



VLBA STATE UNIFORM FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 1 JUNE 2008 TO 31 MAY 2009

**THE VLBA ENCOURAGES ALL AFFILIATED MEMBERS
TO BE SUNSMART**

Members names may be embroidered in white or navy lettering, up to 1cm x 8cm, above or below the VLBA logo or the club name or logo on all garments. No additional embroidery is permitted on any VLBA approved navy garments.

1.1 SCOPE OF VLBA UNIFORM BY-LAW:

PLEASE NOTE: It is the responsibility of the President of each Club to ensure all members observe the VLBA State Uniform Policy when playing in Pennant and above Competitions. All members of affiliated Clubs shall wear regulation State Uniform when playing on any green in VLBA controlled matches and competitions, ie. all Pennant Competitions and above.

Neat casual attire should be encouraged for use in all forms of **club competitions & social bowls.**

1.2 LOGOS: VLBA approved logos must be on all VLBA approved navy garments. Written permission must be obtained from the VLBA for use of the VLBA logo. Bowls Australia logo may be on VLBA approved navy garments.

- All shirts and jackets (also see 1.5) must have the Bowls Australia logo for all Pennant and above Competitions - **VLBA approved navy garments excepted.**
- Bowls Australia logo must be on all coloured garments - **VLBA approved navy garments excepted.**

1.3 HEADWEAR: A white hat, sun visor or cap. White bucket hat with navy piping on the outer edge of the brim. Bowls Australia logo may be on white headwear. Club coloured headwear with the Bowls Australia logo is permitted. Approved Navy sun visor or cap with VLBA logo may be worn. Bowls Australia logo may be on approved VLBA navy headwear. All headwear with the VLBA logo must be approved. Written permission must be obtained from the VLBA for use of the VLBA logo. Hats, sun visors or caps are optional, **however the VLBA recommends all members protect themselves from the elements at all times.**

No additional embroidery is permitted on VLBA Approved navy headwear.

1.4 CLUB NAME ON HEADWEAR:

Navy blue corded ribbon hatband 3.8 centimetres (1 ½ ") wide, with name of Club embroidered in white lettering shall be worn on block crown hats and may be worn on white soft crown hats, sun visors and caps.

Affiliated Club name may be embroidered on white soft crown hats, sun visors or caps.

1.5 GARMENTS FOR PENNANT AND ABOVE (ie. State Title events, including District/Zone Rounds):

- White, cream or any coloured jacket or vest.
- White, cream or any coloured shirt/blouse with collar.
- Registered Club Coloured shirts (see 1.7(a))

All the above garments, excluding the VLBA Approved navy garments, if worn for Pennant and above Competitions, must have the Bowls Australia logo.

Note: VLBA Approved Navy garments may or may not have the Bowls Australia logo.

White sports style dresses, with collar, may be worn without the Bowls Australia logo until replaced.

White skirt, slacks, pedal pushers, culottes, shorts, cardigan or pullover. Belts and braces must be white. The affiliated Club name and/or members name may be embroidered in navy blue lettering on white cardigans, jackets, pullovers and vests. Each not to exceed 1cm x 8cm. Dual Affiliates may wear the Bowls Australia logo on approved white or cream garments. The State logo **is not** permitted.

1.6 APPROVED VLBA NAVY GARMENTS: The VLBA logo must be on all VLBA approved navy garments. VLBA approved navy garments may be worn at any time, including Pennant and above, **with or without** the Bowls Australia logo. Written permission must be obtained from the VLBA for the use of the VLBA logo.

1.7 (a) REGISTERED CLUB SHIRTS & CLUB JACKETS

Registered Club shirts and Jackets, with Bowls Australia logo, may be worn for Pennant and State Events.

If registered Club shirt worn for Pennant, all members of a side must be attired in the same shirt.

Coloured designs of Club Coloured shirts must be submitted by Clubs to the VLBA for registration. Submissions must include the name of shirt & jacket of the Licensed Manufacturer. (Refer VLBA Guidelines for Submission of Club Coloured Shirts & Jackets.)

Note: Manufacturers must be a Bowls Australia licensed manufacturer

(b) CLUB COLOURED APPAREL: All Club coloured shirts & jackets must be submitted to the VLBA for registration. Only Clubs with registered Club coloured shirts & jackets may have Club coloured apparel.

Colour co-ordinated Club coloured garments approved by the Club, with the Bowls Australia logo, matching the registered Club coloured shirts & jackets, may be worn. Club coloured apparel does not have to be registered with the VLBA, however it must be approved by the Club. The only exception being any blue, which must be submitted to the VLBA for approval and registration (Pantone or PMS number to be provided).

NOTE: The VLBA Navy Blue may not be chosen as a VLBA Club's coloured apparel.

1.8 RAINWEAR: White rainwear worn for Pennant and above must have the Bowls Australia logo on replacement. Rainwear may be white, clear, or approved VLBA navy rain garments with the VLBA logo.

1.9 SHOES AND SANDALS: Shoes and sandals must be predominantly white or brown with flat rubber soles. Manufacturers branding may be on shoes and sandals.

1.10 BADGES: The Association badge is the identification of an affiliated member and **must be worn at all times on the green**, either centre front on headwear above the hat band, on the uniform or on neat casual clothes. The only other badges permitted on the hat, cap or sun visor are the BA official badge and International Star, which may be worn at any time on the right hand side of all headwear and the Interstate Test Star which may be worn on the left hand side of all headwear. BA, VLBA, District Association, and Club badges of Office and Honour may also be worn at all times.

All badges not to exceed 60mm x 20mm.