

Leadenham Bowls Cub

NEW ASSOCIATE MEMBER INVITATION

You are invited to become an '**Associate Member**' of the Leadenham Bowls Club.

It is hoped that this new introductory level of Membership will encourage your interest in the game and give you the opportunity to discover for yourself if you actually enjoy the game, and if you have any kind of ability to take up the game on a more formal basis.

We would also like to invite you to support the club and join our friendly social events.

Associate Membership includes:

- Eligibility to play in Lincoln Area Bowls league matches (if selected) between May and September.
- Have access to the green to practice.

Associate Members must adhere to Club Rules, and the contents of the Addendum attached to this invite.

This includes things like following correct dress codes wearing of correct footwear and, and you are welcome contribute to discussions at Club Member Meetings.

There is NO MINIMUM commitment to play, however there is a minimum member age of 16 at 1st May 2026.

As an Associate Member you are welcome to support the team at home and away matches, even if not selected to play.

Associate Membership is only available for one season, with Full membership being required in subsequent seasons if the membership is to continue.

The cost of Associate Membership for the 2026 Season is only **£20.00** and is currently open until **30th May 2026**

At home games, where possible, a rink will be opened for new players for practices.

There is no charge to practice, but an option to donate to club funds would be most welcome.

**If you would like to join us please complete the attached form
and return it as shown**

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Addendum to Bowls Club Constitution/Terms of Reference

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

'Associate Member' is an introductory level of Membership designed to encourage interest in the game and give new starters the opportunity to discover if they actually enjoy the game, and have the potential to take up the game on a more formal basis.

Associate Members are encouraged to support the club and to join all social and fund raising events

Associate Members:

1. Must abide by all the Rules, Terms and Conditions of Full Membership
2. are eligible to play in Lincoln Area Bowls league matches (if selected) between May and September.
3. have access (*limited to between two and six people*) to the green to practice - provided that prior notification is given to a Full Member of the Club.
4. are invited to attend the bowling green at each Home game which without prior registration.
5. are welcome to support the team at Away matches, even if not selected to play.
6. must adhere to dress codes, including the wearing of correct footwear
7. are welcome contribute to discussions at Club Member Meetings.
8. are *not* eligible to vote at those meetings or in any interim debate
9. are not permitted to participate in the Annual Members Doubles or Singles Tournaments.

Associate Member Practices

A rink will be open at Home Games for new players for practices wherever possible.

In the event that a spare link is not available then the practice will not be able to take place.

There is no charge to playing in advertised roll ups or at practices, but an option to donate to club funds is welcome.

There is NO MINIMUM commitment to play, however there is a minimum member age of 16 (as at 1st May 2026).

Associate Membership is only available for one season, with Full membership being required in subsequent seasons if the membership is to continue.

The cost of Associate Membership is **£20.00**

Associate Membership invites will be valid until the end of the second month of the new season.