

Return to Indoor Bowling

From Monday, August 31 indoor bowling will resume at Honiton Bowling Club on a controlled and limited basis.

To make the club as Covid secure as possible the following measures are in place:

- Only two rinks are available for each session and games limited to a maximum of triples.
- There will be three daily sessions which will be: 10:00 -12:30, 13:30 -16:00 and 18:00 to 20:30., thus giving at least one hour for change over. Players need to arrive not more than 15 minutes before the session, and at the end of the session leave the club immediately.
- In the short term there will be no friendly matches, county leagues, or competitions. This may change when the situation improves and will be reassessed in the New Year.
- The changing rooms will be closed, apart from a one-time only access to retrieve bowls after which bowls must be taken home. Players need to come dressed, (informal is acceptable), ready to play and go directly to the indoor green to change into their shoes at the end of the green.
- Toilets will be open but, because of the limited space, it is on a one-in one-out basis. After use, touch points need to be sanitised.
- There is a give way system in the clubhouse corridor – do not enter the corridor whilst someone else is in it – wait until it is clear and follow the one-way signs once in the clubhouse.
- There are 2-metre social distancing marks in strategic areas. However, since it is impossible to cover all possibilities, members are relied upon to use their good sense and maintain effective social distancing.
- Face coverings must be worn whilst in the club. But, if there is a genuine problem wearing a nose and mouth face covering, then a face shield may be worn. However, since face shields are said to be not as effective as face covering those wearing a face shield must always maintain at least a 2-metre social distance.
- Hand sanitiser is provided in the entrance foyer, clubhouse, toilets and on each rink. We ask that this be used immediately upon entry to the club and at appropriate intervals if handwashing is not practical.
- Rink booking is only available through the club website. However, if you do not have internet facilities contact Tony Tooley who is managing the rink booking system. If you need to cancel a rink then also contact Tony Tooley.
- To eliminate the risk involved in handling cash, a rink-fee voucher system is in place. The vouchers can be purchased by credit or debit card through the club website. If you do not have the facilities to do this, then contact the Club Treasurer, David Tooley. Please remember to allow sufficient time for the administration and issue of the vouchers. The vouchers are £2.00 each, are valid for one session and sold in blocks of 10. The vouchers will be placed in an envelope in your club mailbox within 2 days of ordering.
- When paying the rink fee, the system is as previously, but instead of cash, put all the players' vouchers with names on, together with the rink slip, in the plastic bags and deposit in the green box.
- Both the rink booking, and voucher payment systems are reached through the club website at:

www.honitonbowlingclub.co.uk.

And can be found by going to [MEMBERS AREA] -> [INDOOR MEMBERS] -> [RINK BOOKING].
For the payment of vouchers, you will be redirected to the Club's secure payment website.
(See attached screen shots).

- To reduce the use of shared equipment, and the subsequent need for it to be sanitised, mats and pushers have been withdrawn. So, it is only necessary to sanitize the jacks before and after the game, with the wipes provided.
- In place of bowling mats there is an area on the green, marked with tape at the 4-metre mark, simulating the position of a bowling mat. This will also act as the 'T'. Bowling takes place from within this marked area. There are also arrows marking the direction to walk at the end-changeover to maintain social distancing.
- Scoreboards are not to be used. Instead use scorecard but they must be handled by just one person using their own pen.
- The ventilation system has been checked and found to meet the government guidelines applicable to Covid 19, by providing sufficient airflow for up to 20 players. This is a higher level of air movement than recommended under normal circumstances.

- With these measures in place the Club has been made as Covid-safe as possible. However, it is up to all of us to play our part by maintaining social distancing, properly wearing face covering, so that it covers both the nose and mouth, and regular washing or sanitising of our hands.

HBC Web Site Rink Booking and Voucher Purchase



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Indoor Rink Booking

Using the form below you are able reserve an indoor rink. If the date you want is not shown then it has either been fully booked or will appear later.

For NHS Test and Trace and Club purposes enter all the names of the players on your rink.

On odd dates use rinks 1 or 3 and on even dates rinks 2 or 4. For Social Distancing always allow a spare rink in between.

You are unable to reserve a specific rink, this needs to be arranged on the day.

You can also purchase rink vouchers by clicking the button below. Once purchased they will be placed in your club mailbox by the following day.

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Buy 10 x £2 rink vouchers

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NOTE: odd dates use rinks 1 or 3 Even dates use rinks 2 or 4

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Email address *

Your email address

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10x £2 Indoor Bowling Vouchers

£20.00



Full name

Email

Credit card

<input type="text"/>	Card number	<input type="text"/>	MM/YY	<input type="text"/>	CVV	<input type="text"/>	Postcode
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