

## **GREEN OPENING DAY FOR LIMITED BOWLING – TUESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2020**

1. The Government statistics still indicate that the daily number of new infections and deaths are not significantly decreasing. Therefore, this Document will be reviewed by the Management Committee should the situation change.
2. Members who wish to bowl are required to book a Bowling Session through Richard Newby. His contact details are: Mobile 07939 810954, email: [newby230@btinternet.com](mailto:newby230@btinternet.com) It is suggested that whichever method is used, a text message is sent to Richard's mobile phone as confirmation. It will be on a first come first served basis although only one booking may be made at a time. On a weekly basis the current sessions booking status will be available to view on the Clubs website. Bowling Members may only book a timed Session for two different days per week, to ensure that the available capacity is distributed fairly for all bowlers who wish to bowl outdoors. Each Session is for a 1-hour duration. The Rink Booking organiser must liaise closely with the Green Manager. A Bowler must have paid their 2020 Annual Bowling Subscription Fee (carried through for 2021) to be eligible to book a Session.
3. Scheduled Bowling Sessions will be for 1 hour within 1.5-hour slot allowing half an hour for change over and are as follows: The Green will be closed for maintenance all day Mondays and mornings until 11.00am all other days. Bookings will be taken on all days, except Mondays, for 11.00, 12.30pm, 2.00pm, 3.30pm, 5.00pm and 6.30pm; the green closes at 8:00pm. Members to arrive no earlier than 10 minutes prior to their booked Session, dressed ready to bowl except for footwear which should be put on next to the Green. The first Bowler to arrive for each Session must sanitise the padlock or wear gloves before unlocking the gate.
4. Security: In each Session when all Bowlers with a booking have arrived, the main gates must be closed for your own security. This basic security measure will prevent unauthorised persons entering the Club's premises. All bowlers should leave the premises within 10 minutes of their Session ending. Please ensure that the Clubhouse and Main Gates are securely closed at the end of each Session – this is vital.
5. Toilets: The Ladies and Disabled Toilets in the Clubhouse will be available for emergency use. However, it is hoped that Members will make use of their home facilities prior to arriving at the Club for the following reason: If the toilets need to be used, Members must sanitise the door handle before entering the corridor, sanitise the door handle to the toilet, sanitise the toilet before and after use; then sanitise in the reverse order on exiting the area to return to the Green or leaving the premises. This hygiene procedure is important to prevent the spread of Coronavirus.
6. Rinks will alternate to minimise wear so a specific rink will be allocated at booking time. A maximum of 4 persons per Rink of pairs. Maximum of twelve players on Club premises at one time, but it will be reviewed by the Committee as required. Members must always keep to the 2-metre social distancing the whole time they are on Club premises. The Club premises are defined as: The Green, Clubhouse, Green banks/surrounds, and the surrounding land. No spectators or visitors are allowed.
7. Bowlers are only to use their own bowls, (See Paragraph 8 Table 1) and equipment as required and should not touch other people's bowls. Mats and jacks should be placed by only one person on a rink

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during the session. When playing they must not shake hands with their bowling partner (if pairs) or opponent(s), high-five, or hug, and must not measure for shots.

8. To minimise the risk of infection, only essential items (listed in the Table below) should be utilised during any session. Jacks (1 each end) and mats should be placed by only one of the bowlers throughout the session. After use they should be sanitised as per the current guidance displayed.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Bowls.</li><li>• Jacks – 1 each end. <b>Jacks when not in use will be stored in a container with sanitiser fluid.</b></li><li>• Mats – <b>Must be sanitised with disinfectant spray and wiped around all edges where players may hold them, before and at the end of play.</b></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Rink Markers</li><li>• Gloves.</li><li>• Scorecards (if required - marked by one person only).</li><li>• Bowling arm/lifter (for use by one person only).</li></ul>
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To minimise the risk of infection, any other equipment is not deemed essential and should not be used. This includes:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Scoreboards.</li><li>• Bowls pushers.</li><li>• Ditch markers.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2m distance sticks.</li><li>• Chalk.</li></ul>
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9. Except for the Ladies and Disabled Toilets, all other rooms in the Clubhouse, including the Kitchen, must not be used. This restriction must be strictly enforced in the interests of hygiene and to stop the spread of Coronavirus.

If required, the First Aid Kit and Accident Book are available in the hallway cabinet/cupboard holding scorecards and handbooks etc.

10. Anyone showing symptoms or with people in their immediate household showing symptoms of, or having COVID-19, should not go to the Club. They should follow Public Health England (PHE) Self-isolating Guidelines.
11. Members not following these Safe Bowling Procedures and Conditions of Play may be prevented from bowling.
12. **Disclaimer:** The Management Committee have taken reasonable care to provide a safe bowling environment. This Guidance and Conditions of Play Document should minimise the risk of contracting COVID-19 whilst on Club premises. The Club accepts no responsibility for Members' contracting the coronavirus through their own negligence. Your safety and health, and the safety and health of others, is your responsibility if you decide to book bowling sessions.