

FALCON BOWLING & TENNIS CLUB **RULES for Phase 1**BOWLING

These RULES are effective from 29th May 2020 until further notice. They apply to all activities at the Club, unless otherwise stated. They are specifically **intended to prevent the spread of the Coronavirus and to protect all Members, in particular our Senior Members**. Even if you personally do not feel AT RISK, please do everything possible to protect your opponent/s and other players at the Club. Your adherence to these rules is **essential**. The decision whether or not to come to play sport at the Club rests with the individual adult Member **or** with the parent of a Junior Member. The decision whether to wear a mask or face-covering likewise rests with the individual adult Member or parent of a Junior.

ALL MEMBERS must, first and foremost, abide by the **Scottish Government Coronavirus guidelines** during this period, particularly on HAND-HYGIENE & SOCIAL DISTANCING (min 2 m.)

N.B.: These Phase 1 Rules are **additional to** the **2020 Club Information & Rules** (sent with your WELCOME email or viewable in the Falcon website Documents store) e.g. the no-smoking rule.

N.B. PARENTS: Parents are required to make sure that all JUNIOR Members in your family understand and are familiar with these new Phase 1 rules.

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HAND-SANITISER has been made available at the Club, but **we recommend** Members should **bring your own** pocket-size version (or protective gloves), as these are likely to be needed during play.

The **CLUBHOUSE** **remains CLOSED**, and Members should observe the signage.

Liaise with the Bowling Convener if you need to **collect your bowls** (once) from the clubhouse.

N.B.: **there is no access to hand-washing facilities**
there is no access to toilet facilities

FIRST AID: please bring your own, as sharing Club supplies could transmit the virus

MOBILE PHONE - DON'T FORGET IT! Know how to call a friend/family/the emergency services

**** DO NOT COME TO THE CLUB if** you feel ill, if you suspect you may have the Coronavirus, or if you are showing any symptoms of the Coronavirus.

**** DO NOT COME TO THE CLUB if** the above describes any member of your **household**.

Put simply,

DO NOT RISK bringing Coronavirus to the Club! ...and please cancel your booking.

BEFORE SETTING OFF FOR THE CLUB...

- Go to the toilet
- Wash and/or sanitize your hands
- **Bring your own equipment** – your own tennis balls/racquet, bowls

ARRIVING AT THE CLUB

- Arrive shortly before your start-time
- Collect jack and mats and disinfect them before play (Spray is provided.)
- Please observe the GAPS between bookings (30-minute gaps)

DEPARTING THE CLUB

- Leave the Club when your hour is up.
- Don't play on after the hour, but respect the 30-minute gap between bookings.
- Disinfect the jack and mats before replacing them
- Sanitise your hands when leaving, and wash them on arrival home.

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RULES for BOWLING MEMBERS

1. **Members only** (2020 subscribers) are permitted to attend and play at the Club during this period.
2. KEY-CODE: Keep the key-code secret; never share it!
3. NO Guests/NO Visitors/NO Non-member family/NO Spectators permitted
4. JUNIOR Members:
 - **Ages 5 – 11** (Primary school age) **must be supervised** by a Adult Member age 21+ or by a Guardian-Parent Member.
 - **Ages 12 – 15 may play unsupervised, but only after their parent has emailed the Club to give their consent:** falconclub@hotmail.co.uk
 - **Age 16 and over** may play as an adult member, but may **not** supervise younger Juniors.
5. **Members must book a rink online in advance;** 'Turn up and play' is NOT permitted
6. **Both players' names should be noted on the online booking.** (Put the second name into 'Notes' before clicking 'Confirm'.) This is essential to enable Track and Trace, should there be any Covid cases emerge amongst Falcon Club Members.
7. **Rinks 1 and 6 only** are open for booking and play.
8. DO NOT use or play on Rinks 2, 3, 4, or 5; they remain closed.
9. Approach Rink 1 by the east path (and start from the east if playing E-W)
10. Approach Rink 6 by the west path (and start from the west if playing E-W)
11. Jacks and Mats:
 - 2 jacks and 4 mats will be made available
 - **You must disinfect Jacks and Mats** using anti-bac/anti-viral spray **before and after play.**
 - Disinfectant spray is available beside the equipment on the verandah.
12. PLAY IS PERMITTED and RESTRICTED AS FOLLOWS: (Bowls Scotland and ScotGov guidance)
 - **1 hour** maximum booking
 - **SINGLES** – max 2 people per rink permitted; this can be 2 people for the same household or 2 people from different households.
 - **Up to 4 Players** are permitted but **only if they are members of the same household.**
 - Always observe the minimum 2 metre distance
 - Santize your hands regularly during play (recommended)
 - DO NOT handle the other players' bowls
 - DO NOT shake hands after the match