

HUDDERSFIELD RUFC BOWLING CLUB

The Constitution and Rules of The Huddersfield RUFC Bowling Club which were approved at the first General Meeting of the club held in the Pavilion on the 25th September 1997, and amended at the Annual General meeting held on Thursday, 20th November 2003.

1. The Club shall be called The Huddersfield RUFC Bowling Club and shall be a section of the Huddersfield Rugby Union Football Club.

The Headquarters of the club shall be:-

The Pavilion, Brewery Drive, Lockwood Park, Huddersfield, HD4 6EN

Aims

The Club aims to foster and promote the game of crown green bowling in accordance with the rules and aims of The British Crown Green Bowling Association, with which the Club and its members are registered.

Objectives:

- To further the development of crown green bowling and social activities within the Huddersfield RUFC Sports Complex during the entire year.
- To create openings and interests for junior members of either sex, to learn and play the game, and to enter teams in junior, senior and ladies leagues.
- To present the opportunity for all ages and sexes to take part in sporting and social activity, and thus fully utilise and enlarge the leisure opportunities of the Sports Complex throughout the year.
- To provide coaching, training facilities and equipment for newcomers to the game.

2. MEMBERSHIP

- a) Members of the Huddersfield RUFC shall be able to become members of the Huddersfield RUFC BC without resource to proposer, seconder, or election, on payment of an annual subscription to be determined by the committee of the Huddersfield RUFC Bowling Club.
- b) Non members of the Huddersfield RUFC shall be eligible to become members of Huddersfield RUFC BC on payment of an annual subscription to be determined by the committee of Huddersfield RUFC BC, but such members will require a proposer and seconder before being approved as members. The approval can be given by the Executive (see rule 9). Normal approval will be made by the committee at its' next meeting after the posting of the proposal which shall be displayed in the pavilion for one full week.

- c) Members who have not reached the age of 18 at the start of the bowling season shall be accepted as junior members upon payment of an annual subscription to be determined by the committee of the Huddersfield RUFC BC, and shall be required to have a proposer and seconder as described in rule 2 (b).

3. COMPETITIONS AND LEAGUES

The committee of Huddersfield RUFC BC shall determine which competitions will be entered in the form of teams playing as Huddersfield RUFC BC.

4. COMMITTEE

Huddersfield RUFC BC shall, each year, elect a Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer together with the respective Captains of each team, who shall form the committee of the Huddersfield RUFC BC.

5. ACCOUNTS

The Treasurer of the Huddersfield RUFC BC shall keep a weekly account of monies received and payments due, and will submit reports as required from time to time to the committee of the Huddersfield RUFC BC.

6. AUDITORS

Huddersfield RUFC BC shall appoint two auditors from its' members to scrutinise the accounts which will then be submitted to the Treasurer of Huddersfield RUFC for inclusion into the annual balance sheet of Huddersfield RUFC.

7. MEETINGS

Huddersfield RUFC BC shall hold meetings of the committee which will be convened by the Chairman of Huddersfield RUFC BC or a deputy who shall be nominated by the Chairman of Huddersfield RUFC BC.

8. AGM

There shall be an Annual General Meeting of Huddersfield RUFC BC which will be held at least one month before the start of the bowling season (Good Friday). At that AGM the officials previously described shall be elected under the normal rules of all elections held in accordance with the rules of Huddersfield RUFC.

9. **THE EXECUTIVE**

The Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer of the Huddersfield RUFC BC shall constitute the executive of the club and will have power to act. Should 'the Power to Act' be invoked, then such action should be reported upon to the committee at its next meeting.

10. **FEES**

The committee of Huddersfield RUFC BC shall determine the green fees for non members and hiring charges for the full reservation of the green.

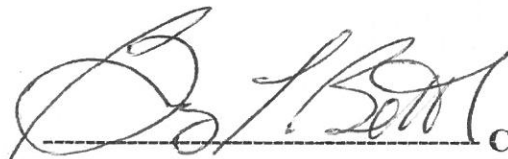
11. **GENERAL**

This constitution and the rules therein are intended for the members of Huddersfield RUFC BC organised as a Section of the Huddersfield RUFC who will act as the Parent body in the event of any dispute.

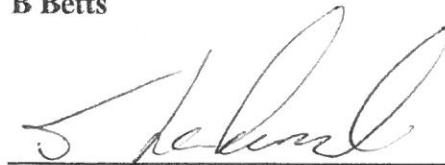
None of the rules of Huddersfield RUFC BC can supersede the rules and conditions appertaining to membership of Huddersfield RUFC.

13. **DISSOLUTION**

If lack of support or other reason should cause a dissolution of the club, then the assets of Huddersfield RUFC Bowling Club shall be handed over to the Huddersfield Rugby Union Football Club of which Huddersfield RUFC Bowling Club is a Section.



B Betts Chairman



J Lockwood Treasurer