



# LENHAM WANDERERS FOOTBALL CLUB

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Affiliated to the KentFA

## Covid19 Risk Assessment

Lenham Wanderers FC (the club), are affiliated to the Kent FA and throughout this pandemic have always followed the guidance issued by the Kent FA regarding Covid19.

The latest guidance is here; [https://www.thefa.com/news/2021/mar/24/fa-guidance-for-return-to-grassroots-football-20210324?sc\\_src=email\\_1049352&sc\\_lid=74745768&sc\\_uid=FniXOnfpBi&sc\\_lid=25575](https://www.thefa.com/news/2021/mar/24/fa-guidance-for-return-to-grassroots-football-20210324?sc_src=email_1049352&sc_lid=74745768&sc_uid=FniXOnfpBi&sc_lid=25575)

Below is a risk assessment (RA) created by the club based on our tasks for carrying out football activities for training purposes only. The RA uses a 5x5 matrix to score each task, this is explained on **page 3**.

Further details can be found on the;

Club website <http://www.lenhamwanderersfc.co.uk/>

The FA <http://www.thefa.com/about-football-association/covid-19>

Operation/Task:	General Operations and player training	Members at Risk:	Players, Coaches, Parents, Visitors, Volunteers	
Club/Location:	Lenham Wanders FC at the William Pitt Field	Other Persons at Risk:	Contractors, members of the public	
Date of this Assessment	June 2020, revised July 2020, revised March 2021	Date of Next Review	July 2021	
Assessed by: (Name / Signature)	Name / Signature	Name / Signature	Name / Signature	
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Activity	Hazard(s)	Risk(s)	Pre-Control Risk Ratings			Control Measures	Post Control Risk Ratings		
			1*	2**	1×2		1*	2**	1×2
General Operations within the Changing room building.	COVID-19 Coronavirus	Contracting the Virus - Person to Person	5	3	15	<p>Social Distancing – Ensuring all areas are set up and controlled to enable all persons to maintain 2 metres separation. Where separation is not possible the activity shall be subject to a further risk assessment, prior authorisation from the committee. Posters displayed reminding of the need to maintain social distancing measures, with regular monitoring of adherence by all club members. <b>Refer to the guidance “COVID-19 Social Distancing” on club website.</b></p> <p>Hand Washing – Ensure suitable facilities for frequent hand washing or availability of hand sanitising gel. Facility in place to clean hands on entry and exit to changing room. Posters displayed reminding of need to regularly clean hands.</p> <p>PPE –. Masks to prevent spreading of virus – People may choose to wear face masks to help prevent the spread of the virus. These should be provided by the individual. Disposable gloves are available for Coaches and members of the club.</p>	3	3	9
General Operations within the Changing room building.	COVID-19 Coronavirus	Contracting the Virus – Contact with Surfaces	4	3	12	<p>General Cleaning – Cleaning and disinfecting objects and surfaces that are touched regularly, particularly in areas of high use such as door handles, light switches, reception area etc. using appropriate cleaning products.</p> <p>Waste Management – All items of waste that have been touched or worn shall be placed in a sealed bin bag and then removed from the changing room building.</p> <p><b>Refer to the guidance “COVID-19 Cleaning and Disinfection” for frequency and further information.</b></p>	2	3	6
Members of the public using the field.	COVID-19 Coronavirus	Contracting the Virus	5	3	15	<p>The William Pitt field is a public space. Any member of the club should follow the social distancing rules.</p> <p><b>Refer to the guidance “COVID-19 Social Distancing” on club website.</b></p>	2	3	6

Cleaning of training equipment	COVID-19 Coronavirus	Contracting the Virus Surface - person	4	5	20	Cleaning equipment has been made available for all coaches, players. Parents are advised to bring own sanitiser. <b>Refer to guidance “COVID-19 Cleaning and Disinfection and COVID- 19 Training session”</b>	2	3	6
Training session	COVID-19 Coronavirus	Contracting the Virus Person - person	4	5	20	<b>Refer to guidance “COVID-19 Cleaning and Disinfection and COVID- 19 Training session”.</b>  <b>Further info - FA Guidance</b> <a href="http://www.thefa.com/about-football-association/covid-19">http://www.thefa.com/about-football-association/covid-19</a>	2	3	6

#### Severity x Likelihood = Risk Rating

	SEVERITY**				
LIKELIHOOD*	1. Very Low	2. Low	3. Medium	4. High	5. Very High
1. Very Unlikely	1 – Low	2 – Low	3 – Low	4 – Low	5 – Medium
2. Unlikely	2 – Low	4 – Low	6 – Medium	8 – Medium	10 – Medium
3. Possible	3 – Low	6 – Medium	9 – Medium	12 – Medium	15 – High
4. Likely	4 – Low	8 – Medium	12 – Medium	16 – High	20 – High
5. Very Likely	5 – Medium	10 – Medium	15 – High	20 – High	25 - High

LIKELIHOOD		SEVERITY		RISK RATING (Likelihood * Severity)	
Very Unlikely	Not Deemed Possible	Very Low	Hurt Pride	1 – 4	LOW – No further action required but review annually.
Unlikely	Not Foreseeable	Low	Minor, No Treatment		
Possible	Foreseeable	Medium	First Aid Injury	5 – 12	MEDIUM – Controlled but Continually Monitor & Review.
Likely	Highly Probable	High	Recordable Injury		
Very Likely	Inevitable, Will Happen	Very High	Fatality	15 – 25	HIGH – STOP Further controls are required.