

RWSABC COVID-19 Procedures

Bar & Clubhouse Initial Opening V2 (Beer Garden)



Opening of a 'Beer Garden' at RWSABC

Scottish Government guidance allows for the reopening of outdoors hospitality from 6 July. RWSABC expects to have a 'Beer Garden' open on Friday 10 July (5 to 8pm) and Saturday and Sunday 13 July (2 to 8pm).



Section 1

Guidance used to develop these procedures, Your Responsibilities and a Disclaimer



Before RWSABC allows Outdoor Hospitality to recommence at the Club required;

- 1) Compliance with Scottish Government Guidelines
- 2) Compliance with public health guidance,
- 3) Compliance with the Club's license conditions



Your responsibilities

Current government guidelines must all followed.

The following procedural steps are practical measures in line with Government advice and current published information to help manage the risk of the transmission of COVID-19.

If you wish to make use of the Club, then you must understand and adhere to these procedures. Failure to do so may impact on all members.



Disclaimer

The management Committee of the Club are not experts in COVID-19, so have drawn on the published guidelines and other sources to draft the guidance within this document.

We are implementing these measures to allow access but protect the Members at the same time. As we learn more or receive updated advice these procedures may change, but until that time please adhere to them in the interests of the majority.



Section 2

RWSABC Committee Procedures for Outdoor Hospitality



If you or any members of your household are suffering any symptoms of COVID-19 you should self isolate.

RWSABC instructs you not to come down to the Club if you (or a member of your household) are unwell in any way.



Use of the Beer Garden will be for **MEMBERS AND THEIR HOUSEHOLDS ONLY** at all times:

- Maximum size of a group is limited to 4,
- Maximum of 3 households in any one group,
- Physical distancing of 2m from other households must be maintained at all times.



What you need to bring with you to enjoy the beer garden under our procedures

- Bring your own pen to sign everyone in your party in and out (this is a requirement of the Scottish Government Test and Protect programme)
- Bring your bank or credit card as we want you to pay by card



Before you even go down the stairs to use the Beer Garden, check that there is space available for you and your party to have a seat



- A. At all times be aware that the Esplanade is a public right of way and practise social distancing.
- B. Access to & from the Beer Garden is via the external stairs from the Esplanade, to the left of the front door. The ramp is ONLY for use by Members accessing boats. The front door of the Club will be locked and should not be used at any time.
- C. There are hand sanitizing stations available on the grounds and you are asked to make use of them as frequently.
- D. There will be seating laid out in the garden. No additional seating is to be brought into this area. If there are no seats available, then you will need to wait until someone leaves.
- E. There is a one-way system for accessing the bar.
 - Access is via the passageway under the front door and up external balcony stairs to the West Fire Door, then in the small door adjacent.
 - Egress is out the large door next to the bar, across the hall and down the rear fire escape stairs.



- F. Only one person in your group should go to the bar, we will have trays available for them to carry the drinks to the tables
- G. All doors to be left open at all times that the bar is open
- H. Adhere to the 2m spacing indicated on the approach route to the bar.
- I. Please sign in everyone in your party, clearly indicating the time of arrival and, if possible, the time of departure. This is part of the Scottish Government Test & Protect process. The book will be available on top of the piano. Use your own pen that you have brought with you.
- J. The bar will only be using plastic glasses at this time to minimise potential contamination and the need for the staff to circulate amongst Members.
- K. We request that you use debit or credit cards to pay at the bar. We want to minimise the use of cash, so ask politely that if you need to use cash make sure it is as close to the correct amount as possible and do not expect change.



- F. Toilets are available but we would request that you minimise your use of them. They are to be used on a one in - one out basis. There is antiseptic spray in each available cubicle that should be used on any surface touched after use.
- Gents are to use the existing facility
 - Ladies will be using the toilet in the Ladies changing rooms
 - Staff ONLY in the Ladies Powder Room upstairs
- L. Under no circumstance is any member of the public to be given access to the toilets.
- M. The Snooker Room & Member's Lounge are not to be accessed at this time and no seating to be used internally.
- N. There is antiseptic spray on each table that should be used on any hard surface on arrival & departure.
- O. Used plastic should be deposited in the appropriate wheelie bins before departing.



YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES

If you wish to make use of the Club, then you must understand and adhere to the procedures set out here.

Failure to do so may impact on all members.



Section 3

RWSABC Committee Procedures for Outdoor Hospitality in the form of 'Things you cannot do'



Things you cannot do (1 of 3)

- Come down to the Royal West if you or someone in your household is unwell
- Be in a group larger than 4 persons
- Be in a group made up of more than 3 households
- Invite people that are not RWSABC Members unless they are in your household
- Enter unless you have checked that there is space in the beer garden for you and your group
- Enter by the ramp, (use the stairs to the left of the main door)
- Enter the upstairs unless you go in the West Fire Door off the balcony
- Send more than one person to get your drinks



Things you cannot do (2 of 3)

- Neglect to use the provided hand sanitizer on a regular basis
- Ignore the one way system in place for entering and exiting the Clubhouse
- Neglect to sign in all members of your group with time of arrival
- Neglect to sign out all members of your group with time of departure
- Neglect to maintain at least 2m distance from all persons at all times unless they are a member of your household
- Pay with cash unless you either have exact change or don't expect any change back
- Neglect to spray down the seats and tables in the beer garden upon arrival
- Neglect to use the designated toilets on a one in / one out basis



Things you cannot do (3 of 3)

- Use the toilets except on one in – one out basis
- Neglect to use the antiseptic spray after you have used the toilet
- Move tables or seats in the beer garden
- Add tables or seats into the beer garden
- Neglect to spray down the seats and tables in the beer garden when departing
- Neglect to dispose of your plastic cups and rubbish in the wheelie bins provided when departing
- Play snooker or go into the Snooker Room
- Use the Member's Lounge



Remember R.W.S.A.B.C

Read the guidance before you come down

Wash or sanitize your hands, table & chairs when you arrive

Survive your visit to the Club without catching anything

Again, wash or sanitize your hands, table & chairs before leaving

Beat it promptly when you are finished, someone else may want your table

Covid-19 has no cure, so stick to the procedures



You can find a PDF
version of these
procedures at

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