

How we keep safe at Colets Camp

At Colets camp, the safety and welfare of everyone is still our number one priority. As the government rules have relaxed with COVID, we have ensured we have kept measures in place to keep everyone as safe as possible whilst ensuring the children are having as much fun taking part in all our fun activities.

Our Camps

It is the responsibility of everyone to ensure that they do not attend camp if they have and/or are displaying any symptoms of COVID-19. Equally, no one should attend camp if they have been contacted by NHS Track and Trace and told to self-isolate after a close contact unless one of the following apply:

- They have been fully vaccinated
- They are below the age of 18 years and 6 months
- They have taken part in or currently part of an approved COVID-19 vaccine trial
- They are not able to get vaccinated for medical reasons

Camp capacities

We have increased our camp capacities back to full capacity but now ensuring we use two different base rooms. We will make use of our brilliant outdoor areas wherever possible.

Hygiene & Enhanced Cleaning Measures

Hand sanitiser will be available at the signing and out area for children and parents to use when they arrive or depart camp. We also have access to hand sanitisers around the club and soap is readily available in all toilet and sink areas.

Enhanced cleaning regimes are implemented by our teams daily

Children & Parents

It is the responsibility of everyone to ensure that they do not attend camp if they have and/or are displaying any symptoms of COVID-19.

Masks & PPE

We do not require the children to wear masks and only encourage our parents to do so in crowded and enclosed spaces where it is difficult to socially distance.

Group sizes of up to 24 children

We are operating groups of up to maximum 32 children and 4 Camp Leaders whilst maintaining our ratios of 1:8 (4-7yrs old) and 1:12 (over 8's). We will minimise mixing of children from different groups where we can.

Swimming

Swimming returned in the summer and is available on the programme daily (maybe on less days during specific dates). We will ensure the children are changing in their club rooms to reduce mixing in the busy changing room areas at the swimming pool.

Contactless sign in and sign out

We will be operating a contactless free Sign In/Out procedure, our supervisors will sign your children in on your behalf but we will need to know who is collecting and may have to show ID proof.

Our Teams

It is the responsibility of all employees that they do not attend camp if they have and/or are displaying any symptoms of COVID-19.

COVID Testing

Our teams will take a COVID Lateral Flow Test (LFT) **twice a week** giving us the very earliest indication if any member of our team has possibly contracted COVID-19. All test results will be logged and recorded in line with Government requirements.

Masks & PPE

Our teams are no longer required to wear facemasks, they are encouraged to wear face masks in crowded and enclosed areas where social distancing is difficult, this includes public transport to and from work.

For more close-contact care, including first aid, our teams have access to disposable aprons, masks and gloves.

Isolation

Current government advice is that children under 18 years old and adults that have been double vaccinated do not need to isolate if they have been in contact with a person who has tested positive for coronavirus. This would mean that if a child/ staff member at our Colets Camp tested positive for coronavirus, the other children as they are under 18 and staff (those who are double vaccinated) do not have to isolate and we will not have to close as we did previously. All families will be notified of any case of coronavirus and it will be the choice of the parent/carer if you wish your child to

continue attending. If someone in your household has tested positive for coronavirus, and your child cannot sufficiently isolate from that person in the household, then we ask for you to keep your child off from camp for the isolation period to ensure we keep our staff and other children safe. We also will have the same advice in place for our staff. If anyone in one of our members of staff household tests positive and cannot sufficiently isolate from that person then they will be required to isolate for the isolation period.

Please note, we will however deal with each case individually and have every right to refuse a child to come into Colets Camp if we feel there is a risk of the spread of Covid.

**If you have any further questions about health and safety then please email
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