



## WORCESTERSHIRE BOWLING ASSOCIATION

### Greens Inspection ( for county competitions)

- Contact club to arrange a mutual date & time, explaining that the green requires to be cut and all appropriate rink markers in position.
- Request for a club representative to be in attendance.
- Ask the club representative for the “ county competition colour marks” to be inspected ( *it is not necessary test all colour marks* )
- Visually inspect the green, ditches and banks for damage and repairs in progress. ( *check ditch measurements, copy attached* )
- Ensure the nearest rink marker to the side ditch is at least the minimum required distance. ( *600 mm* )
- Bowl bowls up each hand in both directions ( more than once if necessary to arrive at the right decision ) to ensure signs of “make” and generally for bowls to fall inwards as opposed to outwards.
- Advise club representative of any recommendations that may be necessary to be made and re-arrange for any subsequent visit that may ensue.
- Fill in two “greens inspection certificates”, with added comments if any,
- Sign both certificates, together with that of the club representative.
- One certificate to be retained by the club, to be displayed in a prominent position ( *ask where this will be* ) for inspection by visiting opponents.
- The second certificate to be retained and handed to the WBA Secretary,