



**To: EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
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CIRCULAR 51 / 2026

INVITATION TO COACHING TRAIN-THE -TRAINER (TtT) COURSE

The National Standing Committee Coaches (NSCC) request that any facilitators at a District's entry-level Coach-Development courses should have attended the T-t-T course to ensure that a similar content and training standard is maintained throughout the country. Please note that future trainers are not necessarily currently on your District Standing Committee Coaches (DSCC), but may be capable and willing to contribute to the training courses in the District. The minimum requirement for attending a T-t-T course is that the person is a qualified Level 2 coach with experience. NSCC requires any trainers attending the T-t-T course to commit to facilitating at the next two Level 1 or 2 courses held in their Districts.

Bowls SA supports the Districts in this regard but is unable to cover the costs of travel or accommodation. As per Circular 13/2019, Districts are required to pay a non-refundable registration fee of R250 upfront. The cost of the course is R2000 per candidate.

The course will commence at 14:00 on Day 1 and end at 13:00 on Day 3. The dates and venue are:

- North 7th – 9th August 2026 Venue: EKB – Northmead Bowling Club

Registration of applicants for the T-t-T Course must be done by no later than one month before the course is scheduled to start, after which the course will be closed for further registration – see the instructions attached to this Circular. All DSCC's will be asked to confirm applicants from their district by paying the Application fee of R250 per person before these applicants will be accepted. Please note that a minimum of 8 candidates is required for a course to run.

Note that the earlier the registration information is received, the sooner NSCC can distribute the pre-course material, and the longer the trainee will have to do the pre-course tasks! Please forward a copy of this circular to all nominees so they have the initial information about the course and how to register.

Each trainer is required to have a copy of *Lawn Bowls Coaching* (available from Bowls SA via the District Office @ R500).

Please contact the course co-ordinator at coach.courses@bowlssa.com or phone number 071 891 7116 if there are any queries in this regard.

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