. Numbers were at 15 year highs as bowlers emerged from the COVID-19 hibernation ready to contest events across the North and South Island.

The Summerset Singles and Pairs were played in a very wet Auckland. Such was the weather that on a number of days all games were moved from grass greens to carpet (artificial) greens. To the credit of the players, and with the excellent support of the local clubs, 99% of games were able to be played and the event was completed to schedule. The belief that carpet greens are inferior to grass greens was truly tested during this event so I am pleased to say that the carpet greens passed the test. 1580 individuals attended the 2023 Summerset Nationals (Singles, Pairs, Fours and Mixed Pairs), a significant increase on the 563 that attended five years ago.

In what proved to be a busy national calendar, we found new champions in Interclub, Intercentre, Bowls3Five, Rangatahi, Singles, Pairs, Fours and Mixed Pairs. These events were delivered by clubs

YEAR	TOTAL PLAYING MEMBERS	TOTAL NON-PLAYING MEMBERS	TOTAL CASUAL PARTICIPATION	FIRST YEAR MEMBERSHIP	RANGATAHI	TWILIGHT BOWLS MEMBERS
2013	28,612	11,518	53,538	1,239	2,496	
2014	27,609	11,801	57,948	1,440	2,795	
2015	26,327	13,031	64,620	1,191	2,842	
2016	25,474	12,878	82,386	1,250	3,616	
2017	24,393	13,931	83,161	1,170	3,565	
2018	24,154	14,849	99,578	1,450	4,526	
2019	25,182	13,321	113,326	1,618	4,574	
2020	26,946	9,742	101,279	1,663	4,631	4,218
2021	25,286	9,932	80,218	1,461	4,358	10,132
2022	26,046	9,940	95,046	1,789	4,737	13,272



in Auckland, Hawkes Bay, Wellington, Canterbury, and Central Otago. Our thanks to all the clubs and regions for their support in 2022/2023.

### **Internationals**

Our Blackjacks returned to the international arena in what proved to be a very busy 12 months. Three medals in the Birmingham Commonwealth Games were an acceptable return considering the COVID-19 impacted build-up, and the somewhat foreign nature of the 10-11 second English greens. Congratulations to the Blackjacks women (Katelyn Inch, Selina Goddard, Nicole Toomey, Tayla Bruce, and Val Smith) for showing the rest of New Zealand, on primetime TV, how entertaining our game can be.

The World Champion of Champion Singles was contested at the Naenae Bowling Club in Wellington, with our own Tayla Bruce emerging as World Champion.

In March of 2023, the Blackjacks attended a multi-nations event in Australia, enjoying success in a number of disciplines. Our hope is that this preparation serves us well for later in the year at the 2023 World Championship (also in Australia).

Our vision impaired bowlers performed incredibly well at the 2023 Blind World Championship, collecting a record haul of five medals. Katelyn Inch and Andrew Kelly contested the World Indoor Singles championship in May, both returning home with silver medals.

And finally on the international scene, it was Bowls New Zealand's pleasure to host the inaugural Oceania Challenge in April 2023 at the Blockhouse Bay Bowling Club in Auckland. With nine nations, including a NZ U26 selection and an Aotearoa Māori bowls team, the event proved a huge success that will be repeated.

Our thanks to all our international players and the management team for their professionalism, energy and commitment these past 12 months.

### **Operational Matters**

There are 465 active bowling clubs in Aotearoa, along with 27 regions. Whilst we saw four small clubs 'retire' in 2023, we also had the pleasure of welcoming two new bowling clubs.

Bowls New Zealand's primary role is to support bowling clubs with their delivery into local communities. Support takes many forms, be that the promotion of twilight bowls, event pathways, facility improvements or assisting with judicial matters.

Our BowlsHub solution has now been piloted in a couple of northern centres and has already proven to be a great database tool and competition management solution. We look forward to extending BowlsHub to 12 centres in 2024 and piloting a grading

(levels) feature.

One initiative we are particularly proud of is our ability to produce and broadcast a number of bowls events around the country. There has been in excess of 30 events and 60 days of 'live' bowls coverage over the past 12 months. Testament to the improving quality of our 'in-house' production is Sky Sport taking our feed 'as is' and promoting it on their sports network.

Our thanks to the many umpires, coaches and volunteers that deliver bowls into our communities.

### **Finances and Partnerships**

The bowls community has been supported by several national and community partners. For Bowls New Zealand this includes Summerset Retirement Villages, Dynasty Apparel, Prebble Seeds, Apex Insurance, Field Turf NZ, NZCT, Lion Foundation, Aotearoa Gaming Trust, Four Winds, Sport NZ and High Performance Sport NZ. Your support of Bowls New Zealand and the wider bowls community is sincerely appreciated.

In 2023, Bowls New Zealand recorded a \$ 217,979 deficit which was \$42,021 improved on a budgeted deficit of \$260,000. The deficit was budgeted to reflect our support of clubs and the community as we moved out of COVID-19, along with additional investment in our broadcast and BowlsHub opportunities. The other major factor was our support of the international programme with a Commonwealth Games, Multi-nations and world bowls events all falling in the same 12 months.

The Bowls New Zealand reserves remain healthy with approximately \$1.2 million available in liquid assets.

Tony Lepper, ONZM  
Chairman

Mark Cameron  
C.E.O.

# PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Ann Wright



Well here I am at the completion of my term as your President. When I took the position on two years ago I really had no idea what to expect, despite the encouragement of a couple of friends. 24 months later I can only say that I have enjoyed every minute of it.

Many highlights have happened for me over this past year, from attending Clubs' centennial celebrations from Kensington in the North to Awamoia in the South, a Life Membership bestowed on a Member of the Greenkeepers Association, to attending national events around our amazing country.

I recently attended the opening of Stage 3 of the Pukeko Centre in Christchurch. This club and centre epitomises our strategy of inclusion and community. It is a collaboration between Parklands Bowling Club and Parklands Junior Rugby Club for the community of Parklands.

The first National event of the season was the North v South Challenge held in Dunedin in conjunction with the Bowls NZ AGM and Awards Evening. I was impressed with the way in which this challenge developed into such an excellent spectacle for players and spectators alike. Naturally the South eventually came out on top! Congratulations to all involved in such a successful event and I look forward to its continuation.

I was thrilled to be present to watch Tayla Bruce uplift the World Singles Championship and to encourage Kelvin Scott through the event as well. Congratulations to both players on the way they represented Bowls New Zealand,

The innovation of the Oceania event has been most successful and I commend all those who made it possible. Congratulations to all our athletes who took part representing various other nations as well as our own.

Katelyn Inch and Andrew Kelly both excelled at the World Bowls Indoor Singles coming away with the silver medals. An amazing effort and I congratulate them both.

