

New COVID RULES have been introduced by the Government from Thursday at 6pm. The restrictions which affect the bowling club are as follows:

a. People in clubs will have to wear face masks until they are seated.

b. Drinks must be served at tables and not obtained from the bar. Staff must wear face masks.

c. The bar will close at 10pm. Last orders 9-30pm.

Other relevant measures include:

d. A maximum of six people can take part in indoor team sports

e. Businesses will be fined £10,000 and could be closed if they breach regulations

What does this mean for Members?

From Thursday everyone entering the club for whatever reason should wear a mask until they leave the building, this includes snooker players who can remove their masks whilst playing in the snooker room only. Snooker players must put their masks on when they leave the snooker room.

Members using the club bar should comply with the new restrictions as follows:

Orders will not be taken until you are seated.

Alan will then take orders at your table and then deliver and collect payment. Queuing and ordering at the bar is no longer permitted.

On Saturday, Closing of the green.

Players entering the club to collect woods or go to the toilet must wear a mask, **they must not go to the bar under any circumstances (see above). Please remember to bring a mask with you!**

Prior to playing and during play volunteers will take drink orders outside, deliver the drinks and collect the money for each order.

During the match members can order drinks for after the game and indicate where they are likely to sit inside or outside. Alan will prepare the orders and the waiters/waitresses will deliver it to the designated locations. If it is inside the triple will be given a table number where they can all sit (max 6). All future orders for drinks need to be channelled through the waiter/waitresses.

Everyone must stay within their group of 6. You must not mingle with other triples. This is a Government restriction we must adhere to.

Please note that to reduce congestion in the club house and make compliance with new regulations easier, post match pre-ordered food will not be provided. Rolls will be available to order with drinks.

These rules are not of our making the Management Committee are doing all they can to ensure all members can enjoy the facilities we have to offer, but we need members to buy-in to these measures to make them work and support the club. We are sure that you will endeavour to follow these rules, but **please do not be offended if a member or a committee member asks you to change your approach if you are acting outside these guidelines.**

KEEPING OTHERS SAFE IS EVERYONES RESPONSIBILITY