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Until 2015 the event was known under the name Mediterranean Challenge Cup, but as of 2016 the name was changed to the Mediterranean Bowling Championships.

The Mediterranean Bowling Championships is owned by World Bowling's member federations with coast line to the Mediterranean see.

Each edition of the championships is awarded to a host, typically to one of the federations. The host organizes the championships in co-operation with the MBC Committee.

There are no age limitations for athletes taking part in the championships.

The first edition of the Mediterranean Bowling Championships was conducted in 1998 in Nicosia, Cyprus with 4 federations taking part.

The championships have always been conducted every year, normally during the spring.

There have always been two women and two men on each team.

Since the very beginning of the championships, the athletes have competed in the following 7 disciplines: Women's Singles, Women's Doubles, Women's Masters, Men's Singles, Men's Doubles, Men's Masters and Mixed Team of Four.

As of 2007, the number of disciplines was extended to 9; namely the 7 original disciplines adopted in 1998 and in addition the Women's All Event and the Men's All Event.

A Mixed Doubles was added to the already 9 existing disciplines in 2012, bringing the total number of disciplines in the championships up to 10.