The Multi Nations event proved to be a good warm up for the High Performance team before participating in the World Championships in August. I am looking forward to supporting the team as my last official duty and wish them every success. Congratulations to all the representatives.

My congratulations to all title winners over this past season including:

**Open Singles:**

Men Sheldon Bagrie-Howley (Gore)  
Women Selina Goddard (Takapuna)

**Open Pairs:**

Men Gary Lawson and Tony Grantham (Mt Albert)  
Women Clare Hendra and Tayla Bruce (Composite)

**Mixed Pairs:** Lisa White and Dean Gilshnan (Composite)

**Fours:**

Men Rodney Greaney, Adrian Robins, Paul Matheson and Kevan Greenwood - (Composite)  
Women Val Smith, Debbie White, Ashleigh Jeffcoat and Kimberley Hemingway (Composite)

**Open Disability**

Singles: Darron Wolland (Wakari)  
Pairs: Bruce Wakefield and Graham Skellern (Composite)

I congratulate Chris Lander and his team for the way in which they have continued to run the national events on our calendar.

To all the Centres, Clubs, Greenkeepers, Umpires and volunteers, thank you. Without your dedication to our great sport we would not be able to continue to provide such an extensive programme for all our members. Congratulations to the team involved with the presentation of our broadcast (live streaming)



events. This has gone from strength to strength and I personally look forward to being able to view this service for many years to come.

I want to thank the Board for their guidance and support throughout my term. It has been an experience I am proud of and will never forget. I do think it is pertinent here to mention my thoughts on the alternate female / male President term. I believe it is time we moved forward to the position being provided by the best person for the job (irrespective of gender).

To all the staff on the Bowls New Zealand team, you have been a pleasure to work with and I am impressed with how you all work together as one team. I was sad to see some staff moving on but wish them well and welcome to the new members who have joined with us. I hope you enjoy your experience with our team.

Thank you for the privilege of being your President and I wish the incoming President an experience as enjoyable as the one I have had.

I finish once again with a quote from Phil Jackson (a legendary Chicago Bulls Coach and NBA Player)

“The strength of the team is each individual member. The strength of each member is the team”

He mema katoa matou o tera kapa  
We are all members of that team

Ann Wright  
President

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# GOVERNANCE



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Bowls New Zealand’s governance focus for the past 12 months has been the delivery of a new strategic plan and supporting the organisation in a post COVID-19 era.

The deficit budget was authorised so we could support clubs and communities that had fallen on tough times due to COVID-19 and more recently the appalling weather systems that have hit Aotearoa.

The need to support an intensive 12 months of international (world) bowls was also viewed as a fitting use of Balance Sheet reserves.

In September of 2022 the board supported the opportunity to be part of Sport NZ’s ‘Strengthen and Adapt’ programme to accelerate the delivery of one of our key strategic priorities. That project is the BowlsHub database and competition management solution, and we are pleased to report that Sport NZ has committed \$450,000 to this initiative for the next three years.

In May of 2023, the Board and management team set aside a day to review and draft a strategic and operational plan for the next three years (to 2026). This plan has been developed so that Bowls New Zealand can guide future growth and capacity within the bowls community.

A healthy discussion occurred at this strategy meeting on the purpose of Bowls New Zealand.

The last 100+ years would suggest Bowls New Zealand’s focus is on the sport of bowls, but with clubs becoming increasingly diverse in their community offering, our future focus is also on healthy bowling clubs. The Bowls NZ Board and management subsequently agreeing that the purpose of Bowls New Zealand is: ‘To deliver a sport that is enjoyable, entertaining, and accessible to all New Zealanders AND to support and grow vibrant and healthy bowling clubs within our communities’.

The strategy session agreed a number of priorities including BowlsHub, broadcast, twilight bowls, and a commitment to diversity and inclusion in our game and community.

Bowls New Zealand Board		Meetings Attended
Tony Lepper	Board Chair & Independent Director	Six
Craig Bruce	Risk & Audit Chair & Independent Director	Six
Ann Wright	President	Six
Piripi Huywler	Vice-President	Six
Sharon Rimmer	Independent Director	Four
Nicola Simpson (commenced 1/11/2022)	Independent Director	Three
Mark O'Connor	Remuneration Chair & Independent Director	Six

Ngā mihi tino nui (huge thanks) to the Board of Bowls New Zealand for the time and expertise in leading the bowls community. The Bowls NZ Board is led by Tony Lepper as Chair, with Craig Bruce the Risk & Audit Chair, and Mark O'Connor the Remuneration Committee Chair. Ann Wright (President) and Piripi Huywler (Vice-President) have contributed many hours to be available within the bowls community from national events to bowling club celebrations.

Thanks also to Sharon Rimmer and Nicola Simpson for providing a quality independent (non-bowls) voice around the governance table. Sharon will be stepping down from the Board in September 2023 after five years service. We thank Sharon for her service.

The Board undertook a governance review in 2022, concluding that our governance policies and practice is suitable to support the Bowls NZ management and bowls community. The Board of Bowls NZ comprises a reasonably diverse group of people, with a diverse range of thinking.

Our thanks to all the volunteer board and executive members and working group members who have given their time to the governance efforts of Bowls in New Zealand.















