



Bishops Cleeve Colts FC

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CHARTER STANDARD
COMMUNITY CLUB

June Covid-19 Restart Guidance

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BCC FC Covid-19 Restart Risk Assessment: <https://www.bishopscleevecolts.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/20200605-Covid-19-Training-Restart-Risk-Assessment-v3.pdf>

FA Covid-19 Restart Guidelines: <http://www.gloucestershirefa.com/news/2020/jun/12/new-guidance-documents-issued-for-re-starting-football-activity-during-covid-19>

This guidance doesn't replace our risk assessment or the FA Guidelines, it is about our particular facilities arrangements.

Sportsfield Access

Sportsfield access arranged for 09:00 thru 14:00 Saturdays and Sundays. 5 x 1 hour slots each day. For approx. 45 minute sessions including arrival and departure. 6 Teams per 1 hour slot would accommodate 30 teams.

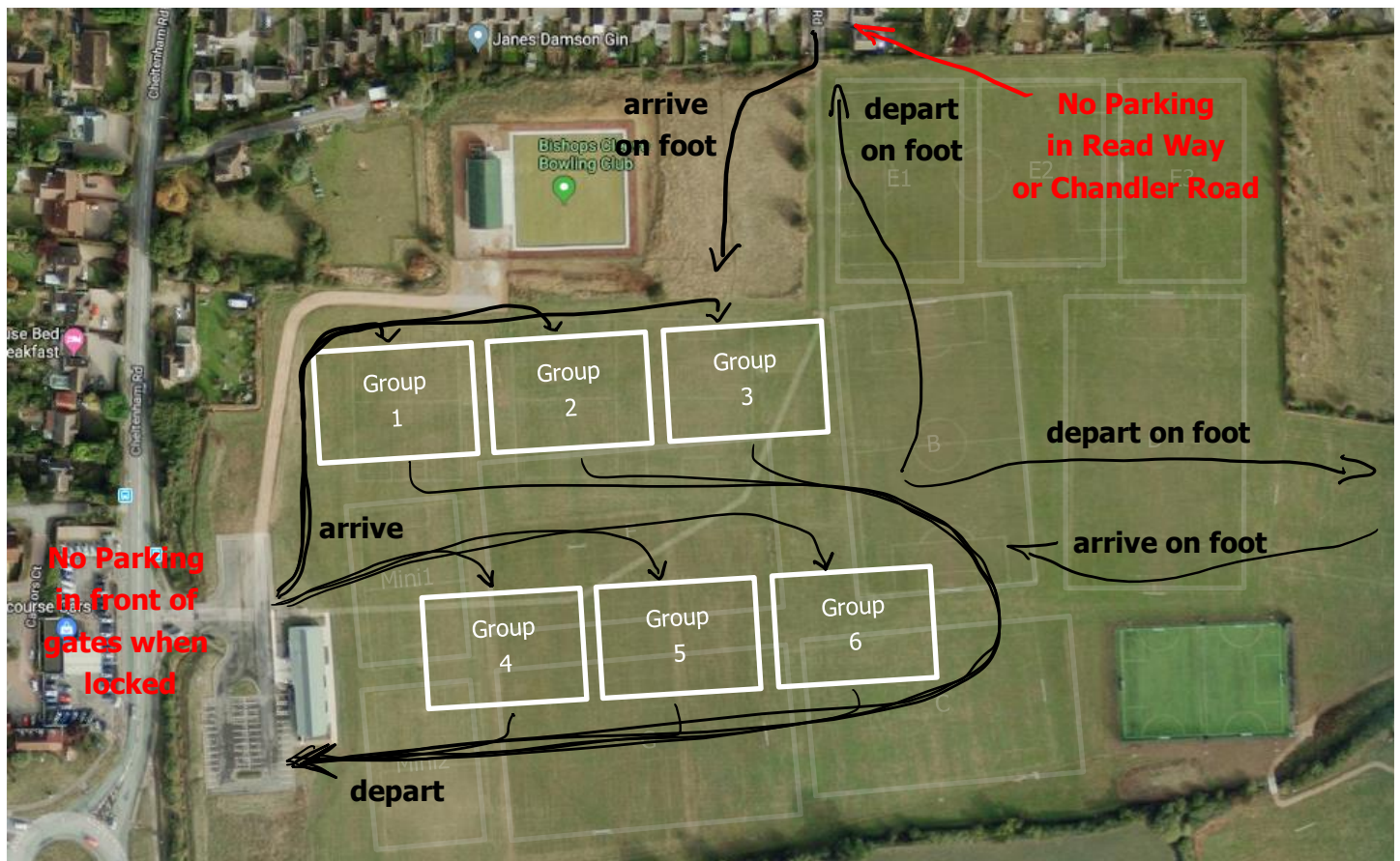
No use of Kayte Lane BC FC car park and Astroturf bridge yet. BC FC space still available all week at £15 per session – see BC FC Chair David Walker separately. At least three teams separately arranged to use Kayte Lane BC FC space – co-ordinated separately.

Assuming 8 Players/2 Coaches + 6 Parents per group – total BCC FC Sportsfield users in 1 hour would be 96 people, likely around 40 cars. Car park is circa 60-70 cars, so some spacing between vehicles would be possible.

Should be space for distancing, but during arrival/departure, encourage the movement routes below to avoid contra-flow either side of the pavilion and around the field. Encourage Parents/Players to arrive and depart within the hour.

Some may arrive on foot via side gate, Kayte Lane, or BC FC. Large open space ought to make this no issue.

