

# Welcome Back – Some Changes

The Club asks all players to abide by the following rules during these extraordinary times. **Please play your part in keeping the Club and our other Members safe.**

- **If you (or anyone in your household) are feeling unwell, particularly with any of the Covid 19 symptoms – please stay at home and do not come to the Club.**
- All sessions are only available to Members, and booked in advance. No more than six players per rink. **Masks are required when entering the building.**
- **Please do not arrive more than 30 minutes before your session.**
- Please follow the one-way systems inside the building. **The Main Entrance is the only entrance.** Bowlers leave by the marked EXIT Fire door by Rink1.
- On arrival, tap your membership card on the black card reader when asked to register your arrival (for T&T regulations). For social roll-ups, you will pay your rink fees to the member of staff (**not cash please**) at Reception.
- Please be considerate to other members when going to/from the toilets, or to the rinkside at the start and end of sessions.
- Hand sanitisers are available around the Club – please use them.
- Do not plan to use your lockers. The changing rooms are closed. Arrive in the clothes you are to play in, along with your bowls and shoes – **and a pen.** (Remember – the Dress Code has been relaxed for social bowling.) Please change into your bowls shoes only after you are in the Bar Lounge.
- Wait in the Lounge until all the rinks have been cleaned. We'll say when.
- Take all your coats and bags to the individual rink chairs made available for you.
- Each rink is provided with two jacks, two mats and you collect a scorecard.
- **Pushers and the scoreboard are not being used.** Please use your feet for moving bowls and jacks. Players may use gloves or aids to lift jacks.
- One jack is kept at each end and placed by winning “skip”. The lead will bowl from an “agreed” position (with his/her skip - most easily one of the spots), whilst ensuring to maintain the 23metre minimum requirement.
- **Players should try to maintain a 2metre distance from other players at the same end**, or 1metre if side-to-side. Use the bank whenever spacing reason dictates.
- The Club advises members that they should maintain the social distancing when they are changing ends. Movement up and down the rink should follow an anti-clockwise system within the rink boundary – whilst not interfering with play on any adjacent rink. See rink table leaflets.
- Jacks and mats are to be placed in a “Dirty” box at the Exit at the session end.
- Please make sure you have left the rink by 10 minutes after your session finishes to allow staff the time for rink cleaning.