# PARTICIPATION

## PLAYING MEMBERSHIP

26,224

↑ 3.6%

## TWILIGHT BOWLS

13,272

↑ 31.0%

## FIRST YEAR

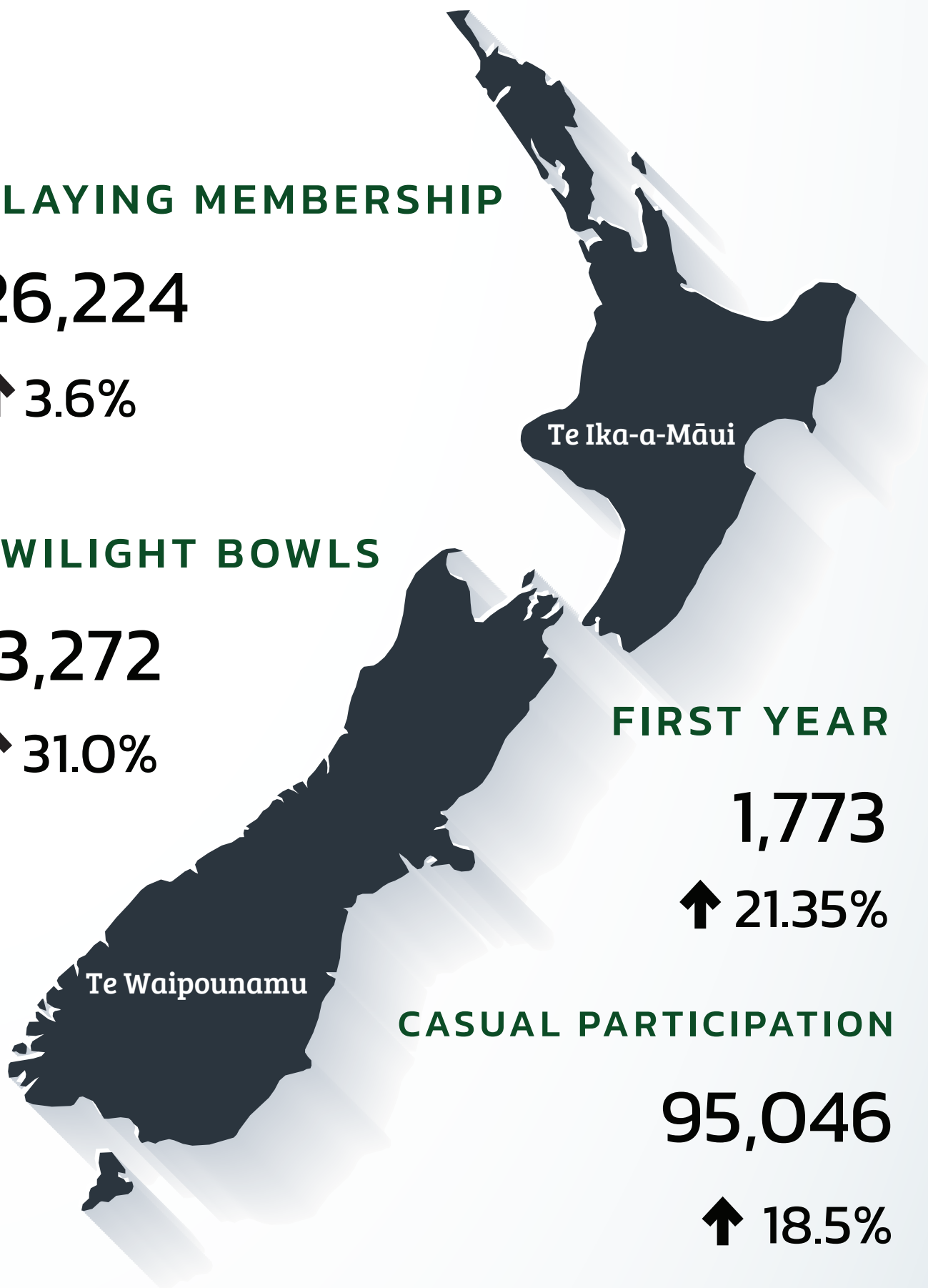
1,773

↑ 21.35%

## CASUAL PARTICIPATION

95,046

↑ 18.5%



Census Data as at 31-December 2022

## Northern

	PLAYING MEMBERSHIP		CASUAL PARTICIPATION	
	2021	2022	2021	2022
Far North	500	495	538	583
Northland	1027	1062	1181	1045
North Harbour	1566	1739	3030	5588
Auckland	2727	2921	25622	29563
Counties Manukau	559	585	343	1012
Waikato	1125	1163	1349	2021
Thames Valley	795	789	695	637
Bay of Plenty	1375	1391	4816	7376
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9674</b>	<b>10145</b>	<b>37574</b>	<b>47825</b>

## Central

	PLAYING MEMBERSHIP		CASUAL PARTICIPATION	
	2021	2022	2021	2022
Gisborne East Coast	315	349	89	730
Hawke's Bay	1038	1065	1162	1656
Taranaki	1080	1126	3549	5093
Wanganui	493	486	1223	1194
Manawatu	628	633	1408	1300
Wairarapa	270	256	1497	730
Kapiti Coast	762	731	731	1075
Wellington	1745	1756	10273	9228
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6331</b>	<b>6402</b>	<b>19932</b>	<b>21006</b>

## Southern

	PLAYING MEMBERSHIP		CASUAL PARTICIPATION	
	2021	2022	2021	2022
Nelson	614	617	562	1033
Marlborough	425	432	1165	981
Buller	114	136	101	163
West Coast	124	117	110	101
Canterbury	3168	3325	11464	12995
South Canterbury	493	580	756	538
North Otago	224	209	100	201
Central Otago	904	942	3490	4138
South Otago	206	186	41	0
Dunedin	1764	1848	3633	4362
Southland	1282	1285	1290	1703
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9318</b>	<b>9677</b>	<b>22712</b>	<b>26215</b>

## New Zealand

	PLAYING MEMBERSHIP		CASUAL PARTICIPATION	
	2021	2022	2021	2022
	25323	26224	80218	95046
<b>% Change</b>		<b>+3.6%</b>		<b>+18.5%</b>

# NATIONAL CHAMPIONS 2022-2023



## 2022 NATIONAL INTERCENTRE



### Bowls North Harbour 14 to 16 October 2022

#### Winners

Central Otago (Women)  
Auckland (Men)

#### Runners-up

Wellington (Women)  
Wellington (Men)

## 2022 NATIONAL INTERCLUB SEVENS



### Bowls North Harbour 11 to 13 November 2022

#### Winners

Takapuna Bowling Club (Women)  
Elmwood Park Bowling Club (Men)

#### Runners-up

Naenae Bowling Club (Women)  
Manurewa Cosmopolitan Bowling Club (Men)

## 2023 SUMMERSET NATIONAL SINGLES



### Bowls North Harbour & Bowls Auckland 2 to 9 January 2023

#### Winners

**Women**  
Selina Goddard  
**Men**  
Sheldon Bagrie-Howley

#### Runners-up

**Women**  
Tayla Bruce  
**Men**  
Shannon Mclroy

#### Open Disability

**Winner** Darron Wolland  
**Runner-up** Lynda Bennett

## 2023 SUMMERSET NATIONAL PAIRS



### Bowls North Harbour & Bowls Auckland 2 to 9 January 2023

#### Winners

**Women**  
Clare Hendra  
Tayla Bruce  
**Men**  
Gary Lawson  
Tony Grantham

#### Runners-up

**Women**  
Wendy Jensen  
Robyne Walker  
**Men**  
Ray Martin  
William Bennett

#### Open Disability

**Winners** Graham Skellern  
Bruce Wakefield  
**Runners-up** Steve Delaney (Dean Wood - Director)  
Jonathan Radka

## 2023 SUMMERSET NATIONAL FOURS



### Central Otago 23 to 26 February 2023

#### Winners

**Women**  
Valerie Smith  
Debbie White  
Ashleigh Jeffcoat  
Kimberley Hemingway

#### Men

Rodney Greaney  
Paul Matheson  
Adrian Robins  
Kevan Greenwood

#### Runners-up

**Women**  
Lynda Milne  
Linley O'Callaghan  
Angela Johnstone  
Christine Buchanan

#### Men

Raika Gregory  
Kelvin Budge  
Robbie Bennett  
David Budge



**2023  
SUMMERSET  
NATIONAL  
MIXED PAIRS**



**Central Otago**  
27 February to 2 March 2023

**Winners**

Lisa White  
Dean Gilshnan

**Runners-up**

Selina Goddard  
Sheldon Bagrie-Howley

**2023  
NATIONAL  
INTERCENTRE**



**Bowls Canterbury**  
16 to 19 March 2023

**Winners**

Nelson (Women)  
Wellington (Men)

