

Season 2025 Ladies County Fixtures

Walker Cup Regional Finals

It is with great pride and joy that I write this report following the Walker Cup Regional Finals weekend held at Broadway on the 17/18 May.

Worcestershire was in a group of 4 counties, which included Warwickshire, Gloucestershire and Herefordshire. The competition was a round robin with each county, playing the others, over the two days. Each match had a singles, pairs, triples and fours game, in the fashion of the 'Top Club'.

Worcestershire was first up on the Saturday morning against Warwickshire. We won that opening game comfortably only losing in one discipline. The shots difference was 56, a huge benefit as any final placement could depend on shots. Worcestershire took 21 points from the game. In the afternoon we played Gloucestershire and won across all four disciplines, taking the maximum of 24 points from the game, again, improving our overall shots tally.

Warwickshire won their other two games and so on Sunday afternoon, as we went to play our last game, Warwickshire were ahead by 1 point. Our team played well to again win across all four disciples, providing a near perfect result for the weekend.

Worcestershire kept the same team for the three matches, but they were ably supported by four reserves who marked singles matches, kept the scores and encouraged the players throughout. It was a real squad effort.

Thanks should go to Broadway BC for the way they organised and managed the event. It was superb and the whole weekend ran smoothly with no hiccups. Thank you also to the supporters who turned up to encourage the players. It made such a difference to the players on the Green to hear calls of support.

For those who like to see the detail, all the results can be found on the Bowls England website under the competitions portal 'Walker Cup'. Below I have listed the squad, the team of 10 who played and the final table of results.

The Walker Cup squad of 15 players:

Broadway - Sue Davies, Viv Hall, Joan Parfitt, Debbie Seward, Amy Walters.

Chester Road – Maddie Burgess, Aqua Griffiths, Izzie White

Pershore – Alison Cartwright, Ali Foote, Julie Howell, Pam Icke, Lesley Wood St Dunstan's – Eira Drake, Judy Drewer.

The Team of 10:

Singles - Izzie White

Pairs - Viv Hall & Sue Davies

Triples - Pam Icke, Debbie Seward & Amy Walters

Fours – Julie Howell, Joan Parfitt, Judy Drewer and Maddie Burgess.

Table of Results:

After Session 6	PLD	W	D	L	F	Α	S/D	PTS	Position
Gloucestershire	3	1	0	2	180	181	-1	25	3
Herefordshire	3	0	0	3	151	233	-82	3	4
Warwickshire	3	2	0	1	169	202	-33	46	2
Worcestershire	3	3	0	0	256	140	116	69	1



The above is a photo of the whole squad. We now represent the region at the finals in Leamington on Saturday 16 August. Please be there if you can.

Alison Cartwright

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