

The Men's Tournament Committee of the Southwest Lawn Bowls Assn.,
BowlsUSA, invites entries in

The U.S. Pairs Playdowns

Sat. - Sun., July 14 - 15 and 21 - 22, 2018, at Laguna Beach LBC.

8:45 AM Announcements, **9:00 AM**
Trial Ends.

- - **Eligibility:** Open to male members in good standing of any Southwest Division club and BowlsUSA, who **guarantee** to represent the SWD in the National Championships at Sun City Center LBC in Sun City, FL, November 25 - December 1, 2018. **Must be U.S. citizens.** For full details, see P. 76-79 of 2015 Laws of the Sport of Bowls. **BowlsUSA membership required.** New participants may be asked to provide proof of citizenship. Entrants must not have played in the Pairs or Singles Playdowns in any other Division in 2018. Winners of the 2018 SW Division Singles Playdowns are not eligible to enter the Pairs Playdowns.
- - This is one of the 'points' tournaments, which means that the top finishers will receive points towards Team Southwest. Deadline for receipt of entries and refund is **SATURDAY, July 7, 2018 @ 5:00 PM.**
- - Format is double elimination, 18-end games, two games per day. Tie games play an additional end to determine a winner. This year, the SWLBA will be sending two teams to the US Championships. Two concurrent playdowns will take place. A blind draw, with limited seeding, separating participants into two groupings of similar or dissimilar sizes will result in a championship team on each green. Team's shorts/pants and shirts should match.

Please use PayPal or mail entries to: Scott Roberts, 3812 Scottsdale Dr., Irvine, CA 92606, with payment enclosed; \$68.00 per team. Please make checks payable to: Tourn. Comm., SW Division. Entries do not have to be sent in all at once, but should be sent in timely fashion, since late entries may be refused. For any questions, contact Scott Roberts at scottroberts1269@gmail.com or at (949) 735-4225.

Please **bring your own lunch** to all Division events. Hospitality will be provided by host clubs, consisting of limited hot and/or cold beverages and a small sweet on arrival, limited salads and a small dessert for lunch. Water will be provided free of charge and soft drinks will be available for purchase.