

# Massereene Golf Club

A key responsibility of the Club and its Council is the safety and well-being of our Staff, Members and Visitors. Therefore, following the latest announcements by the UK Government regarding the latest Coronavirus update, including Social Distancing, please see below additional measures to reassure our members and guests.

Unless we receive clear instruction to the contrary, the enjoyment of fresh air and the outdoor setting provided by our course should continue to be a safe environment for members & guests to stay active. It is, therefore, the intention that **members & guests will continue to be able to make full use of the golf course and limited use to Clubhouse facilities.**

Following a meeting of club officers it was decided to take the following preventative measures:

## **Members & Guest Actions**

The advice to avoid unnecessary contact with others is paramount; so measures to enhance safety will need to be introduced with immediate effect.

- Anyone experiencing any symptoms must refrain from visiting the Club or course
- Please wash hands regularly and for at least 20 seconds on entry to and leaving the clubhouse.
- The advice to refrain from direct contact with other people remains in place at all times
- Maintain a clear distance from others. i.e. two metres
- As well as the above specifics, we would ask members and guests to follow all Government advice which can be found here:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-information-for-the-public>

## **Clubhouse**

- **CATERING** - Revised catering hours with immediate effect:

**Mon** – CLOSED

**Tues, Weds & Thurs** 11.00 to 15.00.

**Fri, & Sat**, 11.00 to 20.00.

**Sun**, 11.00 to 18.00.

- **BAR** - Bar remains open with the following restricted hours:

Mon, Tues, and Thurs – closing at 18.00.

Wed, Fri, Sat, and Sun closing at 21.00

Until such times we receive a directive from NI Assembly and/or HSCNI.

- **Changing Rooms** will be open for toilet facilities, to wash hands and to access lockers only. Shower facilities are closed until further notice. Members can change shoes etc. in the car park if they wish.

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## **Golf Course**

- Change your shoes in the car park.
- Strictly - Only 4 persons permitted in the Pro Shop at any one time.
- Use debit/credit cards to pay where possible.
- All members are asked to reserve their tee times before play.
- Do not touch any of the pins on the greens- the cups are now inverted so your ball will be easier to retrieve.
- All bunkers to be treated as GUR.
- Try not to touch bins, seats where possible.
- Keep sanitisers/wipes in your golf bag or on your person.
- If unwell on the course, make your way to your car and ring the club for assistance.
- Water fountains on the course will be out of use.
- Club Competitions, one member only to enter scores on the computer – after washing his hands.

## **The Office**

The office staff will continue to be available to answer member's questions via email and telephone only.

Pro-Shop will be open to monitoring the access to the course.

The continuance of the golf club and your membership is very important to us all and the Council and Staff would ask for your support during these incredibly difficult and unsettling times.

Members- for more club information please see your emails.

### **Club Officers:**

Captain Malachy McCollum

President: Tom McBride

Vice- Captain: John Tipping

Honorary Secretary: William Hurst