

Your Golf Experience

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The main principles behind all measures employed here are to provide a facility with the space to socially distance and to give options on using shared touchpoints.

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Booking Golf

Do not book golf if you are unwell or may be suffering with any symptoms of COVID-19

Starting Format

- Golf can be played in 1, 2, 3 or 4 ball formats from 7am till 6:30pm.
- Golf is offered on the Kings and Princes at 9 Minute intervals.
- We offer 18 holes on the Championship Course. 9 and 18 holes are available on the Princes 9 hole Course.

Pre-booking is Compulsory

- This will remain in place for some time, so please ensure you book your tee times online.
- No Golfers should arrive at the Club without a booked tee time.

Booking Window

- Members' bookings are 12 days in advance from 7:00am.
- Casual visitors will be 7 days in advance.
- Select Society Golf will be limited and carefully arranged through the Club Office.



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Arrival for Golf

Car Parking

- Please be considerate when parking & park within the marked areas.
- We encourage you to change your golf shoes in the car park.

Masks

- We encourage the wearing of a face covering in indoor areas of the Clubhouse, to help limit the risk of transmission, but it is not an expectation. Our staff are all required to wear a face covering when in indoor public areas.

Check-in at the Pro Shop

- Our Pro Shop is classified as a retail outlet. Our staff will be behind Perspex screens.
- We have set up a clear one-way route for Golfers to arrive for their golf, drop their bag off and check-in at the Pro Shop. Doors will remain open.
- We ask you to use the Hand sanitiser available before entering the door and continue to follow the social distancing markings that are in place.
- We recommend that only one player [lead booker] from each 4 ball check-in.



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Arrival for Golf

Payment

- We encourage contactless payments.

Buggies & Trolleys [Availability is subject to course conditions]

- These are available for hire and will not be re-hired until fully sanitised.

Toilets

We encourage mask use in these confined indoor spaces. Sanitiser is available, social distance marking is in place as is hand washing guidance.

Changing Rooms, Lockers & Showers

- The changing rooms are available to be used, however we continue to encourage you to change shoes within the car park to limit numbers using indoor spaces. For security the doors will be closed to the changing rooms. We encourage the use of sanitisers.
- Lockers are available for use.
- Showers are available, however you must bring your own towel.



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Before Play

Warm Up

- After check-in, golfers can warm up on the range, putting green & chipping green as long as they remain alert to social distancing.
- We ask all golfers to be patient and courteous to allow every golfer to enjoy a short warm up.

Putting & Chipping Greens

- Please use your own balls and maintain social distancing [1m+].

Range

- Balls are available [50 balls @ £5 or 25 balls @ £3]
- Payment can be made by contactless card or members' card.
- Please use hand sanitiser provided before and after use.



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Play

It is easy to social distance on the Golf Courses as long as you maintain good positive communication between your group.

Please be reminded of the two biggest risks of passing the virus on a golf course, you should be very mindful of the flag and shaking hands.

- **Benches & Ball Washers:** These are provided for you to use at your discretion
- **Rakes:** If you choose not to use a rake, do your best to smooth over the surfaces with the back of your club or shoes.
- **Holes:** Covid 'safe' inserts have been fitted to all holes.



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Waterside Hospitality

COVID-19 regulations at The Waterside from Monday 19th July:

- Tables have been arranged with social distancing in mind therefore please do not move furniture inside or outside. If you have a special request and are in one larger household, please let us know in advance and we can see if we can accommodate this.
- Full table service will operate for drinks and dining for both indoor and alfresco service. On arrival, please approach check in desk and wait to be seated.
- Guests are encouraged to wear face masks whilst inside the Clubhouse and when not seated at a table.
- Social distancing is expected.
- Test and Trace is available at 'check-in'.
- We will of course carry on ensuring guest areas are clean and sanitised regularly.
- We encourage contactless payments



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Club Office

We encourage the use of face coverings in confined areas such as the club office. Please make an appointment with Steve, Kate or Sarah-jane so we can limit the number of visitors at any one time.

If you have any covid related queries or concerns please email feedback@hevercastle.co.uk

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