



Bicester and North Oxford Cricket Club



Notes for All BNOCC Players

PLEASE READ THIS DOCUMENT

Players, Officials and supporters of visiting cricket clubs are most welcome at BNOCC. As you know, everyone must follow the ECB and Government's Guidance on the resumption of recreational cricket. We have taken special measures in order to ensure the safety of everyone visiting BNOCC and we are happy to send these to all cricket clubs due to play at our club's facility at Chesterton.

We'd be pleased if you could ensure your players and other visitors to BNOCC have read and adhere to the ECB procedures contained in the ECB's document and follow the advice given below:

Before Arrival

Players/visitors should not travel to BNOCC if they or anyone in their household/bubble are experiencing any of the symptoms of Covid-19 (the symptoms may include a high temperature/a new, continuous cough/a loss of, or change to your sense of smell or taste). Government guidance on what to do can be found at: <https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

- Players or visitors should follow Government guidance on travel to and from our facility & rules on car sharing.
- Players or visitors should bring their own hand sanitiser and anti-viral wipes where possible, although a small supply will be available at BNOCC.
- We will not be serving food or hot drinks. Players or visitors should bring their own food and drinks and they must take away any leftovers or packaging.
- Players or visitors should bring suitable clothing for being outdoors all the time they are at BNOCC, including in the evening having a drink after play; we are not allowing the use of seating inside the pavilion.
- Players should arrive already changed ready to play – please note that our changing rooms are closed and our showers are not available for use.

On Arrival

- All players and visitors should arrive at the BNOCC facility no more than 30 minutes before the game is due to start
- Everybody should park their vehicles in the car park at a minimum distance of 2m from any other vehicle.
- Government social distancing guidelines must always be followed.
- Players and any visitors should observe the Government guidelines on outdoor gatherings and should not cluster as one large group. Outdoor gatherings are limited to members of any 2 households (or support bubbles) or a group of six from any number of households. Team members will need to remain at a 2m distance from each other at all times.
- The Umpires' room is closed. Umpires should also come ready for play to begin on arrival.

- The Scorebox on the main ground is to be used by the home scorer only with the away team scorer (if present) using the table provided in front of the pavilion. On the No.2 pitch the scorers should use the tables placed in front of the pavilion or if the weather is suitable, the tables at 2m distance from each other that are provided by the boundary.

Registration

- We are required to keep records of attendance for each game, practice session or event for 21 days.
- Please ensure your team sheet is completed in full with contact details in every case (please note that all regulations covering Data Protection will be adhered to). Please record any Umpires' and Scorers' names.
- As a minimum, a contact telephone number or mobile number should be listed for all visitors.
- All non-playing visitors from your club must also be registered; please ask them to register with a BNOCC club officer or record their names on the back of the team sheet. We will also have a visitor's registration sheet available.
- If you want to send attendance sheets in advance please email them to the BNOCC Hon. Secretary , Wes Kernaghan at: Wesley.Kernaghan@fedex.com or BNOCC Chairman Phil Mist at: arcadia2000@hotmail.com. Please note that the visiting captain will still need to provide a team sheet on the day.
- Attendance lists will be held for 21 days & then destroyed. Scorecard details and Team Sheet/Cards will be retained as per the current ECB guidance.

Signage, Toilets etc

- There are new signs around the pavilion. Please observe them and encourage others to observe them.
- Toilets for both pitches for ladies and gents will be signed as will our disabled toilet. Please also note that all toilets should be used on a one out, one in basis.
- Entry to the pavilion is not allowed during play other than for emergencies and with permission granted by a BNOCC official.

During Play

- Please ensure that all players have read the ECB guidelines – copies of which are displayed on the windows of the pavilion.
- Please note in particular: players should not hand any items (caps or sweaters) to the umpires (this includes Players acting as umpires) but place them behind the stumps or over the boundary's edge.
- Umpires should only handle or replace the bails at their end. Players must not touch the bails or the stumps..
- Umpires & spectators should not touch the ball at any point.
- Players or visitors must maintain social distancing from the two scorers.
- Match drinks will not be provided - players should bring their own drinks and take away their empty bottles, cans or other waste materials.
- Players or spectators must use the seating provided which is a suitable distance from the players' area. Before using a seat used by someone else, clean the key contact points with the cleaning materials provided or with personal anti-viral wipes.
- If the visiting team need to use the electronic scoreboard control, please try to ensure only one person touches it and if this is not possible, clean it before the next user.

Rain

- Only the Team Captains, Umpires & Scorers may seek shelter in the pavilion to discuss a resumption in play and/or any reduction in the number of overs – all other team members and visitors must shelter in their cars, keeping to Government advice on car sharing.
- If anyone cannot shelter in a car and keep to the Government advice, they should make themselves known to the BNOCC Captain or a BNOCC Official who may allocate a space in the Pavilion.

Rubbish

- There will be receptacles for empty glass bottles and cans for recycling, but all players and visitors must take away all their other rubbish including any food leftovers or packaging materials

The Bar

- The bar may be open after games but you will probably be asked to order drinks at the side door. Drinks may only be issued in a bottle or can without a glass. All drinks are to be consumed outside on the patio area or grass areas in front of the pavilion.
- Payment should be by contactless card only if possible.
- Customers are encouraged to drink from bottles & cans directly unless they provide their own glasses.
- Only the drinker should touch his/her own bottle or can and these should be disposed of in the bin/receptacle provided.
- All players and visitors should remain outside of the pavilion whilst maintaining social distancing.

If someone develops symptoms during the event

- Maintain social distancing; the person affected should isolate (not in the pavilion)
- If the person can travel home safely, they should isolate and travel home as soon as possible symptoms should be managed in accordance with the published government guidance.
- If the person is too unwell to travel, they should isolate. If this needs to be done inside, use the umpires changing room in the pavilion whilst help is summoned.
- Someone from infected person's household should be contacted to make safe arrangements. If this is not possible, call 111 and follow any instructions provided.

Confirmed infection after the event

- If any player or visitor, or a member of their household/bubble suffers symptoms after the event, they should seek a Covid-19 test as soon as possible .
- If the test confirms they are infected, the infection must be reported to the NHS Test & Trace system to help limit the spread of the virus:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/nhs-test-and-trace-how-it-works>.