DISABILITY AIDS FOR LAWN BOWLS AS APPROVED BY BOWLS ENGLAND

Bowls is one of the most inclusive sports where disabled bowlers can compete with or against non-disabled bowlers in most situations. Disabled people can bowl competitively at local, national and international level or just play the game as a social pastime, by taking part in casual bowling activities.

Disability Aids Approved By Bowls England and may be used in all events under their jurisdiction. The following aids are in accordance with Laws of the Sport (Laws 41.5 & 41.8) (Please also note that a player with a disability may also kneel on the mat to deliver their jack or their bowl 41.6)

UBI LAUNCHER



The launcher may be used to deliver the bowl or jack. Primarily this is for those who have bad knees, hips or back and/or have no grip strength.

UBI Launcher - Bush Hill Bowls Shop | Lawn also available from www.taylorbowls.com

BOWLING ARM

Typically the arm comes into its own where a person has hip/knee/back issues which restrict their ability to bend down to deliver the bowl correctly <u>www.bushhillbowls.co.uk</u> <u>www.drakespride.co.uk</u>



THE BOWLS MATE

The height-adjustable support gives you a true delivery position when knee or back issues start interfering with your game. <u>www.bushhillbowls.co.uk</u>





The above are just a few of the aids available, there are many more. If you would like to know more about disability aids visit <u>approved-equipment-and-aids.pdf (eiba.co.uk)</u> This is the combined EIBA (indoor) and BE (Bowls England) approved aids. For your information, the club have a UBI launcher and a bowling arm for members to try. We will also be investing in additional aids for you to try in the near future. You can also find out more about Disability Bowls England here <u>www.disabilitybowlsengland.org.uk</u>

If you would like further information, please ask and I will endeavour to help you. In the meantime, *KEEP* BOWLING 😊

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