

Message from the Club Chairman, Mark Smith

An updated version of our protocol for casual play during the current Covid19 situation has been issued. This supersedes the version issued on 20 May.

A link to the protocol document may be found in the Club Administration part of this website.

We have learned a few things from the first days of play and there have also been some revisions of the guidance from Government and therefore Bowls England. In the document, the major changes are highlighted in yellow, however the key points are as follows:

- Members making use of the green must bring their keys with them. It will be necessary for them to unlock the gate and clubhouse on arrival and also they should be able to lock up on departure. (If you do not have keys to the green and clubhouse and want to play, please contact Brian Shellard who will be able to help you).
- The gate should be locked while play is in progress.
- An extra (evening) session has been added each day – anytime after 17.30; the booker to advise their start time.
- The number of bookings per week has been increased to three
- Spectators are allowed, however their attendance must be in line with Government guidelines on social distancing. Chairs will be left out and must be sanitised after use
- You can play by yourself, or with members of your household or with no more than five other people outside of your household, as long as you are able to maintain social distancing. Our recommendation is that this is limited to singles or pairs play in order to make social distancing easier.

And finally... Please remember to reconnect the Fox Fence on leaving 😊

Stay safe and enjoy your bowls

Mark Smith
Chairman