



FEDERACIÓN ANDALUZA DE BOLOS

ANDALUSIAN BOWLING FEDERATION

ANNEX I - CONDITIONS OF PLAY

2026 ANDALUSIAN LAWN BOWLS CHAMPIONSHIPS

31 October - 6 November 2026

Conditions of Play

The Championships will be played in accordance with the **World Bowls Laws of the Sport of Bowls - Crystal Mark Fourth Edition** and will be conducted under the auspices of the Federación Andaluza de Bolos (FAB).

The Championships will be held at **Cabrera Lawn Bowls Club, Almería**.

The tournament will consist of Men's Singles, Ladies' Singles, Men's Pairs, Ladies' Pairs, Any Combination Triples and Mixed Rinks.

All players must have FAB club membership and hold a valid National Licence.

Entry fee: **€8 per player, per discipline**. Matching conventional bowls attire and stickers are required for each member of a team.

Coaches must be certified under the National Coaching Scheme. Any restriction on the number of times a coach may be used will be determined by the Controlling Body.

Match sessions are: **09.00-11.30, 12.00-14.30 and 15.00-17.30**. Matches will be timed and players may be required to play more than one game on the same day.

Competition formats

Men's and Ladies' Singles	4 bowls - 21 shots
Men's and Ladies' Pairs	3 bowls - 18 ends
Any Combination Triples	3 bowls - 16 ends
Mixed Rinks	2 bowls - 14 ends

- **Two trial ends** are allowed.
- No visiting the head except for skips, and only after the second bowl has been played.
- **Dead ends:** Law 20 applies.
- **Bowl displacement from a neighbouring rink:** Law 37.6.1.2 applies. Any player may stop a bowl moving towards their head from a neighbouring rink.
- **Replacements and substitutes:** Laws 32, 33, 55.3.3 and 55.2.7 apply.

Controlling Body

Ruth Compton	FAB Provincial Delegate, Almería
Douglas Hall	FAB Provincial Delegate, Málaga
Tony Lear	Competition Secretary, FAB Almería
John Mannall	Umpires and Markers Coordinator for the Championships

Player qualifying for two simultaneous finals: Consideration will first be given to moving one of the affected matches to another available session in which none of the players concerned is involved. If this is not possible, the player will select which match they wish to play and the team left short will be completed with an authorised substitute. The decision and any substitute must be approved by the Controlling Body.

Umpires and markers for the Championships will be coordinated by the designated Umpires and Markers Coordinator.

The Controlling Body is entitled to make any necessary organisational adjustments required to maintain the spirit of fair play and the smooth running of the competition, in accordance with the applicable Conditions of Play and federation rules.

Updated and formally incorporated by FAB on 28 October 2026.