

MURRAY-ALLISON SINGLES

- 4.1 Summary: A two-day, singles event named in recognition of the donors of its trophy, Frank D. Murray, SWLBA President in 1957, and William Allison, SWLBA President in 1967. The outcome of the first game places entrants into either the Murray (championship) flight, or the Allison (consolation) flight. **A challenge flight has been added for all bowlers who lose their second game in either the Murray or Allison flights.**
- 4.2 Event Duration: Two Consecutive Days
- 4.3 Entry Qualification: Male members in good standing of a lawn bowling club approved by the SWLBA, or male club members affiliated with National or International organizations.
- 4.4 Maximum Number of Entries: Unlimited
- 4.5 Entry Fee: \$25.00 per person.
- 4.6 Format:
- Two-Flight Single Elimination.
First game qualifying:
Winner in Murray Flight Bracket
Loser in Allison Flight Bracket
 - Losers of any game after the first game in their flight bracket are eliminated (until the championships where players will play off for 3rd & 4th in each flight.) **(In 2016, see Challenge Flight).**
 - **There will be a single-elimination Challenge flight for those bowlers who lose their second game in the Murray or Allison flights. Murray losers will play the Allison losers in the Challenge flight.**
 - Blind Draw for First Game Rink Assignments. Score cards marked in advance with entry/rink assignments.
 - Because of the format, byes in the first round should be avoided at all cost. To eliminate the possibility of an odd number of entries, the HOST CLUB should be contacted to provide one standby player, who will play without entry fee, if called upon.
- 4.7 Scoring:
- All games to 18 points through competition to the finals. Finals played to 21 points. (first and second place) **in all flights.**
 - 18 point playoff for 3rd place in ~~each~~ **the Murray and Allison flights.**
- 4.8 Awards:
- Cash:
 - ~~60-50%~~ of Cash Award Pool allocated to Murray Flight; ~~40-34%~~ allocated to the Allison Flight, **16% to the Challenge flight.**
- For each **the Murray and Allison** flights, the following percentages of its Cash Pool will be awarded to the top three players:
- 1st Place: 50%
 - 2nd Place: 30%
 - 3rd Place: 20%
 - **The winner and runner up in the Challenge flight will receive 50% and 30%, respectively of the Challenge prize pool, but not less than the entry fee.**
 - **Trophies shall be awarded to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners of the Murray and Allison flights first three places** ~~from each green.~~