



Covid Guidelines Restart Step 1

The leadership team has developed Covid Guidelines which promote the safety of players and are recommended by the Ministry of Health through ViaSport, and Pickleball BC. The Town of Lake Cowichan may close the facility at any time if directed by Public Health officials or if they believe the guidelines are not being adhered to.

Guiding Principles of Play

- Players play at your own risk.
- Stay Home if you feel sick or your health is compromised.
- * Stay Home if you have been in close contact with someone who is sick or has COVID-19
- Every player must adhere to these principles and guidelines

Hours of Operation: Club Hours 9:00 a.m. until 12 noon, 7 days per week

- Fun/Recreational Play from 9:00 until 11:00 - Monday thru Friday
- Competitive Play from 11:00 until 12 noon - Monday thru Friday
- Afternoons, Evenings, Weekends All levels

Cleanliness & Physical Distancing:

- Bring your own Hand Sanitizer. Bring sanitized equipment.
- Physical distancing is not required during play.
- Maintain physical distancing of 2 meters (6 feet) on the sidelines.



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Facility Management

- The court area will facilitate 24 players - 6 courts open
- Up to 10 players may gather at the side of the courts while waiting to play; maintain social distancing and avoid congestion.
- If the waiting area is full or the courts are busy, players should exit out the Rear Gate. Re-enter via the Front Gates if space is available
- Leave sports bags outside of the facilities excluding water bottles. Jackets and sweaters can be hung on the fence (distanced pink tape).
- No chairs are permitted inside the courts (fenced area).
- No spectators allowed

Implementation:

- Contact Tracing: The club email list may be shared with VIHA.
- We welcome feedback that helps promote the safety of players.

General Recommendations:

- Stay local - play within your home club until Step 2 Restart Plan
- The intention of the Restart Plan is to slowly return to activities by making adjustments to our Safety Plans, thoughtfully and carefully, to keep our members safe.
- Please be respectful of players who choose to limit their contacts and play in a small group.

Remember - Have Fun, Be Calm, Be Kind and Be Safe!

