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Whitchurch Cricket Club

Guidance for players – Step 3

We look forward to welcoming you to Heath Road.

In these strange times, we have taken all precautions in terms of risk assessment, signage, cleaning, sanitising etc. and please find following guidance to make your visit as enjoyable as possible:

1. All players must self-screen for Covid-19 before travelling and must not leave home if they have any symptoms
2. Please follow Government guidance on public transport or car sharing and travel in your playing kit wherever possible. The changing rooms will be open but access is restricted to 6 persons at a time.
3. Car Park will be open as normal
4. Pavilion will be in use for hospitality; a one-way system is in place for the pavilion; entry is via the fire escape door at the end of the building and exit is via the main doors
5. Off the field, social distancing guidelines and legal gathering size limits must be observed – at Step 3 this means the Rule of 6 or a group made up of two households (a group made up of two households can include more than 6 people, but only where all members of the group are from the same two households (or support/childcare bubbles, where eligible)).
6. Hand sanitiser will be available for use every 6 overs in line with ECB requirements
7. Sanitiser wipes will be available for fielding Captain to wipe ball every 6 overs in line with ECB requirements
8. Please ensure bowler's hands and ball are dry before resumption after sanitising break
9. Only umpires to touch stumps and bails which will be sanitised between innings
10. Fielder should return ball directly to bowler
11. Please sanitise your bat after your innings, no matter how short!
12. Scorers will be sited in the scoreboard or to side of the scoreboard and will use the electronic scoreboard opposite
13. A First Aid kit, including disposable gloves, is located in the pavilion kitchen; if required, please request it from the bar staff
14. Sadly, there will be no teas and players are advised to bring their own. The Bar will be open according to government guidelines; table service only
15. In line with Government and ECB guidelines, hospitality is allowed whilst the game is in progress
16. There is a legal requirement to record participant and attendee contact details for the purposes of NHS Test and Trace and Whitchurch Cricket Club will ensure that data is collected in accordance with data protection law.
17. Should any player develop symptoms following the game please contact me immediately and we will, of course, do likewise

The Umpires and Scorers will have a copy of this guidance.

Above all we ask everyone to apply common sense and look after each other.

Enjoy your visit and if you have any questions please speak to the Whitchurch Captain or ask for Vice-Chairman, Jon Sherwood or myself.

Kind regards

Iain Marsh (Chairman)

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