

# Standon & Puckeridge L.T.C.

# Covid-19 RISK ASSESSMENT

This Risk Assessment has been completed specifically to look at the risks posed by Covid-19 and with the purpose of identifying and mitigating against these risks so that Standon & Puckeridge Lawn Tennis Club may be opened in line with Government guidelines and is in addition to the Club Risk Assessment

Name of Venue / Coaching Business: Standon & Puckeridge LTC		Name of Risk Assessor: Eileen Worby on behalf of S&P LTC Committee		Date of Risk Assessment: 04/10/2020		
What are the hazards?	Who might be harmed	Controls Required	Additional Controls	Action by who?	Action by when?	Done
Spread of Covid-19 Coronavirus	<p>Members, coaches and visitors using the courts.</p> <p>Accompanying adults of junior members</p> <p>Vulnerable groups – Elderly, pregnant participants, those with existing underlying health conditions.</p> <p>Anyone who may come into contact with anyone who uses the S&amp;P LTC facility.</p>	<p>Strict social distancing measures should be adhered to.</p> <p>The Hut will remain closed.</p> <p><u>Hand Sanitising –</u> In line with LTA guidance everyone accessing the courts and surrounding area is responsible for using their own hand sanitising products.</p> <p>Court booking system introduced to minimise numbers on grounds at any one time</p> <p>Players should avoid physical contact i.e. No Shaking hands or high fives.</p> <p>Players should avoid changing ends or only change ends at opposite sides of the net.</p> <p>Players should not chase down balls onto another court</p> <p>No spectators should be allowed to watch play in order to further minimise numbers on grounds at any one time, unless a</p>	<p>To help reduce the spread of coronavirus (COVID-19) reminding everyone of the public health advice - <a href="https://www.publichealth.hscni.net/news/covid-19-coronavirus">https://www.publichealth.hscni.net/news/covid-19-coronavirus</a></p> <p>Posters, leaflets and other materials are available for display including QR code which all users are encouraged to use.</p>			

		parent/guardian of a junior playing or receiving coaching Frequently cleaning and disinfecting objects and surfaces that are touched regularly particularly in areas of high use such as the gate, floodlight box, using appropriate cleaning products and methods.				
Spread of Covid-19 Coronavirus through contact with Contaminated Surfaces	Members, coaches and visitors using the courts.  Accompanying adults of junior members  Vulnerable groups – Elderly, pregnant participants, those with existing underlying health conditions.  Anyone who may come into contact with anyone who uses the S&P LTC facility.	External seating is not to be used to minimise surfaces that may be contaminated.  Net heights should be set on the courts and if the winders are used hands must be sanitised straight away. Frequently cleaning and disinfecting objects and surfaces that are touched regularly particularly in areas of high use such as the gate, floodlight box, using appropriate cleaning products and methods.	Balls should be passed back without picking them up. e.g. Using your racket to hit the ball back.  Players must use their own equipment and not share with anyone outside their own household			

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