**Runners-up**

Auckland (Women)  
Southland (Men)

**2023  
RANGATAHI  
NEW ZEALAND  
UNDER 21S**



**Hobsonville Bowling Club**  
25 to 26 March 2023

**Winner**

Lee Warburton

**Runner-up**

David Motu

**2023  
RANGATAHI  
NATIONAL  
SECONDARY  
SCHOOLS**



**Hobsonville Bowling Club**  
27 to 28 March 2023

**Winner**

St. Thomas of Canterbury College

**Runner-up**

Kings College, Auckland

**2023  
NATIONAL  
INTERCLUB  
SEVENS**



**Bowls North Harbour**  
7 to 10 April 2023

**Winners**

Tauranga Bowling Club (Women)  
Gore Bowling Club (Men)

**Runners-up**

Nelson Bowling Club (Women)  
Stoke Bowling Club (Men)

**2023  
BOWLS3FIVE  
INTERCLUB**



**Naenae Bowling Club**  
6 to 8 May 2023

**Winner**

Mount Maunganui Bowling Club

**Runner-up**

Te Atatu Bowling Club

# NATIONAL CHAMPIONS 2022-2023



## 2023 CHAMPION OF CHAMPION SINGLES



### Bowls Hastings 30 June to 2 July 2023

#### Winners

##### Women

Briar Atkinson (Paritutu)

##### Men

Tony Grantham (Mount Albert)

#### Runners-up

##### Women

Nicole Toomey (Stokes Valley)

##### Men

Kaylin Huwyler (Durie Hill)

## 2023 CHAMPION OF CHAMPION PAIRS



### Hopes Dunedin Lawn Bowls Stadium 7 to 10 July 2023

#### Winners

##### Women

Jenny Anderson  
Helen McIsaac

(Picton)

##### Men

Keanu Darby  
Roger Stevens

(North East Valley)

#### Runners-up

##### Women

Debbie White  
Bev Corbett

(Hinuera)

##### Men

Neil Fisher  
Sean Mullholland

(Browns Bay)

## 2023 CHAMPION OF CHAMPION TRIPLES



### Hopes Dunedin Lawn Bowls Stadium 14 to 16 July 2023

#### Winners

##### Women

Kaye Bunn  
Val Mathews  
Adele French

(Thames Coast)

##### Men

Sheldon Bagrie-Howley  
Thomas Cockerill  
Elliot Mason

(Gore)

#### Runners-up

##### Women

Sharon Leonard  
Julie Robins  
Janice Williams

(Kia Toa, South Canterbury)

##### Men

Neil Fisher  
John Walker  
Colin Rogan

(Browns Bay)

## 2023 CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS FOURS



### Pukekohe & Royal Oak, Auckland 21 to 23 July 2023

#### Winners

##### Women

Diane Strawbridge  
Dawn Owens  
Janice Little  
Barbara Hopper  
(Kensington)

##### Men

David Clark  
Shane Drabble  
Bryn Morgan  
Logan Clark  
(Manurewa Cosmopolitan)

#### Runners-up

##### Women

Tessa Farley  
Margaret Rouse  
Katy Merrett  
Linda Farley  
(Balmoral)

##### Men

Gary Lawson  
Nathan Glasson  
Kelvin Scott  
Ricky Cook  
(Elmwood Park)













# NATIONAL TEAMS 2022-23

## **Commonwealth Games Birmingham**

Lynda Bennett (4)  
Gerald Brouwers (5)  
Tayla Bruce (12)  
Sue Curran (5)  
Ali Forsyth (8)  
Mike Galloway (8)  
Selina Goddard (12)  
Tony Grantham (9)  
Katelyn Inch (11)  
Andrew Kelly (8)  
Shannon McIlroy (8)  
Bronwyn Milne (Director)  
Mark Noble (7)  
Graham Skellern (7)  
Val Smith (12)  
Kevin Smith (Director)  
Nicole Toomey (12)  
Pam Walker (4)

## **World Champion of Champion Singles Wellington**

Tayla Bruce (13)  
Kelvin Scott (11)

## **World Cup Indoor Championship New South Wales**

Katelyn Inch (8)  
Andrew Kelly (9)

## **Multi-Nations Blackjacks Gold Coast**

Sheldon Bagrie-Howley (11)  
Teri Blackbourn (9)  
Tayla Bruce (14)  
Selina Goddard (13)  
Tony Grantham (14)  
Clare Hendra (10)  
Katelyn Inch (16)  
Andrew Kelly (13)  
Chris Le Lievre (12)  
Ray Martin (13)  
Mark Noble (9)  
Julie O'Connell (9)  
Lance Pascoe (13)  
Leeane Poulson (10)  
Kelvin Scott (10)  
Val Smith (14)  
Nicole Toomey (12)  
Darron Wolland (9)

## **New Zealand Under 26 Oceania Challenge Auckland**

Briar Atkinson (8)  
Seamus Curtin (10)  
Taylor Horn (8)  
Ashleigh Jeffcoat (7)  
Olivia Mancer (7)  
Finbar McGuigan (10)  
David Motu (9)  
Henrietta Scott (7)  
Tom Taiaroa (9)  
Caitlin Thomson (8)

*\*() denotes number of games played at event*





## **HIGH PERFORMANCE SQUAD 2022-23**

Sheldon Bagrie-Howley  
Lynda Bennett  
Teri Blackburn  
Tayla Bruce  
Seamus Curtin  
Keanu Darby  
Dan Dickison  
Ali Forsyth  
Mike Galloway  
Selina Goddard  
Tony Grantham  
Clare Hendra

Katelyn Inch  
Ashleigh Jeffcoat  
Andrew Kelly  
Gary Lawson  
Chris Le Lievre  
Ray Martin  
Finbar McGuigan  
Mark Noble  
Julie O'Connell  
Lance Pascoe  
Leeane Poulson  
Dale Rayner

