

Belbroughton Tennis Club Measures Associated with Current COVID-19 Restrictions (updated 11th May 2021)

ALL MEMBERS MUST ADHERE TO THE FOLLOWING (non-compliance may result in the courts being closed):

- General Government restrictions and advice should be followed at all times;
- Members and invited guests are permitted to play and enter the courts;
- Members in vulnerable groups and those shielded and shielding are discouraged from playing and/or visiting the courts;
- People feeling unwell and/or displaying symptoms or if they live with someone who is feeling unwell and/or displaying symptoms should not play and/or visit the courts;
- Anyone visiting the club should undergo a pre-attendance self-assessment for any COVID-19 symptoms using the information on the NHS website **BEFORE LEAVING HOME.**
- If someone who has played tennis at the club develops symptoms of COVID-19 they should follow the Government's 'Test and Trace' guidelines.
- **TO SUPPORT 'NHS TEST AND TRACE', ANYONE ENTERING THE COURTS MUST PRINT THEIR NAME AND DATE OF VISIT IN THE DIARY WHICH IS KEPT ON COURT NO.1. RECORDS WILL BE KEPT FOR 21 DAYS.**
- If possible, people should download the new NHS COVID-19 TRACING APP
- Singles and doubles play is now permitted, as long as you remain 2 metres apart as far as possible;
- Club mix-ins can now take place with socially distanced doubles taking place on adjacent courts. Event delivery plan to be prepared for club sessions.
- Players should not congregate on or around the courts before and after play
- The courts are open during the hours 0700 to dusk;
- **The club plans to tidy up the clubroom so access will not be possible until Step 4 which should be on the 21st June.**
- **Access to the toilets will be allowed during organized club sessions and for those who hold a key to the centre (subject to maintaining 2 m social distance)**

Each person must wear a face mask and sanitize all touched surfaces upon leaving the building.

- Flood lights will be available subject to one person in a group being designated to switch on the lights, wearing a face mask and sanitizing all touched surfaces upon leaving the building.
- Access to the courts to be via the gate to court 1 only
- Members must bring their own alcohol gel products and also to sanitise the padlock and gate handles when handling these during entering and exiting the courts;
- Do not touch or alter the nets (the winders have been removed);
- Please avoid hand contact with surfaces (benches have been removed and the ball machine is not available for use);
- Players should bring their own equipment. Players do not now need to use their own clearly marked tennis balls. However, if they choose to use shared balls then extra care must be taken to ensure that they do not touch their face during play and they should clean their hands before play and immediately after finishing (use alcohol gel if required);
- Members are to be alert when entering the courts particularly if they have to pass through courts 1 to 3 whilst other people are playing (maintain distance as per Government advice);
- One to one coaching sessions and group coaching can occur on different courts and at different times of day.