



## Role Description – Men’s President

### Purpose of the Role

- To be the figurehead and main representative for Men in Bowls Surrey

### Appointment

- Installed at AGM following year as Vice President
- This is generally a three-year commitment – one year as Vice President, then one year as President, then a further year as President of the Past Presidents Association

### Key Contacts

- Men’s Vice President and Women’s President
- Officers, especially Match Secretaries, General Secretary, Administrator, Men’s Senior Team Manager, Competition Coordinators
- Committees, mainly Selection Committee and Management Committee

### Responsibilities

- Attend all Men’s County matches
- Attend all Men’s Presidents and Bowls Surrey Mixed matches
- Attend and support the Men’s Senior Team Manager and Team at Middleton Cup, Balcomb Trophy and Home Counties matches and the Over 60s Mixed Inter County matches (shared with the Women’s President)
- Attend and support the Junior Team Manager and Team at White Rose Competition
- Attend and support Walter Cross games
- Attend Men’s County Quarter-finals and Men’s and Mixed Semi-finals and Finals and present trophies
- Attend Home Counties Championship Finals if Surrey qualify or the Finals are held at a Surrey club
- Attend Bowls England Championships to support Surrey men who are playing, ensuring attendance for the Players Badge presentations and Trophy presentations (if won)
- Arrange Presentations of Leopard Awards and present awards to recipients
- Arrange Men’s President’s Day
- Attend Men’s County Selection meetings
- Attend Management Committee meetings
- Choose Men’s President’s charity and liaise with chosen charity
- Write Men’s President’s message for Bowls Surrey website
- Decide on and obtain any gifts for County, Presidents and Bowls Surrey Mixed matches
- Attend Bowls Surrey Dinner and present trophies
- Attend AGM and make speech
- Ensure that Bowls Surrey standards and protocols are upheld

- Always wear County uniform when on duty

### **Time Required**

- This will be a time-consuming and tiring role
- It is effectively a three-year role progressing from Vice President to President to President of the Past Presidents Association (optional)
- During the playing season there will often be multiple matches each week
- There will also be many events to attend
- During the off season there are preparations to be made for the playing season

### **Skills and Attributes Required**

- Approachable and friendly
- Confident and good at communicating
- Able to write and make speeches
- Well organised
- Healthy, as the role is very demanding
- Able to bowl to a reasonable standard