



Phase 2a Green Opening June 27th 2020

Following the update guidance issued this week 23rd June 2020, there is currently little difference to updates issued with a few minor additions. The key to opening is that records are available if track and trace require information on who has attended the green. **Booking or attendance lists with contact details required. Some other minor changes have been included.**

ALL PREVIOUS SOCIAL DISTANCING GUIDANCE AND ADVICE REMAINS IN FORCE

- Social distancing 2 metres or 1 metre plus mitigation (this would require additional measures such as face coverings to allow 1 metre, and/or ensuring good hygiene and cleaning is maintained as all times)¹
- **Maximum of 6 people** allowed on or around the green at any one time (see family groups below)
- **Multi Green venues** permitted with maximum 6 each green provided groups are separated and entrance and exits routes are displayed to avoid cross contact between groups
- Players should maintain social distancing and keep up to 4 metres between groups to allow for social distancing between groups
- Club Schedule of Attendance (**names, dates & times must be recorded**) produced to ensure limited attendance should be maintained. Club contact records telephone numbers and email contacts collected
- Arrangements should be made to manage the social distancing and all other hygiene procedures
- Club Buildings and toilets can open see separate guidance sheet / risk assessment (Phase 2) – limited opening
- **Family groups** – 2 family groups can meet up of any size, but all other guidance applies on social distancing.
- **Common sense applies.** Players take responsibility for their own actions.
- Ensure that your Insurance cover is up to date, Endsleigh Cover is dependent on membership of BCGBA (club fee £35.00 has been paid)

Club Competitions, single's and pairs

- Club Competition organisers should be aware of the issues regarding Covid19 guidance*
- **Only Club members allowed. (External bowlers not permitted)**
- **Paperwork* and risk assessment* completed and a copy forwarded to County Secretary².**
- *The Club Secretary and or Chairman to sign the Covid Competition action plan/risk assessment detailing how competition will be run safely and within the current social distancing arrangements. All competition administrators to sign that they understand the action plan to ensure they fully understand the regulations.

Be aware that this guidance could change at any point and could be withdrawn if the risk level increases



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Equipment

YOU ARE NOW ABLE TO USE CLUB COMMUNAL EQUIPMENT HOWEVER A STRICT CLEANING PLAN SHOULD BE DISPLAYED AND BE CLEAR TO ALL PLAYERS.

- **EQUIPMENT TO BE DISINFECTED/CLEANED BEFORE AND AFTER EACH GAME IS COMPLETED, IE. JACKS AND MATS.**
- **SHAKING OF HANDS – USE APPROPRIATE ALTERNATIVE METHODS. ie. elbows, thumbs up etc.**

- Follow strong hygiene practices at every opportunity - wash your hands when you get home
- Once you have completed your session, please depart as soon as you safely can to enable others to access the green.
- **Limited access to clubhouse, walkways and toilets. Ensure risk assessment and notices are displayed on hygiene and handwashing**

No spectators permitted other than internal competition organisers and card markers (total 6 persons currently)

THINGS TO THINK ABOUT:

- Being careful about touching solid surfaces e.g. gates, seating, doors, etc.
- Wash your hands as soon as you get home, avoid touching your face and take hand sanitiser with you to use while out if possible

NOTE FOR CLUBS:

- You must have a clear process for knowing who is playing at the green, make this as clear as you can for your club members to understand and abide by.
- Please place a sign in clear view of all visitors of the guidelines set out above.

Shared Public greens – ensure you have an attendance list of your club members who have attended should this information be required. You are only responsible for your club members information.

OPEN COMPETITIONS ARE NOT PERMITTED DUE TO THE CONSTRAINTS & REGULATIONS ON TESTING WHICH APPLY TO ELITE SPORTS.**

****ELITE SPORT IS LIMITED TO PROFESSIONAL SPORT COMPETITIONS**

WE STILL AWAIT GUIDANCE ON THE OPENING OF COMMUNITY LEVEL SPORT WHICH WILL DICTATE IF WE CAN ALLOW COMPETITION BETWEEN CLUBS.

1 See notes on equipment

2 Secretary or nominated contact