**Notices of Motion
Worcestershire Bowling Association
AGM 2021**

1. That the constitution of the Worcestershire Bowling Association be amended to include generic dates and times for the Executive and Annual General Meetings

**Rule 6 of the Constitution to be added or amended**

The Annual General Meeting to be held at any time after the first November but no later than the SECOND Sunday of December in each year on a Sunday at 10am

The Executive Meetings to be held on the first Sunday in April and October at 10am.

The only exceptions to these dates is when Easter coincides with the first Sunday in April.

**Reasoning**

The time and day were originally set to maximise attendance and for the length of time required for attendees. An AGM starting at 7pm could continue depending on content for up to 4 hours, so an 11pm finish is unacceptable.

1. That the Worcestershire Bowling Association AGM consider the removal of payment and gifts for all competitions.

**Reasoning**

The County has historically given Gifts or Monetary prizes to the Winners and Runners Up of all competitions. The purchase of these in recent years has meant a significant reduction in quality of these gifts. As we are not a wealthy County in comparison to others, it will go some way towards improving our annual expenditure and P&L.

Winning and competing in a final ensures that the names of the competitors is engraved on each trophy and also the receiving of that Trophy.

The alternative will be for the finance committee to consider significantly increasing competition entry fees to offset outgoings.

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Past President and Life Member

25th September 2021