The toilet block will not be open – hence the shorter sessions. Do not use goal mouth areas – they are still recovering from the winter rain. Avoid heavy use pitch areas (centre circles). Leave space for other Sportsfield users to pass through. Avoid top of field area by cemetery – it is still pocked with rabbit holes. Suggested arrangement of groups across the sportsfield shown below.



No use of playground or gym equipment is permitted.

Do not use the Bowling Club Car Park.

Teams must pick up and take away any litter created – do not use the bins on site – they will not be emptied regularly.



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Training Area and Session

Coaches to collect hand sanitizer, disposable CPR mask, and copy of risk assessment, guidance and site emergency plan from club secretary. Read the club risk assessment for returning to training and follow the guidance in the risk assessment and the FA guidance. Remember, and remind attendees that Stay Alert guidelines still apply.

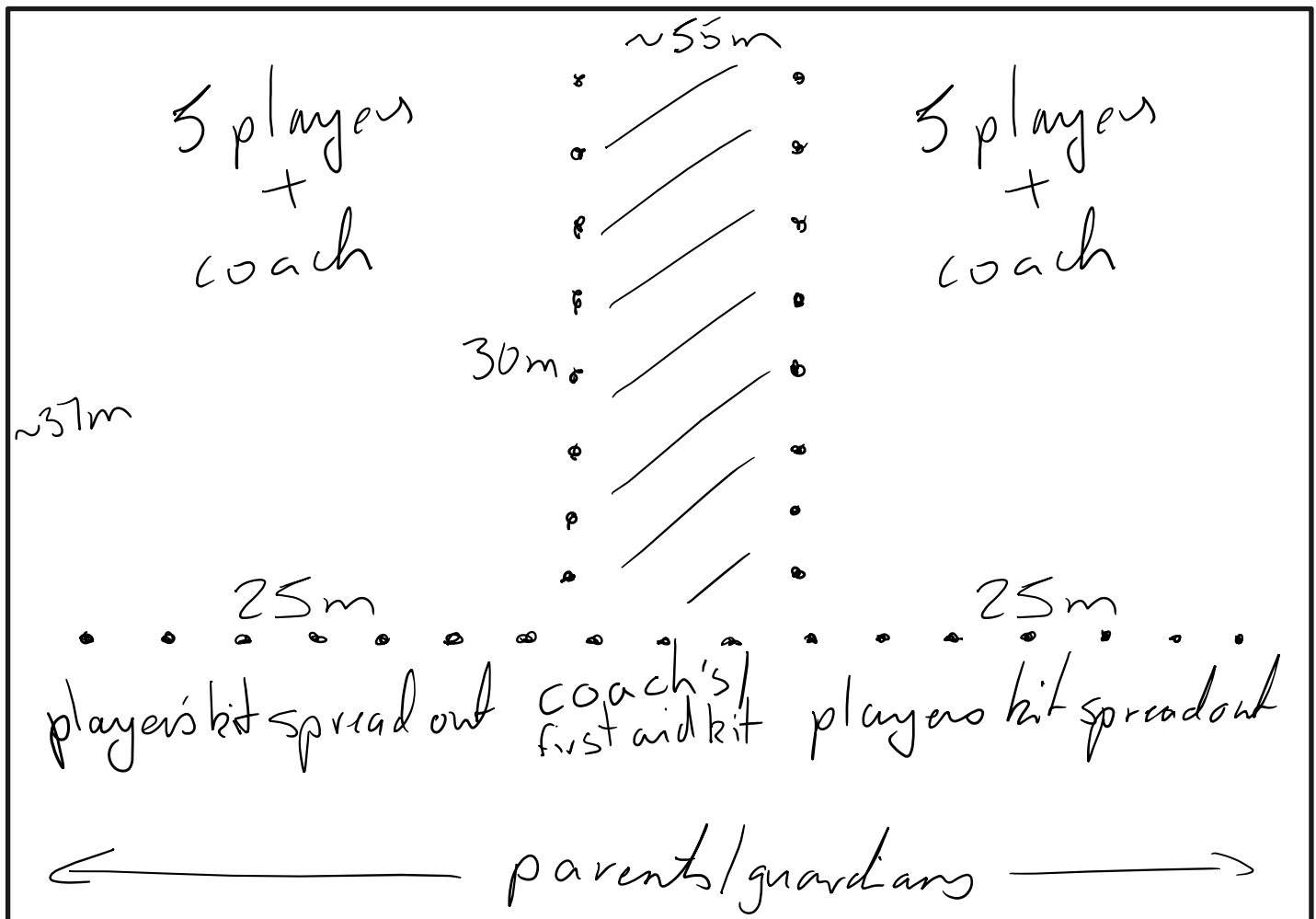
Group area approximately 7v7 pitch size (60y x 40y, or 55m x 37m). Assuming 2 sets of 6 (5 players plus 1 coach).

Mark a safe space for parents to wait with player equipment (drink, medication, personal hand sanitiser) and room to distance, and so that players don't have to cross other areas to get there.

Get parents to stay, particularly for U11s and below. Get parents to fasten laces, deal with minor first aid issues. Coaches will we assume still engage in a serious emergency. Remember the on-site AED. Encourage parents to bring personal hand sanitizer for themselves and players.

There cannot be any games involving contact. Avoid practices involving handling the balls or equipment. Per usual coaching guidance, mark the training area. The sportsfield is large, but if every group uses spreads further, distancing will be hard to control.

The layout below is only a suggestion. Each group of 6 ends up with almost a 5v5 pitch of space for fitness, skills or passing practices. Suitable alternatives are welcome. If a team has 3 coaches or parent helpers to work with players, perhaps 3 sets of 6 could be accommodated by extending the pattern. Consider the groups around you, they'll need space too.



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