Kelvin Scott  
Sarah Scott  
Graham Skellern  
Val Smith  
Rory Soden  
Bronwyn Stevens  
Nicole Toomey  
Bruce Wakefield  
Pam Walker  
Debbie White  
Darron Wolland

# INTERNATIONAL AWARDS

## Commonwealth Games Birmingham 2022

### Women's Pairs

#### Bronze Medallists

Selina Goddard  
Katelyn Inch

### Women's Fours

#### Bronze Medallists

Selina Goddard  
Nicole Toomey  
Tayla Bruce  
Val Smith

### Women's Triples

#### Bronze Medallists

Nicole Toomey  
Tayla Bruce  
Val Smith

## World Champion of Champion Singles

### Women

#### Gold Medallist

Tayla Bruce

## World Cup Indoor Championship

### Women

#### Silver Medallist

Katelyn Inch

### Men

#### Silver Medallist

Andrew Kelly

## New Zealand Under 26 Oceania Challenge

### Gold Medallists

#### Women's Pairs

Caitlin Thomson  
Briar Atkinson

### Gold Medallists

#### Men's Pairs

Seamus Curtin  
Finbar McGuigan

### Gold Medallists

#### Men's Fours

David Motu  
Seamus Curtin  
Tom Tairaoa  
Finbar McGuigan

### Silver Medallists

#### Men's Triples

David Motu  
Tom Tairaoa  
Taylor Horn

### Silver Medallists

#### Women's Triples

Henrietta Scott  
Olivia Mancor  
Ashleigh Jeffcoat

### Bronze Medallists

#### Men's Singles

Taylor Horn







# 2022-23 SUMMERSET NATIONAL AWARDS

<b>Club of the Year</b>	Hobsonville Bowling Club, Auckland
<b>Club Person of the Year</b>	Joyce Speedy (Riccarton Bowling Club)
<b>Club Person of the Year</b>	Gary Hooson (Russell Bowling Club)
<b>Coach of the Year</b>	Gayle Melrose (Bay of Plenty)
<b>Greenkeeper of the Year</b>	Brendon Gibson (Wellington)
<b>Umpire of the Year</b>	Margaret Eames (Nelson)
<b>Emerging Player of the Year</b>	Briar Atkinson (Taranaki)
<b>Open Disability Player of the Year</b>	Darron Wolland (Dunedin)
<b>Player of the Year (F)</b>	Tayla Bruce (Canterbury)
<b>Player of the Year (M)</b>	Sheldon Bagrie-Howley (Southland)





**Club of the Year**

**Hobsonville Bowling Club**



**Club Person of the Year**

**Joyce Speedy**

**Riccarton Bowling Club**



**Club Person of the Year**

**Gary Hoosen  
Russell Bowling Club**



**Greenkeeper of the Year**

**Brendon Gibson  
Wellington**





**Coach of the Year**

**Gayle Melrose  
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**Sheldon Bagrie-Howley  
Southland**



# FINANCIALS





## Independent Auditor's Report

### To the members of Bowls New Zealand Incorporated

#### RSM Hayes Audit

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### Opinion

We have audited the special purpose financial statements of Bowls New Zealand Incorporated, which comprise:

- the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2023;
- the statement of comprehensive revenue and expense for the year then ended;
- the statement of changes in net assets/equity for the year then ended; and
- the statement of accounting policies and notes to the special purpose financial statements.

In our opinion, the special purpose financial statements on pages 34 to 42 present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Bowls New Zealand Incorporated as at 30 June 2023, and its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with the stated special purpose accounting policies.

### Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (New Zealand) (ISAs (NZ)). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements* section of our report.

We are independent of Bowls New Zealand Incorporated in accordance with Professional and Ethical Standard 1 *International Code of Ethics for Assurance Practitioners (including International Independence Standards) (New Zealand)* issued by the New Zealand Auditing and Assurance Standards Board, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Other than in our capacity as auditor we have no relationship with, or interests in, Bowls New Zealand Incorporated.

### Emphasis of matter - basis of accounting

Without modifying our opinion, we draw attention to Note 1 to the special purpose financial statements which describes the basis of accounting. The special purpose financial statements are prepared solely for the members of Bowls New Zealand Incorporated. As a result, the special purpose financial statements may not be suitable for another purpose.

### Other information

The board are responsible for the other information presented on pages 1 to 30, 33 and 43 to 46 (but does not include the special purpose financial statements and our auditor's report thereon), which we obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report. Our opinion on the special purpose financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of audit opinion or assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the special purpose financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the special purpose financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed on the other information that we obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

### **Responsibilities of board for the special purpose financial statements**

The board are responsible, on behalf of the entity, for the preparation and fair presentation of the special purpose financial statements in accordance with the stated special purpose accounting policies, and for such internal control as the board determine is necessary to enable the preparation of special purpose financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the special purpose financial statements, the board are responsible, on behalf of the society, for assessing the society's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless those charged with governance either intend to liquidate the entity or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

### **Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the special purpose financial statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the special purpose financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (NZ) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists.

Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these special purpose financial statements. A further description of the auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the special purpose financial statements is located at the XRB's website at:

<https://www.xrb.govt.nz/standards/assurance-standards/auditors-responsibilities/audit-report-8/>

### **Who we report to**

This report is made solely to the members, as a body. Our audit has been undertaken so that we might state to the members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than Bowls New Zealand Incorporated and the members as a body, for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'RSM'.

**RSM Hayes Audit**  
Auckland

31 August 2023



# Directory

## Bowls New Zealand Incorporated For the year ended 30 June 2023

### The Board

Tony Lepper, ONZM – Chair  
Ann Wright – President  
Piripi Huwylar – Vice President  
Craig Bruce  
Sharon Rimmer  
Malikah Mitha (resigned September 2022)  
Mark O'Connor  
Nicola Simpson (appointed November 2022)

### Nature of business

Bowls New Zealand Incorporated (Bowls NZ) was established on 1 May 1996 from the merger of the New Zealand Bowling Association Inc. and the New Zealand Women's Bowling Association Inc. It is an incorporated society registered under the Incorporated Societies Act 1908.

The objects of Bowls NZ are to promote, organise and foster the game of bowls in New Zealand.

### Chief Executive Officer

Mark Cameron

### Physical Address

105A Jervois Road, Herne Bay, Auckland, New Zealand 1011

### Postal Address

PO Box 62-502, Greenlane, Auckland, New Zealand 1546

### Incorporated Society Number

665375

## Approval of Special Purpose Financial Statements

### Bowls New Zealand Incorporated For the year ended 30 June 2023

The Board is pleased to present the approved special purpose financial statements of Bowls New Zealand Incorporated for the year ended 30 June 2023.

APPROVED



Mr. M. E. Cameron

Bowls NZ Inc. C.E.O.

