

# **WELSH INDOOR BOWLS**

## **SELECTION POLICY.**

**As agreed following a vote at the Management Committee Meeting held at Merthyr Tydfil Indoor Bowls Stadium on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2024.**

Welsh Indoor Bowls has put in place the following selection procedures that players must adhere to, to be considered for selection to the following Events.

Ladies and Men's International Teams.

To be considered for National Selection players must make themselves available for selection and if selected by their club, play in National Club Competition matches. Failure to play in a reasonable number on National Club Competition matches will preclude a player from selection, exceptions can be made for junior and over fifties selection.

To qualify for International Selection players are required to make themselves available for all relevant squad days, and practise sessions. Players not attending any of these without the agreement of the Team Manager will not be considered for International Selection.

Players wishing to be excused from participation in any International Development Days, Squad Games or Practise Sessions must submit their request in writing to the Team Manager, stating the reason they cannot attend. The Team Manager will consider the request and will inform the player of his/her decision. If the player does not receive a reply from the Team Manager, it can be deemed that the request has been rejected.

BIIBC & IIBC/World Bowls Events.

Players who by winning Welsh Indoor Bowls National Competitions will automatically qualify for the events providing they make themselves available for International Selection during the season that the event is due to be held. Players who are not available for International Selection will be replaced at the above events by the runners up in the National Competitions, provided they meet the criteria.

Exceptions for Junior (Under 18s) and Over 50s selection.

Players refused entry to the above events have the right of appeal to the Management Committee.