

TATTENHALL GUN CLUB

Covid-19 Safety - Risk Assessment

The safety of our members, guests and their families is of paramount importance, so it is essential that we are aware of the risks posed by Covid-19 and take whatever steps are necessary to minimise them. To this end we will be guided by the CPSA in their own assessments of the risks and necessary precautions. (Please see attached latest guidance)

Clay pigeon shooting is inherently a low risk activity as far as Covid-19 is concerned because it is a non-contact sport, takes place outdoors and, in the case of DTL, has social-distancing inherently built-in.

However, there are a few extra rules which we feel it necessary to introduce during the crisis:

- 1) Anyone who is unwell or displaying any of the well publicised Covid-19 symptoms should not attend and stay home until they've completed the recommended period of self-isolation and recovered fully. Those who are considered in a high-risk group should not attend. Those who have recently been in close contact with someone with Covid-19 or visited a high-risk area should stay home until they have completed the recommended period of self-isolation.
- 2) Members and guests should travel to the ground independently and avoid car-sharing except with family members.
- 3) Please make use of the sanitising hand gel which is available, or use your own, particularly before and after touching club equipment such as the trap, trap-house and scoring clipboards etc.
- 4) Social distancing (at least 2 metres) should be maintained at all times while shooting and while waiting to shoot.
- 5) There is a very small risk in DTL that the shooter vacating Peg-5 walks too closely to the other shooters on his way to Peg-1. In order to avoid this risk a marker post will be positioned so as to avoid this risk. Please observe the directions.
- 6) Do not share a gun with anyone outside your own family group or allow them to handle your gun.
- 7) Between shooting, you should return to your car with your gun and other equipment. Do not use the bench or the club gun rack.
- 8) In order to minimise the handling of money, please give the exact amount needed for your shooting.
- 9) At the end of the shoot there will be no hand-shaking as prizes are awarded.

CPSA Review of today's new Government CV-19 Law

[general](#)

14th September 2020

As the Government's new law in relation to social gatherings came into force today, we felt it important to reassure our Members, Clubs and Grounds that this change does not affect clay shooting.

We are an outdoor sports activity with organised dates and times and this is acceptable under the Government's latest [guidance](#).

Key components of this are under section 3.16 of this guidance stating that:

"You can continue to take part in organised sporting or licensed physical activity"

"These activities either need to be organised by a club, business or charity"

"In all cases, the organiser must conduct a risk assessment and ensure compliance with COVID-19 Secure guidance."

The final point is particularly important for everyone to remain vigilant with Covid 19 measures to mitigate the risk.

Click here to read our [Stay Safe](#) document.

Thank you for your continued support. Stay safe and well.