LIMPSFIELD LAWN TENNIS CLUB

GENERAL BYE-LAWS

Membership

- 1. All regular users of The Limpsfield Lawn Tennis Club ("the Club") facilities (including social entities) must have a current membership.
- 2. A subscription for a Family+3 shall include not more than two members aged 23 and over.
- 3. Junior Members may introduce a Guest only for the purpose of playing tennis, squash, racketball, badminton or table tennis.

Children

- 4. Members and Guests who bring children to the Club must ensure that their children:
 - 4.1 are aware of Club etiquette around all areas of the Club;
 - 4.2 do not cause disruption or distraction to play;
 - 4.3 behave appropriately in the bar area;
 - 4.4 are properly supervised in the changing rooms; and
 - 4.5 use the appropriate male / female changing rooms if unaccompanied by an adult.
 - 4.6 children over the age of 6 must use gender specific changing rooms.
- 5. Unless attending a sporting or social event at which children may be present, children under 14 are not permitted to be in the Clubroom:
 - 5.1 after 6pm between 1 October and 31 March; and
 - 5.2 after 8pm between 1 April and 30 September.

Food and Drink

- 6. No food is to be taken onto any Court or into the Gym
- 7. No drinks other than water or energy drinks are to be taken onto any Court or into the Gym. All drinks must be in a suitable sports container.
- 8. Members or Guests may not consume their own food or drink (with the exception of water or energy drinks) on the Club premises unless they have obtained special permission to do so from the Club Managers.
- 9. No chewing gum is to be consumed on any Court or in the Gym.

Mobile phones and other electronic devices

- 10. Mobile phones must be switched to silent on any Court or in the Gym when they may only be used to make or receive non-verbal communication (e.g. text messages and emails).
- 11. Where mobile phones, tablets, ipads or laptops may be used, this usage must not cause a distraction or disturbance to other Club users.

Smoking

- 12. Smoking is not permitted on any court, viewing area or in the Clubhouse.
- 13. Smokers (including the use of electronic cigarettes) are required to show due consideration to other Club users and particularly children.

Bicycles and scooters

14. Bicycles & Scooters may not be taken into the Club grounds beyond the confines of the car park.

Dogs

- 15. Dogs must be kept on a lead and properly controlled.
- 16. Dogs which are under control and which do not pose a nuisance by causing damage, distraction or disturbance to other Club uses are permitted on Club premises.
- 17. Dogs or other pets are not allowed on any court.

Club Management

- 18. Only the Club Managers shall give instructions to any of the Club Staff. All complaints, suggestions and other observations should be made to the Club Managers.
- 19. Only notices authorised by the Club Managers may be displayed at the Club on the notice boards or elsewhere as the Club Managers may direct or permit.
- 20. Neither the Club nor its Officers (which includes Committee members) accept any responsibility for property left on the premises.
- 21. Any litter should be placed in the litterbins provided.

Rules

- 22. If the Club rules or bye-laws are not being observed, any Club Official or Committee member has authority to ask a Member and/or Guest, if appropriate, to stop play and leave the court or Club premises.
- 23. Any question arising under these bye-laws, not already provided for, shall be referred to the Club Manager, whose decision shall be final until such time as the question is referred to the Management Committee or the Main Committee or a General Meeting if so called under Rule 5 of the Club Rules.

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