# Western Province Bowls

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**WP Bowls Circular 2024-36**

## REVERTING TO ORIGINAL DATES - WP LADIES' PAIRS AND WP PRO10 PAIRS COMPETITIONS

WP Bowls has received several letters from players and clubs in response to the rescheduling of the WP Ladies Pairs and the WP Pro10 Pairs competitions as per WP Bowls Circular 2024-35.

The WP Bowls Executive would like to apologise for any inconvenience caused by attempting to find a solution to date clashes in an already congested bowls calendar. The reality is that we are in this position because the WP Calendar was not managed well this season, and this is still being experienced as we near the end of the 2023/2024 season.

For the new season, one of the goals of the WP Executive is to make sure that the WP Calendar will provide good opportunities for WP players to compete and excel. Please be assured that every effort is being made to accommodate as many of our players and clubs as possible. The WP Bowls Executive is committed to learning from the errors and challenges encountered this season with the WP Competition Calendar and request all stakeholders to provide input into this process, if they have not done so already.

All clubs and players are advised that we will be reverting to the original dates scheduled for the two WP Competitions with immediate effect. These are shown below.

Clubs are asked to please ensure that all players are notified of this update, especially those that are involved in the Last 16 of the WP Ladies' Pairs, scheduled for 6 July 2024.

The final dates are:

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| **WP Ladies Pairs** | **Last 16 and Quarter Finals** | **6 July 2024** |
| **WP Ladies Pairs** | **Semi Finals and Finals** | **7 July 2024** |
| **WP Pro10 Pairs** | | **10-11 August 2024** |

Please note that there is no change to the WP Men's Pairs competition, and it will continue as scheduled on 6 – 7 July 2024.

Regards,

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WP Bowls President


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