

This guide has been established to support teams ‘Returning to Training’ under Victorian Government COVID-19 restrictions. Community clubs and teams have an obligation to strictly adhere to these protocols at every training session.

Junior coaches are aware of the in-depth training protocols, but they can’t do this on their own. We kindly ask parents to assist their children, coaches and the club to ensure we remain compliant.

Before the session commences, players / parents will need to:

- Players are required to ‘Check-in’ with their coaches. This simply means them letting the coach know they are there so that the coach is able to add their name to the sign in register. The phone number of the parent on the season registration form will also be listed.
- If parent(s) / sibling(s) are staying to watch or assist with training they too must also ‘check-in’. Please see additional notes at the bottom of this document for further information.
- Apply hand sanitiser on arrival. Coaches will have hand sanitiser available for use.

During the session players will need to:

- Re-apply hand sanitiser every 30-40 minutes. Again, coaches will have this available for use.
- Train in groups as per the State Government Roadmap. For Step 3 this allows full teams to train together (as per the updated released on 13 October 2020). If the team regularly plays as an 11 on match day, then 11 can train in a group. If the team regularly plays with 12 or 13 on match day, then 12 or 13 can train together in each group. Step 4 of the roadmap will allow for training in a group of up to 50.
- Be conscious that they do not mix with any other training groups at any stage before, during or post session.
- Note and adhere to the maximum number of training groups per oval being two, plus a separate group in the nets. Coaches will manage this requirement. Groups can still swap areas through a session but shall have no more than the normal team numbers per group.
- Ensure they refrain from spitting, nasal clearing and shall not use sweat or saliva on the balls.
- Be dressed ready to train and make sure no personal playing equipment is shared unless it has been wiped / cleaned between each use. The club will have antibacterial wipes and sprays available for use to clean equipment between use.
- Keep kit bags, any excess clothing and equipment that they are not wearing / using in their parent / guardians vehicle if the parent is staying at training. If the parent / guardian is not staying at training then a designated bag area will be nominated and appropriately spaced out as per requirements.
- Masks are to be worn at all times by those over 11. All players (any age) are exempt from this requirement whilst batting, bowling or fielding.
- Adhere to facility signage directions and maintain a 1.5m distance to others
- Ensure that when using the ball machine, the person feeding the ball into the machine is to sanitise their hands before starting and again on completion and must also wear a mask.
- Ensure any shared equipment is sanitised prior to the next group entering the space.

After the session players /parents will need to:

- ‘Sign out. Again, this is simply letting the coach know they are leaving so it can be recorded – this is for contact tracing assistance
- Leave Guy Turner promptly.

ADDITIONAL NOTES

- Given at this stage, training is only permitted in groups of 10 and all junior teams have more than 10 players, coaches will be seeking assistance from parents during sessions. Parents



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assisting with training are required to follow protocols, maintain safe distancing (1.5m) and wear a mask.

- Protocols stipulate that equipment needs to be cleaned every 30 – 40 minutes and more frequently if being shared (in between player use). Sanitising products will be provided and coaches will be seeking assistance from parents during sessions to do this. Parents assisting with sanitising of equipment are required to follow protocols, maintain safe distancing (1.5m) and wear a mask.
- If parents / siblings are not assisting with training or sanitising, they are permitted to remain at training but will need to either remain in their car or follow protocols, maintain safe distancing (1.5m) and wear a mask.
- In stage 3, when training initially commences, the overall facility will be closed except for access to the toilet.
- Hand sanitiser will be available and should be used before, during and after training
- Players, parents and siblings over the age of 11 will need to bring and utilise their own face masks
- Players will need to bring and use their own drink bottle. Share cups are not permitted.
- If players feel unwell or display any Covid like symptoms please do not attend training.
- If players are awaiting results for a Covid test, please do not come to training and advise their coach or a member of the Executive Committee ASAP.
- In the case of testing positive to Covid, please advise the players' coach or a member of the Executive Committee ASAP.

We are excited to see everyone and get back into cricket. If you have any questions about the above requirements (established by the Victorian Government) please don't hesitate to reach out to your Coach, Junior Coordinator or any member of the Executive Committee (Brendon Trump, Ralph Wellington, Melanie Causer, Andrew Eustace or Timothy Court).

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