

# **PAPWORTH TENNIS CLUB – GUIDELINES TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF COVID-19**

The LTA have now issued some new guidance following the government's easing of the lockdown which was announced in late May. Anyone not adhering to these guidelines and endangering the health of other members could have their membership terminated by the Club. This guidance may be reviewed and will change as national guidance is updated.

Here is a summary of the main updates:

All activity should be consistent with the government guidance regarding health, travel, social distancing and hygiene at all times.

## **PLAYER CHECK LIST**

1. Singles and doubles is now allowed with members outside of your household, ***as long as you remain at least 2 metres apart as far as possible.***
2. Consider agreeing in advance which player will take the shot if the ball travels to the centre of the court.
3. Social tennis is allowed between a maximum of 6 players.
4. Group coaching up to maximum of 6 people (including the coach).
5. Players do NOT now need to use their own marked tennis balls.
6. Use alcohol gel after touching anything within the courts (gates, posts, locks).
7. The clubhouse can now be open.
8. Wash hands before leaving the clubhouse.

As social tennis is only allowed up to a maximum of 6 players, we can't start our Monday and Wednesday Social nights. However, if individual members want to make a private arrangement to meet up, then this is allowed. This arrangement must only be for a maximum of 6 players and social distancing must still apply.

**ENJOY but play SAFE!** Any difficulties should be notified to a Papworth Club Committee Member (Contact details on the website).