



LEEK TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB COVID-19 GUIDANCE

MATCH OFFICIALS (1 OF 2)

OCT-20

GENERAL

- Andy Reeves & Jon Eeles are the nominated joint Leek Town COVID-19 Officers
- The Clubs risk assessment, control measures and guidance can be found on the Clubs website and are regularly updated
- Signage has been installed throughout the stadium, along with multiple hand sanitising stations
- Track & Trace details will be held for the necessary individuals for 21 days after each game

ENTRY & GAME PROTOCOL

- Individuals should undertake a self-assessment for any COVID-19 symptoms and not travel to the stadium if any of these symptoms are present
- Match officials should liaise with the Matchday Secretary and provide contact details for track and trace and for any other guests or officiators travelling to the game
- Match official should submit their expenses prior to the game and make arrangement for payment. This can be done electronically or via cash in a sealed envelope
- Wherever possible travel to the stadium should be by individual car, if this is not possible Government guidance should be followed
- Match Officials should use the **MAIN CAR PARK**
- Ground entry is through **GATE 4** at the bottom of the car park, where temperature tests will be undertaken, anyone failing the temperature test will be asked to return home
- Individuals should sanitise their hands on entering the stadium
- After entry Match officials should remain outside until instructed to enter the changing rooms by the Chief Steward
- The Match Officials changing room will be available for use before, during and after the game (including showers), but social distancing must be maintained
- The management and passing of team sheets between Match Officials, Visiting Teams & Home Teams will be done will be managed by mutual co-operation
- Match official warmups will take place on the pitch, socially distance being maintained from both teams
- The order of entry onto the pitch will be **MATCH OFFICIALS, VISITING TEAM & then HOME TEAM**
- Respect handshakes will be suspended for the 2020/21 season
- Additional seating will be provided next to the technical areas
- The officials changing room will be available at half time
- At half time and fulltime the match officials and players will leave the pitch on the same order as they entered it



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POST MATCH HOSPITALITY

- Post-match hospitality is available in the main bar to players and officials only, when entering the bar please wear a mask until seated
- Entry will be through the tunnel to the stadium and through the Clubhouse door
- The Clubhouse operates table service for drinks, if you have asked for hospitality your food will be brought to you
- Food will be served in individual disposable containers
- Preferably purchases from the Bar will be contactless, please note if you want to use cash no change will be given
- Individuals can remain in the Clubhouse (whilst maintaining social distancing & seated) or go outside
- Exit will be through the Clubhouse and doors to the main drive

