NORTHAMPTONSHIRE BOWLING ASSOCIATION

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PROGRAMME FOR 1957

- April 1 Associations Subscriptions due.
 - 12 Council Meeting
 - 14 Competition Entries Close.
- May 10 *Middleton Cup Nominations Close.
 - 11 Benevolent Fund Game, 18 Rinks, Corby, S & L and Forest.
- June 1 Manfield Cup Entries Close.
 - 1 Benevolent Fund Subscriptions Due.
 - Middleton Cup, First Round—
 Kettering Lodge.
 - 1 *Bedfordshire—" Electrolux", Luton
 - 4 Executive v. Rushden Town.
 - 8 *President's Tour-Sussex.
 - 8 *Essex—Chingford.
 - 8 International Trial Game.
 - 15 *Lincolnshire—Burton House.
 - 15 Middleton Cup, Second Round.
 - 21 Council Meeting.
 - 22 *London Secretaries B.A.—Abington.
 - 25 Executive v. Kettering Park B.C.
 - 29 Manfield Cup

- July 3-5 International Games.
 - 5 Executive v. Manfield Cup Winners.
 - 6 *Worcestershire—Abington
 - 11 *American Tourists—Leicester.
 - 13 *Hertfordshire-British Timken.
 - 13 Middleton Cup, Third Round.
 - 20 *Leicestershire—Northampton West End.
- Aug. 3 *Oxfordshire—Oxford City & County.
 - 10 *Warwickshire—Kettering Lodge.
 - 12-23 National Championships.
 - 17 *Buckinghamshire—County Ground.
 - 22 *West Surrey Tourists—Stewarts & Lloyds, Corby.
 - 24 *Cambridgeshire—Cambridge.
 - 24 Middleton Cup, Finals.
 - 31 *Derbyshire—Earls Barton.
- Sept. 7 *Nottinghamshire—West Bridgeford.
- Oct. 11 Council Meeting.
- Nov. 1 Annual Dinner at Kettering.
 - 2 Council Meeting.
- Dec. 14 Annual Meeting.
 - *Nominations Required.

COMPETITIONS

Competition entrance fees and forms must be sent to your AREA Secretary on or before

APRIL 14th. (See Rule 8 (A).).

The winner(s) of each game must send to Area Secretary their score card signed by both skips immediately after each game (very important). All dates will be strictly adhered to.

MANFIELD CUP

To be played on Saturday, June 29th. Entries with 5/- Fee to be sent to J. A. Hodson, 30 Duston Road, St. James, Northampton, by June 1st.

BENEVOLENT FUND

Subscriptions to R. KNIGHT, "Hillcrest Bungalow", Harborough Road, Rushden, by June 1st.

NOMINATIONS

All Clubs are entitled to send in nominations for the Middleton Cup, and all Inter-County

games.

Nominations for the Middleton Cup must be received by Hon. Secretary on or before May 10th and for Inter-County games 14 days Clear prior to the match.—See Rule 7 (B) and 7 (A).

When submitting nominations Rule 7 (C)

must be strictly adhered to.

MIDDLETON CUP

May 25th. "A" Hereford v. Bucks.

June 1st "B" Northants v. Winners "A"

ASSOCIATION SUBSCRIPTIONS

N.B.A.				 .
Up to 50 members		31/6 per Club		
51 to 100 members		52/6	**	**
Over 100 members	••	73/6	"	**
E.B.A.				
Up to 30 members	••	15/- per Club.		
31 to 50 members	••	21/-	,,	,,
51 to 100 members		31/6	>>	,,
Over 100 members	• •	42/-	,,	**

Both N.B.A. and E.B.A. Subscriptions should be sent to the Hon. Treasurer, W. C. SMITH by April 1st.

The above subscriptions only apply to Bowling members.

E.B.A. COMPETITIONS SUBSTITUTION OF PLAYERS

In the Pairs Competition the same players must compete throughout the County and National Competition. In the event of the illness (with certificate) or death of one of the players, substitution may be allowed of one who has not already competed in any Pair. Only one substitution may be allowed. The original player for whom substitution was made may return, but no further substitution may then be made.

In the Triples (Rink) Competitions the Three (Four) players taking part in the first game shall constitute the Triple (Rink) and should normally play together throughout the Competition. One additional—AND THE SAME PLAYER—may, however, be used as a Substitute at any time provided he has not already played in the Competition.

(See National Championships (C) Rules and Regulations, (3) Triples Rule 3 and (4) Single Rink Rule 3 in E.B.A. Year Book 1957.)

In all Competitions and Cups sponsored by this Association, players must use Woods that have been tested and stamped during the last ten years.

Footwear. All players must wear Black or Brown Shoes which shall have a smooth rubber sole and shall be heel-less.

These Rules will be Rigidly Enforced