



Committee Profile  
Lynn Dean  
Safeguarding Officer



It wasn't until my 40s, when I moved to Dorset that I discovered Short Mat Bowls. Since then I've been on a journey of discovery. I play at all levels, Club leagues, (where I also make the cake) County, (where I also act a team photographer) and I am honoured to promote the game through my Captaincy of the England Ladies Team. In addition to playing I undertake the immensely satisfying role of safeguarding officer for my County and Nationally for the ESMBA.

## Diary

11 <sup>th</sup> March 2018	ICC Semi Finals (Main Competition)
17 <sup>th</sup> March 2018	ICC Semi Finals (Consolation Competition)
16 <sup>th</sup> , 17 <sup>th</sup> & 18 <sup>th</sup> March 2018	World Championships (Sweden)
25 <sup>th</sup> March 2018	Under 21's International – England vs Wales (Carmarthen)



England Under 21's  
Vs Somerset & Dorset Select Team  
February 25<sup>th</sup> 2018

The England Under 21's made the trip down to Somerset on 25<sup>th</sup> February for their annual pre-international warm-up match against a Combined Somerset & Dorset team. England rapidly accelerated to take a good lead, leading 10points to 4. This position was strengthened by Lunch, with 3 sessions complete, and England leading 30points to 12. Heading into the afternoon sessions, England increased their lead to 39-17. After a good days bowling, and a hearty Carvery (enjoyed by all the players) England were crowned as winners of this now annual fixture.

**Final Result: England: 51 Somerset/Dorset: 19**

We wish to thank Zapkam, who have Supplied and Sponsored the England World Championship Team Shirts for Sweden 2018....

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# The Extra End

## The Newsletter of the ESMBA



### Coaching Update:

Karen Ellis of Dorset has successfully passed her CoachBowls Level 1. Karen was on the December course at Ilminster in Somerset. Congratulations Karen on becoming an accredited Bowls Coach – and the ESMBA's first pass!

### Safeguarding

Has your Club or County Safeguarding officer changed? Do their details need updating?  
Has your County Team Captain or Manager got a DBS Certificate?

Please Contact  
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### We would like to hear from you!

What would you like to see in these monthly newsletters? County competitions? Club news? Special Achievements? Let us know by emailing  
[james@esmba.co.uk](mailto:james@esmba.co.uk)

ICC Semi Finals

## Main Competition

### Premier:

Norfolk ~v~ Dorset  
West Midlands ~v~ Cornwall

### A Team:

West Midlands ~v~ Somerset  
Devon ~v~ Essex

## Consolation

### Premier:

Cheshire ~v~ Kent  
Surrey ~v~ Somerset

### A Team:

Cambridgeshire ~v~ Herefordshire  
Oxfordshire ~v~ Dorset

### *In my own Words..... By Lynn Dean*

I discovered Short Mat Bowls in 2006. What I absolutely love about it, is that it means something different to each person who plays it. It's a sport played at international level, its an activity taking people out each week for a club roll up and it's a pastime allowing people to gather, to catch up and to laugh with neighbours and friends. You can be the fittest, or have a disability, you can be young or old and it makes no difference to what you can achieve in Short Mat Bowls. In my roll as Safeguarding officer I ensure everyone is able to play in safety and free from prejudice

*Lynn Dean plays for Hazelbury Bryan in Dorset, and Dorset Premier Team, Lynn is also the Captain of England Ladies Team, and is Safeguarding Officer for both the ESMBA and Dorset SMBA*



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## National Championships 2018

Have you got a County Flag?  
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**Saturday 12th &  
Sunday 13th May 2018**

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