**Inter-Club Leagues Rules**

**1.** The leagues shall be known as **“League ‘A’ and League ‘B’”** and will be run on a promotion and relegation system each year, (Two Teams Up and Two Teams Down)

**2.** Clubs shall play each club in their respective league once on dates fixed by the Competition Secretary subject to the availability of the green. Re-arranged matches to be mutually agreed between clubs

**3.** The postponement of games to be played within one month or seven days in the case of the last game for the last fixture. All fixtures must be fulfilled. Where a club fails to fulfil their fixtures they will be suspended from entry into the competition the following year and will be required to apply in writing to the Competition Secretary requesting to be included in League ‘B’ at some future date following their one year suspension. All scores and points gained in the previous fixtures with all clubs will be declared null and void

**4.** Teams will consist of FOUR rinks of FOUR players and will play Home (Two rinks) and Away (Two rinks) at each venue. Duration of game to be 18 Ends or 3 Hours play on the Bell. No trial ends may be played within the 3 Hours. One shot only on the First Two Ends. Dress for games shall be White or Grey trousers with White or Club coloured tops

**5.** Point awarded:

1 Point per winning rink

2 Points for the Home aggregate

2 Points for the Away aggregate

2 Points for the Overall aggregate

A Total of 10 Points.

Should clubs finish level on points then the following shall decide the league winner:

Shots difference

Most shots scored

The match result between the clubs

A play-off between the clubs

**6.** Results of all matches to be forwarded to the County Competition Secretary as soon as possible but must be within three days of game played

**7.** **a**. Players who are members of more than one club will only be allowed to play for one club in each season

**b.** If a player is a member of more than one club and one of those clubs only play in the Inter-Club League, he may play for the other club in the Veterans 60+ League

**8.** The normal practice when playing league matches is that the Home club pay the green fees