Date: 28 August 2023



Mr. C. Bruce

Bowls NZ Inc. Board Member

Date: 28 August 2023

# STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE REVENUE AND EXPENSE

*Bowls New Zealand Incorporated. For the year ended 30 June 2023*

	Notes	2023	2022
<b>REVENUE</b>			
<b>REVENUE FROM NON-EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS</b>	2	<b>949,823</b>	<b>781,286</b>
<b>REVENUE FROM EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS</b>			
Membership Fees		824,408	769,970
Competitions and events		116,911	60,401
Sponsorship and Commercial Partnerships	3	492,127	564,317
Dividends received		-	625
Interest received		12,455	13,253
Gain on Disposal of fixed assets		-	1,667
Other operating revenue		81,026	15,372
<b>TOTAL REVENUE FROM EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS</b>		<b>1,526,927</b>	<b>1,425,605</b>
<b>TOTAL REVENUE</b>		<b>2,476,750</b>	<b>2,206,891</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>			
Employee and volunteer related costs		1,136,517	1,110,416
Amortisation of intangible assets		630	630
Depreciation		51,909	65,047
Other expenses	4	1,552,074	1,138,547
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>		<b>2,741,130</b>	<b>2,314,640</b>
<b>TOTAL OPERATING SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)</b>		<b>(264,380)</b>	<b>(107,749)</b>
Unrealised fair value gain/(loss) on investments		46,401	(34,552)
<b>TOTAL SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR</b>		<b>(217,979)</b>	<b>(142,301)</b>
Other comprehensive revenue/(expense)		-	-
<b>TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE REVENUE / (EXPENSE)</b>		<b>(217,979)</b>	<b>(142,301)</b>

These Special Purpose Financial Statements should be read in conjunction with the following 'Statement of Accounting Policies' and 'Notes to the Special Purpose Financial Statements'.



# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS / EQUITY

*Bowls New Zealand Incorporated. For the year ended 30 June 2023*

	Notes	2023	2022
<b>NET ASSETS / EQUITY</b>			
<b>ACCUMULATED COMPREHENSIVE REVENUE AND EXPENSE</b>			
OPENING BALANCE			
Opening Balance		398,529	540,830
Current Year Earnings		(217,979)	(142,301)
Transfer from Development Reserve		11,612	-
<b>TOTAL ACCUMULATED COMPREHENSIVE REVENUE AND EXPENSE</b>		<b>192,162</b>	<b>398,529</b>
<b>RESERVES</b>			
Development Reserve		500,000	511,612
Sustainable Operations Reserve		500,000	500,000
<b>TOTAL RESERVES</b>		<b>1,000,000</b>	<b>1,011,612</b>
<b>TOTAL NET ASSETS / EQUITY</b>		<b>1,192,162</b>	<b>1,410,141</b>

These Special Purpose Financial Statements should be read in conjunction with the following 'Statement of Accounting Policies' and 'Notes to the Special Purpose Financial Statements'.

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

*Bowls New Zealand Incorporated. As at 30 June 2023*

	Notes	2023	2022
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents		505,586	522,043
Investments	5	824,657	1,278,257
Receivables from exchange contracts		100,563	123,219
Stock - Bowls and Apparel		94,407	-
GST		28,998	766
<b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<b>1,554,211</b>	<b>1,924,285</b>
<b>NON-CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Property, Plant and Equipment	6	165,838	186,239
Leasehold Improvements		117,683	-
Intangible Assets		2,782	3,412
<b>TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<b>286,303</b>	<b>189,651</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>		<b>1,840,514</b>	<b>2,113,936</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			
Payables under exchange contracts		324,602	225,045
Income in advance		323,750	478,750
<b>TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		<b>648,352</b>	<b>703,795</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>		<b>648,352</b>	<b>703,795</b>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>		<b>1,192,162</b>	<b>1,410,141</b>
<b>ACCUMULATED FUNDS</b>			
Total Reserves	7	1,000,000	1,011,612
Accumulated total comprehensive revenue and expense		192,162	398,529
<b>TOTAL ACCUMULATED FUNDS</b>		<b>1,192,162</b>	<b>1,410,141</b>

These Special Purpose Financial Statements should be read in conjunction with the following 'Statement of Accounting Policies' and 'Notes to the Special Purpose Financial Statements'.



# STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

*Bowls New Zealand Incorporated. For the year ended 30 June 2023*

## 1. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### **BASIS OF PREPARATION**

The reporting entity is Bowls New Zealand Incorporated ("Bowls NZ"). Bowls NZ is domiciled in New Zealand and is an incorporated society registered under the Incorporated Societies Act 1908. Bowls NZ as an incorporated society is not required to report under the Public Benefit Entity International Public Sector Accounting Standards ("PBE IPSAS") and other applicable financial reporting standards as appropriate that have been authorised for use by the External Reporting Board for Not-For-Profit entities. However, it has chosen to voluntarily adopt the majority of these standards in the preparation of these special purpose financial statements as it transitions towards full implementation, with the exception of the non-presentation of a cashflow statement and key management personnel disclosures, as well as not adopting PBE FRS 48 Service Performance Reporting.

Bowls NZ is a public benefit not-for-profit entity and is eligible to apply Tier 2 Not-For-Profit PBE IPSAS standards on the basis that it does not have public accountability and it is not defined as large. The Board has elected to report consistent with Tier 2 Not-For-Profit PBE Accounting Standards with the exception of the above items, and in doing so has taken advantage of all applicable Reduced Disclosure Regime ("RDR") disclosure concessions.

The significant accounting policies used in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These financial statements has been prepared on the basis of historical cost, as modified by the fair value measurement of non-derivative financial instruments, and on a going concern basis.

The board considers that the accounting policies adopted in these special purpose financial statements are appropriate to give the users of the financial statements meaningful information about the performance and position of the organisation for the current year.

The policies adopted are the same as the prior year. PBE IPSAS 41: Financial Instruments was adopted in the 2023 financial year but had no effect on the measurement of financial instruments in the financial statements.

### **SPECIFIC ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

#### **(A). REVENUE**

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefit will flow to Bowls NZ and revenue can be reliably measured. Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable. The following specific recognition criteria must be met before revenue is recognised.

#### **REVENUE FROM NON-EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS**

##### **DONATIONS**

Donations are recognised as revenue upon receipt and include donations from the general public or donations received for specific programmes. In kind services, including volunteer time are not recorded as revenue or expense.

##### **GRANT REVENUE**

Grant revenue includes grants given by charitable organisations, philanthropic organisations and businesses. Grant revenue is recognised when received unless there is a clear use or return condition. In this case, revenue is recognised when the conditions attached to the grant has been complied with. Where there are unfulfilled conditions attaching to the grant, the amount relating to the unfulfilled condition is recognised as a liability and released to revenue as the conditions are fulfilled.

