**Covid 19 safety guidelines for Prestatyn Tennis Club**

As we return to tennis, the safety of members, coaches, parents and guardians is paramount. Please ensure that you follow our safety guidelines during your visit. The tennis courts are only accessible to those members **who reside in Denbighshire.**

**Unfortunately, due to government guidelines use of courts and clubhouse to those resident outside of Denbighshire is NOT permitted.**

In accordance with the Welsh Government guidelines, if you are shielding and/or you or a member of your household has displayed symptoms of Covid 19 within the last 14 days, you **must** **not attend the tennis club for any reason**.

**BEFORE AND AFTER PLAY**

All court bookings **MUST** be made and paid for in advance, court users must stay up to date with Welsh Government Guidance. **There will be no court booking charge for members for the 2020/21 season.**

To book a court please use LTA club spark for PTC or the Club Spark booker app**.**

Wash your hands for 20 seconds with soap and water before leaving home

Ensure you have viewed the court bypass system map, now in use at the tennis club

Arrive changed and ready to play

Ensure that you access the court promptly and on time

The clubhouse will remain closed, unless members of the **SAME HOUSEHOLD** except in the case of an emergency. Sarah Ash, Welfare Officer **MUST** be notified of access and can be contacted on **07914 116885 or** [**welfareofficer@prestatyntennisclub.co.uk**](mailto:welfareofficer@prestatyntennisclub.co.uk)

**ALL** club users must please ensure they have a personal first aid kit

**Equipment**

Take hand sanitiser with you to the club

Take all necessary equipment, including a towel and clearly marked tennis balls

Clean and wipe down your own equipment after use

Bring enough fluid in your own bottle for the duration of your session

Remove all personal belongings from the courts at the end of your session

Avoid touching the gates if possible, if gates are used please ensure they are wiped with sanitiser wipes provided after use

**Travelling to and from the club**

Arrive 10 minutes before your booking time

Wait in your vehicle or outside the 2metre markers until the allocated court is available

Ensure all players have left the courts before you enter

Players must use the one-way system to enter and exit the courts

Do not congregate before or after playing

**DURING PLAY**

**Court limits**

An appropriate adult must accompany a minor or vulnerable adult and adhere to social distancing guidelines

**Individual and group** coaching is permitted, in accordance with the current Tennis Wales Guidance

**Social Distancing**

Follow the court bypass system

Maintain a 2m distance between yourself and other players at **ALL** times

No physical contact is permitted, eg, shaking hands

Remain on your own side of the court at all times. If you change ends, please do so on opposite sides of the Court. Do not chase balls to another court, if a ball comes on to your court, hit it back using a shoe or racket, do not use your hands

**Equipment and facility**

Do not handle tennis balls that are not your own

Do not touch any surfaces

If the club is accessed, please ensure surfaces touched are wiped before closure

Please ensure you have a personal first aid kit

**Hygiene**

Sanitise your hands before and after play

Sneeze or cough into a tissue or sleeve

Avoid touching your face

The PTC Committee expect **ALL** players to adhere to these guidelines and reserve the right to prohibit play for any person/persons who do not. The guidelines will be reviewed in accordance with Welsh Government changes.

We thank you for your cooperation.