

## Ready to Return: Stage 2

Information for Club Members



### Codes of Conduct / Principles of Return

As a result of COVID-19, we at the Repton Table Tennis Club have updated our Codes of Conduct to ensure that a return to play following COVID-19 is safe and in accordance with Table Tennis England and Government Guidelines.

Your welfare, and the welfare of fellow club members is paramount. Please note that it is the responsibility of all members of the Repton Table Tennis Club to ensure that the following principles are followed;

#### **General**

- Please read the Village Hall Guidelines (<https://reptonvillagehall.org.uk/reopening>). This provides advice on the Hall layout and the one way system
- The Hall will be split into 2 to accommodate 2 bubbles of players
- You must adhere to social distancing guidelines at all times
- Members must adhere to good hygiene practices throughout their time at the Club
- Proper hand washing with soap (or hand sanitiser as a second best) should occur before and after any activity at the club.

#### **Attendance**

- If you wish to play, you must book your place at a session in advance by using the "I'm In" App
- Electronic payment for the session is recommended
- If you are showing coronavirus symptoms, or any of your household are self-isolating, you must stay at home and not use our facilities.
- You must contact the club prior to attending if you or any of your contacts/household test positive for Coronavirus
- Initially there will be a maximum attendance limit of 8 for each session, which could increase depending on the latest guidelines from TTE and the UK Government

#### **Arrival**

- Please wear a mask
- Please queue with social distancing (or make contact from your car)
- A Club Marshall will sign you in on arrival and will take your temperature and run through a health questionnaire. *Please be advised that your details may be shared with NHS Track and Trace in line with Government guidelines*

#### **Equipment**

- Players should bring their own mask, bats, drinks bottles and hand sanitisers
- Each member will be given 1 white ball and 1 orange ball which they will **keep** and use in all forthcoming table tennis meetings (this will allow members to play games with their own balls)

## **Play**

- Masks are not required during play
- Stay in your designated bubble
- Do not pick up balls from other tables
- Table tennis etiquette, which requires contact (shaking / slapping hands etc) must be suspended for the time being.
- Before a game, the opponents will decide whether they will play with one or two balls
  - Playing with 2 balls means that players only pick up their own ball and serve with their own ball (in which case players closest to the perimeter wall should select the white ball, their opponent should select the orange ball)
  - Playing with 1 ball requires that the ball is cleaned before moving on to play another player
- Players must wipe down their side of the table before moving on to play another player in their bubble

\*See Hygiene and Facility Guidance document for more information

The Repton Table Tennis Club is committed to the safety and welfare of its members. As such, we will take the following measures;

- We will trial these new measures prior to their introduction
- We will keep members updated with changes in processes or protocol relating to Club activity
- We will implement a booking system (via the "I'm In" app) to limit the numbers attending sessions to enable social distancing
- We will provide information on good hygiene practises
- We will do our best to keep up to date with Table Tennis England Ready to Return Guidance, and Government advice
- We will make decisions based on the best interest of our membership
- We will regularly review and update our risk assessment relating to COVID-19.
- We will share information with the NHS Track and Trace Service in line with Government Guidelines.

***I can confirm that I have read and agree to the codes of conduct / principles of return.***

**Member Name:**

**Member Signature (via email reply):**