

GUIDANCE FOR WORFIELD TEAMS PLAYING AT HOME 2021

Dear Worfield Player,

In these strange times, we are taking all precautions possible to get the game on and help everyone stay safe. It is important you comply, in good spirit, with all instructions no matter how petty they may seem. Remember everyone is doing their best to keep each other safe and we may do things differently than other clubs. Similar guidance is also sent to Visiting Teams and Umpires.

- 1. You must self-screen for Covid-19 before coming to Worfield and must not leave home if you have any symptoms. Contact your Captain immediately in the event of feeling unwell
- 2. Plan your travel beforehand to comply with the rules
- 3. Bring your own hand sanitiser with you. We suggest you also buy some sanitiser wipes
- 4. Bring your own tea with you, it will not be provided
- 5. Use the patio area as your base. Opposition will use a gazebo
- 6. The Pavilion and sadly, the Bar, will be closed (apart from access to toilets) throughout
- 7. Changing rooms closed apart from access to toilets
- 8. Hand sanitiser will be available on benches on both side of square around boundary for use every 6 overs
- 9. Sanitiser wipes will be available for fielding Captain to wipe ball every 6 overs
- 10. If you are bowling straight after a break, make sure your hands and the ball, are dry
- 11. Only umpires to touch stumps and bails which will be sanitised between innings
- 12. Fielder should return the ball directly to the bowler
- 13. Markers 2m parallel to square will show where non striker should stand and run
- 14. Sanitise your bat after your innings, no matter how short!
- 15. Spectators should not touch ball under any circumstances
- 16. First Aid Box in the Kitchen with gloves. Defibrillator on far external wall of Equipment Shed
- 17. In the event of rain ECB guidance should be followed and players should shelter in their cars.
- 18. If you develop symptoms following the game contact your Captain or myself immediately
- 19. We are obliged by the ECB guidance to point out that there is a slightly increased risk of transmission of the virus by participating in even socially distanced group activity and by playing in the upcoming game, you accept that risk

Above all please use common sense and look after each other.

If you have any questions please speak to your Captain.

Enjoy the game!

Kind regards David Cook Chairman M: 07976 269008