



2006 Melbourne Commonwealth Games Future Athletes Program

BOWLS CLINIC APPLICATION FORM

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The 'Future Athletes Program' is an initiative of the Victorian Government designed to introduce secondary school age students competing in representative school events to a wider developmental pathway in their sport. During 2005 the Victorian Institute of Sport, in conjunction with the 16 Commonwealth Games sports associations, will conduct sport specific clinics involving:

- Technical Tips from leading Coaches
- Training advice from a State or National representative Athlete
- Valuable information on Sports Nutrition, Training and Injury Prevention
- Skill Practice and Assessment
- Information on how to take the 'next step' in sporting development

Clinics will run from 10:00am until 3:30pm, and are free of charge to participants

ELIGIBILITY and SELECTION to ATTEND a BOWLS CLINIC

All Victorian secondary school students who meet the selection criteria may enrol in a Future Athlete's Program Lawn Bowls clinic. Clinic participants should have a genuine interest in Lawn Bowls and preferably have been competing in school pennant, a VSSSA event (at district, zone, or state level), or local RVBA and VLBA competition. Selection criteria have been developed in consultation with the Men's and Ladies Bowls Associations to identify potential athletes interested in taking the next step into higher levels of competition. Secondary school students competing in bowls events will be encouraged to improve their performance and aspire to compete at a National or International level in 2010 (i.e. the next Commonwealth Games) and beyond.

To be eligible to attend a bowls clinic students must:

- Submit a signed application form to the VIS prior to the scheduled clinic.
- Students must currently attend a Victorian Secondary School.
- Any student who has an interest in Lawn Bowls is encouraged to apply.

Please note:

- Students may attend only one 'Future Athletes Program' sports clinic during the school year.

SCHEDULED LAWN BOWLS CLINIC DATES

- **GEELONG** - Bareena Bowling Club - Sunday 4th December 2005
- **MELBOURNE EAST** - North Balwyn Lawn Bowls Club - Sunday 11th December 2005

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Complete and mail or fax this form to:
Future Athletes Program – Bowls Clinic
Victorian Institute of Sport
P.O. Box 12608
Melbourne VIC 8006
Fax 9425-0100

Enquiries, please e-mail future.athletes@vis.org.au or phone 9425-0030

Student's First Name:

Surname:

Gender: M / F Date of Birth:

Name of Secondary School attending

Name of PE / Sport Contact at school

Are you a member of a bowling club? YES / NO *please specify*

Have you previously competed in lawn bowls competition at any of the following levels?

Interschool YES / NO

Club level YES / NO

Representative level YES / NO

Clinic applied for (*please circle*)

Geelong	Melbourne East
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Home Address:

Suburb: Post Code:

Phone:

E-mail Contact: _____

Parent consent to attend clinic:

*I (Name of Parent / Guardian) _____
hereby give permission for my son/daughter to undertake Lawn Bowls instruction at a Future Athletes Program clinic.*

Signature of Parent or Guardian



All applicants will be notified by mail about the status of their application