

Rules of play under Covid-19 from 9th July 2020

1 To play you MUST book a rink. A playlist will be posted in the clubhouse foyer. The rink will be booked to a single named person who will organise the players on that rink. Rinks must be pre-booked, members are not allowed to play on a free rink without making a telephone booking. Players may bring visitors as spectators who must abide by the requirements for social distancing and other relevant rules.

2 The duty greenkeeper may visit at any time during the day to check on the condition of the green or to move rink markers.

3 Players should not turn-up more than 20 minutes before their booked time. If players arrive before this time they must stay in their cars or if on foot keep out of the club carpark.

4 Social distancing MUST always be maintained, for example when entering and leaving the green.

5 Players MUST all be off the green and off the club grounds before the next group of players can enter.

6 Entrance to the green is via the foyer; all players and visitors MUST use the hand sanitiser provided at the entrance door. Hand sanitisers will be available around the green.

7 Players will collect their jacks from the sanitisation bath and rinse them in the water bath provided. Sanitised mats will be hanging on the ladder. Instructions for sanitising equipment before and after play are posted on the wall where the mats and jacks are kept.

8 Players MUST only use their own woods. No woods can be borrowed from the equipment store.

9 For singles games (unless the players are from the same household) one player MUST be designated to handle the mat and another player to place the jacks. Two mats and two jacks will be required. For doubles and triples games each team MUST have their own mats and jack. Only the number 1 player on each team will be allowed to handle their teams mat and cast the jack. This will require 2 mats at each end and 2 jacks (one white and one yellow). Players MUST always only handle their own woods and maintain social distancing.

10 When leaving the green, all players MUST place the jacks and mats back in in the sanitisation bath. The mats should then be rinsed and hung over the ladder to dry.

11 The wooden benches will be available for seating.

12 Please ensure that every player abides by the sanitisation process.

13 If no players are booked-in for a given time, please close the clubhouse door to the green. The next players will open-up. Sanitisers will be available.

14 If you are the last group of players for the day, please ensure the foyer door to the green is locked before leaving. Later another club member will put the mats and jacks away in the equipment store.

15 For security the main door into the foyer must be kept closed when not in use.

We trust that you recognise that these rules and regulations are in place to ensure the maximum welfare of our members.

Should you decide to play, we hope you enjoy your game.

Hugh Matthews on behalf of the Trustees and Management Committee