



SOUTHEAST DIVISION of BOWLS USA 2022 Benefit Series

In the Southeast Division, the economic fallout from COVID-19 continues. Challenges include reduced membership and increased costs. The objective of the SED Benefit Series of Tournaments is to provide financial assistance to hard-hit clubs in the Division.

In addition, several SED members have already pledged to make personal contributions. If you would like to help, you can include a donation with this tournament entry. You will be recognized for your support at the 'Benefit Series' awards presentation.

This, so we can continue to *"Bowl in the sun, where fun's number one"*

Beneficiary	All proceeds (less expenses) donated the Clearwater Lawn Bowling Club (1 st , 2 nd & 3 rd place medals awarded in lieu of monetary prizes)
Tournament Date	Saturday, March 19, 2022
Submission Deadline	Friday, March 12 (no refunds after this date). 20 team limit. Additional teams will be placed on a waiting list. If uneven number of teams at deadline, the last team entry will be declined, and entry fee refunded. (Effort will be made to avoid this).
Tournament Description "Ross Weir" format WT/MT (No all-male teams)	All games 10 ends (high vs high) Register as a mixed triples or women's triples team
Participants	Must be a member of Bowls USA and the Southeast Division if residing in the Southeast Division for more than 30 days. Non-residents of less than 30 days must be Bowls USA or WBA members.
Entry Fee	\$25.00 U.S. PER PERSON Please send ONE entry form with ALL players' details.
Venue	Sun City Center Lawn Bowling Club 1009 N Pebble Beach Blvd. Sun City Center FL 33573
Dress Code	White or matching-colored team shirts with collars and white or matching-colored bottoms. Footwear must be flat-soled and heel-less.
Notes	Coffee, tea, and sweets will be provided in the mornings. Bring your own lunch.
Check-in / Start Times	Check-in 9:00 a.m. Announcements: 9:15 a.m. Games begin 9:30 a.m.
Contact	Bob Fladung bobfrrdata@bellsouth.net 615-848-3549

Ross Weir passed away suddenly on May 5, 2021, at the age of 87. He was a twenty-year member of the Clearwater Lawn Bowls club where he served, among other things, as President and Tournament Director. Ross was a gregarious man and a great ambassador for the Sport, both here and in Canada. Ross is deeply missed.



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ENTRY FORM

ENTRY FEE: \$ 25.00 U.S. PER PERSON

(Add \$5.00 surcharge for checks drawn on Canadian banks - does not apply to RBC Georgia)

Please send ONE entry form with ALL players' checks and details

Make checks payable to: Southeast Division of Bowls USA
 Send with entry form to: Bob Fladung
 2010 New Bedford Dr.
 Sun City Center FL 33573

Register as a mixed triples or women's triples team

PLEASE PRINT

	Name	Club
Team Member 1		
Team Member 2		
Team Member 3		

Team name: _____

Amount to be enclosed: **\$75.00** (\$25.00 per person)

Donation included: _____

Checks will not be deposited until after March 12, 2022

Name on check: _____ Check # _____

Submitted by: _____ Club _____

Address: _____

Telephone/Email: _____

Please provide email and/or telephone number for entry confirmation.

Please give your teammates all the necessary information, including dress code.
 Skips are responsible for their team.



Rules and Other Conditions of Play

- Bowls USA Laws of the Sport of Bowls Crystal Mark Third Edition will govern play.
- **Trial ends.** Two bowls up and back.
- **No practice** before opening announcements.
- **Ties:** Ties must be broken for the win only. Play an extra end from where the previous end was completed. Flip a coin for the mat. No shots scored.
- **Single re-spot rule is in effect.** A jack in motion that passes completely outside the boundaries of the rink of play must be re-spotted on the 2-meter mark on the center line.
- **Slow Play:** The Umpire or Controlling Body will warn the skips, if their game is slow, that time is running out.
- **Draw and Announcements** at 9:15 a.m. Games begin at 9:30 a.m. A team not ready to play 15 minutes past the scheduled start time will forfeit the game. The opposing team will receive a win and an average of the total shots scored by all the winning teams in that round. This rule, under conditions deemed to be extenuating, may be waived, or amended by the Tournament Committee.
- The Drawmaster will announce the official starting and ending times
- Play will commence with a signal and no jack can be rolled after the closing signal. An end in progress is to be completed.
- **Format:** Mixed Triples / Women's Triples. High versus high, shots on a plus basis – max 15
- **Ranking order:** (after game 3 to determine winning teams)
 - Wins, shots for, differential
- All games 10 ends.
- Movement of players (trips to the head) during play limited to once per end.
- Equal distance bowls, zero shots scored, end played.
- **Score Cards:** Skips, put your score on the left side of the card.
 - Verify the score throughout the game. At the end of each game verify and sign each other's card.
 - Winners take both signed score cards to the Drawmaster's office.

**If unforeseen circumstances arise during the tournament,
the Tournament Committee reserves the right to make necessary changes.**