

**Market Harborough Netball League**  
**Match Day Protocol & Advice for The Club Covid Officer**  
**Issued in response to league consultation 06.09.2021 for the return to play.**  
**2021/22 Season**

**Please advise your team to be match ready when they leave home**

- REMEMBER If you feel unwell, are not feeling confident to play – DO NOT COME
- Every player, coach and umpire must be affiliated to England Netball
- Each player must consider England Netball's Personal Risk Assessment, Covid-19 has not gone away. Before a player leaves home, make a common-sense consideration before attending a netball event. Consider your personal risk, the vulnerability of persons that they come into contact with, events you have attended, contacts you may have had with people who have Covid-19 and if it is safe to participate in netball without rule modifications.
- Please help to keep your netball family safe and well.
- Bring minimum and essential items only
- When members of your club arrive at The Netball Dome, The Covid Officer should
  - Encourage players to use the venues QR code to check in via NHS check and trace (Not the league QR code)
  - Check players have used a common-sense approach and are symptom free.
  - Ensure their team arrive and leave in a timely fashion to keep numbers as low as possible in the Netball Dome
  - Keep your match 'group' of players, coaches, officials (which can include your spectators) to a recommended limit of 15 people.
  - The team sheet will collect players contact information.
  - Hand sanitise on entry and following each ¼ of match play, reducing risk.
  - Sanitise the ball each 1/4, reducing risk. Each team will be issued with a match ball for safekeeping, this will no longer be issued by the duty team.
  - Clean both posts at the end of the match, giving the next team the understanding that the court is ready for play.
  - Ensure your match group remove all their items from the court side.
- Match attendance data will be on your team sheet for netballers and people in your club, you will also need to keep details of your spectators if applicable and manage this data.
- In the event of a positive case, the League will make attendees aware, you need to communicate with your team & the spectators you recorded as present.

**Suggested use of your covid bag**

- **First aid kit**
  - **Match ball**
  - **Ice packs**
  - Clinell (or equivalent quality) packet disinfectant or wipes
  - Bottle of hand sanitizer. Minimum 70% alcohol content
- ✓ Thank you for volunteering.