Ashtead All Stars Netball Club

Summer Term Netball 2021 IMPORTANT New Procedures



Dear all,

We are so looking forward to a full Summer Term of netball and can't wait to get started on Monday.

The safety and wellbeing of the AAS family remains our top priority. In line with England netball and UK government requirements, we will be continuing with all our previous COVID-19 procedures, such as social distancing, sanitising, self-health checks and test / trace protocols, and all parents, players, coaches and volunteers should re-familiarise themselves with the COVID-19 related information on the club website under Club Information.

Please read the procedures very carefully and ensure that you discuss them with your daughter. We will be using the astro courts and NOT the hardcourts for Summer Netball, so please pay particular attention to the modified arrival and departure procedures.

Training Time			
Mon 6 - 7pm, U8, U9, U10	Arrive from 5.55pm	Start 6pm	Collect 6.55pm
Mon 7 - 8pm, U11	Arrive from 6.55pm	Start 7pm	Collect 7.55pm
Mon 8 – 9pm, U13, U14	Arrive from 7.55pm	Start 8pm	Collect 9pm
Wed 6 - 7pm, U12	Arrive from 5.55pm	Start 6pm	Collect 6.55pm
Wed 7 - 8pm, U15, U16, adults	Arrive from 6.55pm	Start 7pm	Collect 7.55pm
Wed 8 - 9pm, matchplay, walkers	Arrive from 7.55pm	Start 8pm	Collect 9pm

Training Dates

Monday 19th April, 26th April, 10th May, 17th May, 24th May, 7th June, 14th June, 21st June, 28th June, 5th July

Wednesday 21st April, 28th April, 5th May, 12th May, 19th May, 26th May, 9th June, 16th June, 23rd June, 30th June, 7th July

Access to the Courts

Access to the courts will be through the double gates at the end of the lower car park.

On Arrival

On arrival all players should go straight down to the astro courts, and wait along the fence on the outside of the courts. There will be cones positioned to help keep the girls distanced. As soon as the courts are clear of the previous group, the girls will be allowed to enter the courts, where registers will be taken.

Departure

Year 3 and year 4 will leave the courts at 6.55pm and will be walked up to the <u>top car park</u> for collection. Your daughters will not be allowed to walk across the car park on their own, so please park up and come to collect your daughter from the coach.

Year 5 will leave the courts at 6.55pm and will be walked to the <u>lower car park</u> where they will wait along the sports hall wall for collection. Your daughters will not be allowed to walk across the car park on their own, so please park up and come to collect your daughter from the coach.

Year 6 will leave the courts at 7.55pm and will be walked to the <u>lower car park</u> where they will wait along the sports hall wall for collection. Your daughters will not be allowed to walk across the car park on their own, so please park up and come to collect your daughter from the coach.

Year7 and above will be allowed to leave the courts on their own.

Toilets and Changing Facilities

Please arrive changed and ready to play. We have ONE toilet for exclusive use by AAS, and that is all the way over by the reception building. So PLEASE try to ensure your daughter goes to the toilet BEFORE they come to training. The Pavilion toilets are NOT for our use.

Water

Players MUST bring their own water bottles as the drinking fountains at Downsend are NOT in use.

First Aid

We are currently not allowed to administer First Aid. First Aid equipment will be available at the side of the courts for girls to use should they need to. We will be calling parents to collect their daughter if anyone needs more than a plaster.

Opting In

England Netball are keen to ensure that no members feel obliged to return to netball, and also that all members are aware of the risks involved. Rather than completing the "opt-in" form which was compulsory last year, we are working on the basis that by attending, you are effectively opting in.

Illness

Before players and coaches leave home, they must all undergo a self-assessment for any COVID-19 symptoms. No-one should leave home to participate if they, or someone they live with, has symptoms of COVID -19 currently recognised as any of the following:

- · A high temperature
- · A new, continuous cough
- · A loss of, or change to, their sense of smell or taste

Should any girl show any signs of illness at training, we will immediately phone parents so that the girl can be picked up and taken home

Test and Trace

A register will be taken at each session so we know who has attended on which day and this information will be held by the club for 21 days. If a player tests positive for Covid-19, they should follow government guidance on reporting through the NHS Test and Trace scheme, and they must ensure that Jane Arnett (Club Chair) or Matt Timblin (COVID-19 Officer) is notified. Per guidelines, if there are 2 or more positive tests from one team within a 2 week period then all training and match play will stop until advised it can restart by NHS Test and Trace.

Finally

Downsend is also being used for cricket and swimming, so please be aware that the car park will be busy, and there will be lots of people around other than netballers. We are doing all we can to keep groups separate, but we need to make you aware of these additional factors. Please also remember that at the moment PARENTS ARE NOT ALLOWED ON SITE at Downsend.

Please contact Jane Arnett on <u>jane.bluecedar@hotmail.co.uk</u> if you have any questions or concerns. We look forward to welcoming everyone back to netball next week!!

Kind regards Jane

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