

RIPLEY AND ALFRETON TENNIS CLUB – COVID-19 RISK ASSESSMENT

This risk assessment has been written using the latest LTA and Government guidance.

Name of Venue	Ripley and Alfreton Tennis Club	Name of Risk Assessor: Michael Hawley	Date of Risk Assessment 12 th September 2020
What are the hazards?	Who might be harmed	Controls Required	Additional Controls
Spread of Covid-19	<p>Staff, member, players and visitors to your courts.</p> <p>Vulnerable groups – Elderly, Pregnant workers, those with existing underlying health conditions.</p> <p>Anyone else who physically comes in contact with other people in relation to your business</p>	<p><u>Pre-Attendance Checks</u></p>	<p>Anyone attending the venue should undergo a pre-attendance self-assessment for any of the Covid-19 symptoms using the information on the NHS website before leaving home.</p> <p>No one should leave home to participate in Tennis if they, or someone they live with, has symptoms of Covid-19.</p> <p>Should an individual have demonstrated any symptoms, they must follow NHS and PHE guidance on self-isolation.</p>
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			<p>coaches, players, and competitions. The Government has made it clear that organised larger group tennis activity is only permitted where this is the case.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any organised larger group tennis activity is only permitted subject to a thorough risk assessment and event delivery plan, taking into consideration the relevant LTA and Government guidance, and where clear and appropriate risk mitigation measures are in place. <p>LTA guidance for players to be circulated to all members upon joining and re-issued as LTA guidance changes.</p> <p>No social contact is to take place between players (eg hand shaking)</p> <p>Players to arrive in appropriate clothing ready to play. Changing facilities in the clubhouse are not currently available.</p> <p>Players to familiarise themselves with this risk assessment</p> <p>Club sessions will strictly manage numbers to ensure social distancing can be adhered to. Each club sessions will have an event delivery plan as described the LTA.</p> <p>Any club competition will be in line with this risk assessment.</p> <p>Players should refrain from touching their face while playing.</p> <p>Players to ensure they leave enough time before the next court booking to vacate the court and wipe down any touchpoints.</p>
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