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LSL GUIDELINES FOR RESTARTING FIXTURES FOR HOSTS AND VISITORS

(Official LSL matched fixtures - subject to Government restrictions in force)

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Primary guidelines:

- a. All players are post -14 days full vaccination and in general good health when attending fixtures.
- b. Any problems arising with meeting guidelines can be referred back the LSL committee or Covid liaison contacts. (Philip Cohen or Mauro Pratesi)
- c. If at any time someone in your household gets Covid you should pause hosting and visiting immediately and advise the LSL committee/Covid liaison contacts as soon as possible. (confidentiality will be observed).
- d. For those not vaccinated there would be an option to have a free lateral flow test 24 hours before, and after, attending or hosting any fixture.

Host guidelines:

1. Ensure playing materials are hygienic as practically possible.
2. Provide the means for visitors to wash their hands on arrival.
3. Provide hand sanitiser gel for visitors in the playing area.
4. Ensure ventilation in the playing area when possible (but don't let your guests freeze)
5. If a player turns up with cold or flu symptoms you can exercise the discretion to ask them not to play or at the very least to wear a mask.
6. Host has the final decision on health and hygiene but should apply any requests tactfully.

Visitor guidelines:

1. Do not attend a fixture if you have new symptoms of temperature, cough or cold/flu. Notify the host ASAP to make alternative arrangements.
2. Wash your hands on arrival, the host will expect this and make provisions.
3. You can ask for the playing area to be better ventilated if this has not happened and as long as the outdoor air temperature is comfortable for all.
4. You do not need to wear a mask to play unless
 - a. you choose to or
 - b. the host asks you to because you have some mild respiratory symptoms.
5. The host has the final say on health and hygiene, please be patient with any requirements you are asked to fulfill.

The Committee