#### **REVENUE FROM EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS**

##### **SPONSORSHIP INCOME**

Funds received from sponsors are recognised as revenue when the terms of the relevant sponsorship agreement have been met.

##### **MEMBERSHIP FEES**

Annual fees and subscriptions from bowls clubs are recognised in revenue evenly over the membership period.

##### **EVENT INCOME**

Entrance fees for functions and events are deferred initially and recorded as revenue when the function or event takes place. Related expenses are recognised as prepayments until the events occur.

##### **INTEREST AND DIVIDEND INCOME**

Interest revenue is recognised as it accrues, using the effective interest method. Dividend income is recognised when the dividend is declared.

#### **(B). FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised when Bowls NZ becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the financial instrument.

# STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

*Bowls New Zealand Incorporated. For the year ended 30 June 2023*

Bowls NZ derecognises a financial asset or, where applicable, a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets when the rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired or are waived, or Bowls NZ has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset or has assumed an obligation to pay the received cash flows in full without material delay to a third party; and either:

- Bowls NZ has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset; or
- Bowls NZ has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but has transferred control of the asset.

## **FINANCIAL ASSETS**

Financial assets within the scope of PBE IPSAS 41 Financial Instruments: They are classified as financial assets at fair value through surplus or deficit, at amortised cost. The classifications of the financial assets are determined at initial recognition.

## **FINANCIAL ASSETS AT AMORTISED COST**

Bowls NZ's financial assets recorded at amortised cost include: cash and cash equivalents, short-term investments, receivables from non-exchange transactions and exchange transactions.

## **FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH SURPLUS OR DEFICIT**

Bowls NZ's equity investments and funds invested in and managed by Jarden Investments fall into this category of financial instruments. These financial instruments are recognised at fair value at balance date. Changes in fair value are recognised through surplus or deficit each year.

## **IMPAIRMENT OF FINANCIAL ASSETS**

Bowls NZ assesses at the end of reporting date whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset or a group of financial assets is impaired. Different criteria to determine impairment are applied for each category of financial assets. Where an impairment is identified, the carrying amount of the asset is reduced and the loss is recognised in the surplus or deficit for the reporting period.

## **FINANCIAL LIABILITIES**

Bowls NZ's financial liabilities include trade and other payables (excluding GST and PAYE), employee entitlements and deferred income (in respect to grants whose conditions are yet to be complied with). All financial liabilities are initially recognised at fair value (plus transaction cost for financial liabilities not at fair value through surplus or deficit) and are measured subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

## **(C). CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS**

Cash and cash equivalents are short term, highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

## **(D). SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS**

Short term investments comprise term deposits which have a term of greater than three months and less than 12 months and therefore do not fall into the category of cash and cash equivalents.

## **(E). INVENTORIES**

Inventories held are measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

## **(F). PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT**

Items of property, plant and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the asset. Where an asset is acquired through a non-exchange transaction, its cost is measured at its fair value as at the date of acquisition.

## **(F). PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT**

Items of property, plant and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the asset. Where an asset is acquired through a non-exchange transaction, its cost is measured at its fair value as at the date of acquisition.

Depreciation is charged on a straight line or diminishing value basis over the useful life of the asset. Depreciation is charged at rates calculated to allocate the cost or valuation of the asset less any estimated residual value over its remaining useful life:

- Building Improvements 17%
- Office Equipment 20% to 67%
- Vehicles 30% DV

Depreciation methods, useful lives and residual values are reviewed at each reporting date and are adjusted if there is a change in the expected pattern of consumption of the future economic benefits or service potential embodied in the asset.



#### **(G). GOODS AND SERVICES TAX (GST)**

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST except for receivables and payables, which are stated with the amount of GST included. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the Inland Revenue Department is included as part of receivables or payables in the statement of financial position.

#### **(H). INCOME TAX**

Bowls NZ is wholly exempt from New Zealand income tax having fully complied with all statutory conditions as an amateur sports promoter under section CW 46 of the Income Tax Act 2007.

#### **(I). LEASES**

Payments on operating lease agreements, where the lessor retains substantially all the risk and rewards of ownership of an asset, are recognised as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

Payments on finance lease agreements, where the lessee retains substantially the risk and rewards of ownership of an asset, are capitalised. The asset and the corresponding liability are recorded at inception at the fair value of the leased asset.

Interest charges under finance leases are apportioned over the terms of the respective leases. Capitalised leased assets are depreciated over their expected useful lives in accordance with rates established for similar assets.

#### **(J). EMPLOYEE BENEFITS**

Wages, salaries, annual leave and sick leave.

Liabilities for wages and salaries, annual leave and accumulating sick leave are recognised in surplus or deficit during the period in which the employee provided the related services. Liabilities for the associated benefits are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled.

#### **(K). SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS**

The preparation of Bowls NZ's financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities, and the accompanying disclosures, and the disclosure of contingent liabilities. Uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets or liabilities affected in future periods.

#### **JUDGEMENTS**

In the process of applying Bowls NZ's accounting policies, management has made the following judgements, which have the most significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements:

#### **OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS**

Bowls NZ has entered into a number of operating leases.

Bowls NZ has determined, based on an evaluation of the terms and conditions of the arrangements, such as the lease term not constituting a substantial portion of the economic life of the property, that it does not retain all the significant risks and rewards of ownership of these properties and accounts for the contracts as operating leases.

#### **ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS**

There are no key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting date, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

# NOTES TO THE SPECIAL PURPOSE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

*Bowls New Zealand Incorporated. For the year ended 30 June 2023*

## 2. REVENUE FROM NON-EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS

	2023	2022
GRANTS		
Sport NZ - High Performance	330,000	300,000
Sport NZ - Community Sport	275,500	199,500
Sport NZ - Other	90,000	-
New Zealand Community Trust	120,000	164,123
Other	134,323	117,663
<b>TOTAL GRANTS</b>	<b>949,823</b>	<b>781,286</b>
<b>TOTAL REVENUE FROM NON-EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS</b>	<b>949,823</b>	<b>781,286</b>

## 3. SPONSORSHIP & COMMERCIAL PARTNERSHIPS

During the year the following entities provided gratefully received Commercial Revenue to Bowls NZ: Tower Insurance, Summerset Group, Prebble Seeds Limited, The City of Gold Coast, New Zealand Indoor Bowls, Field Turf NZ, and Apex Gen Trading.

