



Gayler Cup Triples Knockout Rules 2025

- A. All players must belong to a club that has taken part in the Barnet League.
- B. Teams do not have to be from your original teams; they can be mixed.
- C. Each team can have one substitute. They can only play for one team, once they have played, they cannot be swapped to another team.
- D. If a team cannot play the match, the match will be forfeited. Please inform the Competition Secretary as soon as possible, so that the opposition can be advised.
- E. There will be no trial ends
- F. Before the start of the game toss for the Jack, the team bowling first in the first set, will bowl second in the second set.
- G. All matches will be the best of two sets of seven ends.
- H. If a team cannot win a set the set will be conseeded.
- I. Scoring will be one point for a set win and half a point for a set draw.
- J. The team with the most points is declared the winner.
- K. In the event of a tied match, a one-end decider will be played. Before the start of the deciding end, teams will toss for the jack. Shots do not count; the team with the closest bowl will be declared the winner of the match.
- L. On the deciding end, the jack cannot be ditched with each team's first two bowls.
- M. If at the completion of the end, a bowl from each team is of equal distance from the jack (Tied End), another deciding end will be played following rule J. The match will continue until a winner is declared.
- N. If a team takes the jack off the mat, the opposing team will place it at the end of the delivery line furthest from the ditch on the side where it went off. The end will continue until it is completed. No penalty points will be awarded.
- O. If the end of the delivery line is covered by a bowl, the jack will be placed as near to the end of the line as possible without touching the covering bowl.
- P. Before handing in scorecards, both skips should check and sign that they are correct.
- Q. All other rules will be covered in the ESMBA Laws of the game.