

## Junior Travel Funding Program

## The Program

Bowls BC provides Juniors (18 and under) competing in the BC Junior Provincials with funding for travel to the play down in a given year. There is a set amount of funds that will be divided amongst eligible applicants based on need and number of applications. This is intended to ease the costs of attendance to provincial event and make the higher level of competition accessible to all Bowls BC Juniors.

## **Eligibility**

Applicants must meet the following requirements:

- Registered for and attended the 2016 BC Junior Provincials
- Complete all necessary documents and deliver to Junior Coordinator by no later than two weeks following the end of competition in that year.
- One of the following must apply:
  - o Round trip equals or is greater than 100km (not including ferry)
  - o Ferry round trip equals or is greater than \$100
  - Accommodation cost is equal or greater than \$300 and only if applicants address is over 100km from venue.
- Accommodation amounts can include 1 coach or guardian per competitor
- Maximum amount of funding per applicant is \$200
- If maximum amount of funds available is not exceeded, increasing the maximum amount per applicant will be evaluated by Bowls BC

Bowls BC will review all applications and decide the amount of funding based on funding available and other applications submitted. Bowls BC may offer full, partial, or deny funding, and any funding may be conditional.

Requests for travel funding is completed by submitted a travel expense form, located on the Bowls BC website under Forms and Docs (http://bowlsbc.com/forms-docs/)

## **Timelines**

For 2016 only:

- Application must be submitted by July 24th, 2016.
- Applicants will be notified by August 31st, 2016 of their approved funding
- Bowls BC will issue payment to the applicant within 30 days approval of funding