## 4. ANALYSIS OF EXPENSES

EXPENSES	2023	2022
Direct costs of events and tournaments	643,316	393,644
IT, Marketing, and communications	217,305	153,036
Lease Expenses	11,288	13,142
Coaching and development	14,376	10,496
Professional services and consultancy	36,986	73,964
Vehicle expenses	56,012	41,750
Board expenses	29,692	16,319
High Performance	306,151	233,913
Other Expenses	218,218	183,895
Audit Fees	18,730	18,387
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>1,552,074</b>	<b>1,138,547</b>

## 5. INVESTMENTS

	2023	2022
Cash and deposits at bank with maturities greater than 3 months and less than 1 year	-	500,000
Jarden Investments	824,657	767,635
Turners Ltd Shares	-	10,622
<b>TOTAL INVESTMENTS</b>	<b>824,657</b>	<b>1,278,257</b>



## 6. PLANT, PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

2023	MOTOR VEHICLES	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	TOTAL
Opening balance 1/7/2022	186,138	101	186,239
Additions	-	31,508	31,508
Disposals	-	-	-
Depreciation	(50,749)	(1,158)	(51,907)
<b>CLOSING NET BOOK VALUE 30/6/2023</b>	<b>135,389</b>	<b>30,451</b>	<b>165,840</b>
Cost	253,200	32,099	285,299
Accumulated Depreciation	(117,811)	(1,648)	(119,459)
<b>CLOSING NET BOOK VALUE 30/6/2023</b>	<b>135,389</b>	<b>30,451</b>	<b>165,840</b>

2022	MOTOR VEHICLES	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	TOTAL
Opening balance 1/7/2021	212,744	440	213,184
Additions	59,913	0	59,913
Disposals	(21,811)	0	(21,811)
Depreciation	(64,708)	(339)	(65,047)
<b>CLOSING NET BOOK VALUE 30/6/2022</b>	<b>186,138</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>186,239</b>
Cost	253,200	598	253,798
Accumulated Depreciation	(67,062)	(497)	(67,559)
<b>CLOSING NET BOOK VALUE 30/6/2022</b>	<b>186,138</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>186,239</b>

## 7. BREAKDOWN OF RESERVES

RESERVES	2023	2022
Sustainable Operations Reserve	500,000	500,000
Development Reserve	500,000	511,612
<b>TOTAL RESERVES</b>	<b>1,000,000</b>	<b>1,011,612</b>

The Board aims to be a prudent steward of its finances and accordingly has resolved to recognise the above reserves, the purpose of these reserves is as follows:

### SUSTAINABLE OPERATIONS RESERVE

Sufficient to cover estimated core operating costs for six months.

### DEVELOPMENT RESERVE

To be available for investment in new initiatives associated with growing the participation base or providing best practice tools and training to identified Regions, Centres and Clubs. An amount of \$11,612 was transferred to accumulated comprehensive revenue and expense during the financial year.

## 8. CATEGORIES OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CARRYING AMOUNTS)

### FINANCIAL ASSETS (WITHIN STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION)

AT AMORTISED COST	2023	2022
Cash and deposits at bank with maturities of less than 3 months	505,586	522,043
Cash and deposits at bank with maturities greater than 3 months and less than 1 year	-	500,000
Receivables from exchange and non exchange transactions	100,563	123,219
<b>TOTAL AT AMORTISED COST</b>	<b>606,149</b>	<b>1,145,262</b>
<b>FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH SURPLUS OR DEFICIT</b>		
Turners Ltd - 2,840 Shares	-	10,622
Jarden Investments - Managed Fund	824,657	767,635
<b>TOTAL FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH SURPLUS OR DEFICIT</b>	<b>824,657</b>	<b>778,257</b>
<b>TOTAL FINANCIAL ASSETS (WITHIN STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION)</b>	<b>1,430,805</b>	<b>1,923,519</b>

### FINANCIAL LIABILITIES - AT AMORTISED COST

Trade and other creditors	(278,051)	(225,045)
<b>TOTAL FINANCIAL LIABILITIES - AT AMORTISED COST</b>	<b>(278,051)</b>	<b>(225,045)</b>

## 9. COMMITMENTS

OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS	2023	2022
Not later than one year	37,700	37,700
Later than one year and no later than five years	99,200	135,600
Later than five years	-	-
<b>TOTAL OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS</b>	<b>136,900</b>	<b>173,300</b>

Operating commitments consists of leases for office space and office equipment.

## 10. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND GUARANTEES

There are no contingent liabilities or guarantees as at 30 June 2023 (2022: nil).

## 11. RELATED PARTIES

There are no related party transactions for the year ended 30 June 2023 (2022: nil).

## 12. EVENTS AFTER THE BALANCE DATE

There were no events that have occurred after the balance date that would have a material impact on these special purpose financial statements.







# OUR PEOPLE

2022-2023

## Patron

Sharon Sims, MNZM

## President

Ann Wright

## Vice President

Piripi Huwyler

## Board

Tony Lepper, ONZM (Chair)  
Craig Bruce  
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Gayle Melrose	Performance Lead
Graeme Rees	National Coach Development Lead
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## Past Presidents

1996-1997	Joan Jaggar, ONZM (Auckland)*
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1998-1999	Edna Higgins (Nelson)*
1999-2000	Ken Stott (Dunedin)*
2000-2001	Jean Curry, ONZM (Far North)*
2001-2002	Brian Guy (Bay of Plenty)*
2002-2003	Margaret Malcolm, ONZM (Dunedin)
2003-2005	John Carter (Wellington)
2005-2007	Joy Gilson (Southland)
2007-2009	Martin Christensen (Gisborne East Coast)
2009-2011	Coral Wing (Manawatu)
2011-2013	Trevor McComish (Wellington)
2013-2015	Ann Muir, QSM (Northland)
2015-2017	Mike Spring (Bay of Plenty)*
2017-2019	Jeanette Sinclair (Auckland)
2019-2021	Mark O'Connor (Wellington)

## Life Members

Peter Belliss, MBE  
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## Bowls New Zealand Staff

Mark Cameron	Chief Executive Officer
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Julie Blake	Blackjacks & Digital Content Manager
Rob Davis	Clubs and Community (P/T)
Sarah Hill	Communications & Events Officer
Chris Lander	General Manager - Clubs & Community
Martin Mackenzie	Club Support Manager
Sally Mackenzie	Marketing & Inclusion Manager
Tamara Maher	Digital Manager (to February 2023)
Erin Nurkka	Commercial Manager (to January 2023)
Pyper Nielsen	Communication, Event & Office Support
Alex Reed	Coaching & Communications Officer
Graeme Rees	Coach Lead (P/T)
Kevin Smith	Clubs and Community (P/T)
Brendon Walton	BowlsHub & Digital Officer (to June 2023)
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