



OLD COOPERIANS RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB

PlayCovid19 Risk Assessment The Coopers Coburn & Company School August 2020

People Management and Communication	
What are the hazards?	Transmission of COVID-19
Who might be harmed?	Facility users, staff, volunteers, players, visitors and the wider community
Controls required	Action Taken by the Club
Self-screening of individuals before they arrive at the venue to ensure individuals displaying COVID-19 symptoms or those who should be shielding do not travel or attend.	Players to sign in to Director of Rugby using Spond App to say they are not experiencing any symptoms and have not been in contact with anyone showing signs or symptoms.
An assessment of user numbers, space capacities, venue circulation and layout planning to maintain social distancing.	Only three people allowed in the pavilion at any one time (including coaches). People to queue at a social distance outside the building leading onto the playing fields. Video sent to all club representatives to show circulation routes & expectations. Signs to be displayed by school reminding people to social distance & Covid19 guidelines.
A plan for where parents and players will sit whilst watching rugby activities.	Spectators not encouraged & kept to a minimum. Designated players areas, designated area for first aid, designated area for non-participants. Areas for spectators to be kept at a social distance from the school buildings & also away from players. Video sent to all club representatives to show circulation routes & expectations. Signs to be displayed by school reminding people to social distance & Covid19 guidelines.

Signage and communication so that all participants and visitors are aware of the control measures in place and how to act appropriately to minimise the risk of transmission of COVID-19.	Club rules to be published for all to see on all available platforms and signage in and around pavilion from the school. Minimal use of pavilion. Video sent to all club representatives to show circulation routes & expectations. Signs to be displayed by school reminding people to social distance & Covid19 guidelines.
Staff and volunteer training to support the implementation of the plan, with suitable training records.	Director of Rugby to be trained in the operating procedures expected by World Rugby completing the Return to Play Awareness course provided by the International Rugby Board. Procedures to be shared with all coaches.
Buildings, Hygiene, & Cleaning	
What are the hazards?	Transmission of COVID-19, Other venue hazards to be considered after temporary closure such as Legionnaire's Disease, fire, electrical safety etc.
Who might be harmed?	Facility users, staff, volunteers, players, visitors and the wider community
Controls required	Action Taken by the Club
Assess ventilation in your building (natural and mechanical) and take appropriate measures to maximise ventilation and minimise risk of transmission.	Doors open at all times, all windows that can be open to be opened. Club committee contact to liaise with school contact for further guidance.
Assess the maximum occupancy of your rooms at 2m social distancing (or 1m with risk mitigation where 2m is not possible) and establish a suitable circulation system/one-way system. Use signage and floor markings to communicate this.	Changing rooms to be kept locked. Limited access to pavilion for use of the toilets, following a marked route. Bar to remain closed until further notice.
Consider your wet weather plans and describe what actions you will take to maintain social distancing in wet weather.	Players to train in the wet weather, spectators to make own arrangements – cars, trees, clubhouse not to be used.
Materials, PPE and training that you have provided to your staff for effective cleaning.	Communication to be given to coaches regarding expectations. PPE available if requested. Equipment cleaned before, during, and after session using anti-bacterial wipes.

Provision of hand washing facilities with warm water, soap, disposable towels and bin.	Facilities available inside and outside for hand washing with appropriate material.
Provision of suitable hand sanitiser in locations around the facility to maintain frequent hand sanitisation.	Hand sanitiser available inside and outside. Players also asked to bring their own sanitiser.
Provision of suitable wipes and hand sanitiser on the field for hygiene breaks.	Access at outside station to be used by players and officials only. Equipment to be sanitised and wiped down by coaches between each bubble. Players & coaches expected to sanitise during regular breaks.
First Aid	
What are the hazards?	Transmission of COVID-19, Vital first aid equipment is not available when needed. First aiders do not have adequate PPE to carry out first aid when required.
Who might be harmed?	Facility users, staff, volunteers, players, visitors and the wider community
Controls required	Action Taken by the Club
If you have an AED then check that it is in working order, service is up to date and that it is available during all activity.	AED available from school.
What steps have you taken to improve your first aiders' understanding of first aid provision under COVID-19?	Physio & her team have completed the World Health Organisation - Infection Control Course, World Health Organisation - PPE Course, & World Rugby Return to Play Awareness Course. Physio to provide information for other relevant stakeholders.
Governing Body - RFU	
What are the hazards?	RFU & School guidelines might clash
Who might be harmed?	Players, school, club committee, volunteers
Controls required	Action Taken by the Club
All RFU guidelines are being fully adhered to.	Committee liaison to communicate rules and expectations with players, officials and members. Committee members and coaches to ensure adherence to the risk assessment and rules. RFU risk assessment attached.