

Pre- Return to Play Information for Parents/Participants

Dear Parents/Participants,

As we prepare to embrace the "new norm" and to welcome everyone to the new basketball year. We have put together a few notes to ensure a smooth and safe transition for everyone after an extended absence. There will be changes to how we conduct ourselves as we take these steps forward. The following is to keep you informed on how as a club we are going to comply with guidelines and to ensure a safe environment for all the basketball community. A meeting will be held when the time permits with all parents/participants to run through new procedures to ensure the smooth transition.

On returning the following policies will be in place.

- 1. Please check your (or child's) temperature prior to attending any organised event. If the temperature is greater than or equal to 38°C then attendance is not permitted. You (or child) can return only when temperature is below 38°C without medication being administered. By checking at home prior to leaving you're reducing the risk of cross contamination. Temperatures will be checked at training, any temperature reading that is greater than or equal to 38°C will be denied entry.
- 2. Any participant/child displaying any one of the Covid-19 signs must stay at home as a precaution. Contact should be made directly to you GP. Signs are:
 - a. Temperature
 - b. Sore Throat
 - c. Cough
 - d. Respiratory related illness.

Prior to returning to participation, please contact the Club Covid-19 Compliance Officer (Sharon Price) prior to returning as paperwork will need to be completed.

- 3. All participants must wash hands prior to leaving home and on arrival at the facility.
- 4. Any participant/child that has been in direct contact with a person who is diagnosed with Covid-19 must stay at home and isolate for 14 days.
- 5. Any child/staff member who travels oversees must comply with all Government guidelines in relation to overseas travel and quarantine.
- 6. Social distancing must be adhered to where possible.
- 7. Parents will not be permitted in the gym to watch training or games
- 8. Participants/Children are to be advised that each participant/child should have their own **labelled** drinking bottle (preferably non spill) and towel as sharing of these will not be allowed
- 9. We will be implementing the Basketball Ireland return to play protocol which are available on https://www.basketballireland.ie

We, the Club, will do our utmost in ensuring a safe return to play, we will be constantly updating our procedures in accordance with Government/Basketball Ireland/County Board Guidelines. We endeavour to issue these updates to you through an appropriate means as soon as they are available.

Yours In Sport

Mulroy Hoops Basketball Club