



## Visiting the Trafalgar Ground during Covid-19

**The purpose of this guide is to help visitors to the Trafalgar Ground during covid-19. Anything listed here is very much subject to change.**

**We apologise for the “rules upon rules”, but we’re trying to best cover ourselves, help our guests and ensure everyone can feel safe to attend football here at Newhaven FC. These are very much guidelines, written by our team of volunteers, if there’s anything we can do to improve, please see one of the team and we’ll take all feedback on board as of course, we’ve never had to work under these conditions before!**

### **Parking**

- Where possible, please avoid parking on Court Farm Road, there is plenty of parking at the end of the recreation ground and if necessary, in Trafalgar House. If Court Farm Road is the only option, please ensure you do not park on the pavement or block any of our local residents in to their driveways.

### **Arrival**

- Players and officials please use the entrance between the tennis courts on Court Farm Road
- Please use the gate at the recreation ground for spectators
- Where queuing is necessary, please queue along the fence of the recreation ground, not back towards the entrance stairs and please queue 2m away from the person(s) in front of you.
- Entrance fees will be clearly advertised and where possible, we will have the option to pay by card.
- Once in, please keep the area immediately inside of the ground clear.
- Gates open at 1:30pm for Saturday games and 6:30pm for midweek games.

### **Track & Trace**

- Please use the QR code to fill in details. If this isn’t possible, we will manually take details to ensure we are complying with government track and trace responsibilities

### **Food & Drink**

- Food & drink can be purchased outside from the food hatch
- Alcohol will be served in the clubhouse
- Our clubhouse has a maximum capacity of 20 people at the moment so where possible, please use outside areas to enjoy your drink (plastic glasses can be provided)



## Areas of the ground

- We have made the decision not to block off areas of seating and are trusting spectators to socially distance correctly. The decision has been made to keep things less complicated as we do not know who is exempt from socially distanced with whom – groups of 5 people could live together for instance.
- In areas of seating, these will be limited to 30% capacity – but please use common sense. There are 3 main seating areas for spectators, so if one looks busy, help us to help you by using another one
- The lower tier seating areas are **strictly no use** for spectators, these must be kept clear for substitutes

## Facilities

- There are new toilets at the end of the stand – please limit these to one at a time and where possible, avoid queuing to not block the entrance door of the stand
- Hand sanitizer will be available at the gate, the bar, the food hatch and in all toilets
- Tunnel entrance to the stand limited to players and officials only please to ensure social distancing

So, that pretty much covers it. As we say, sorry for “rules”, hopefully this sort of thing very much becomes a thing of the past and we can get back to enjoying football matches without instructions. We know it isn't great, but please help our team of volunteers in their matchday roles. We know everyone has a different opinion on the virus, these rules etc. etc. but they're in place to help everyone so we'd appreciate support and co-operation.

**Other than that, we really hope you enjoy your stay at the Trafalgar Ground and find there are minimal things that affect your enjoyment of the football... although the actual game itself is out of our control!**

**Thanks**

**Everyone at Newhaven FC**

*\*Please note, this document has been prepared to guide spectators at the Trafalgar Ground and is very much subject to change. These guidelines have been prepared in line with government/FA instructions and form part of a wider set of instructions including risk assessments, all of which can be found at [www.newhavenfc.com](http://www.newhavenfc.com).\**

