



## MARCH 2021 CLUB UPDATE

Hello Everyone

Good news we hope! For the second time in less than a year we are now able to plan a return to netball! Wow, what a year it has been! Thank you all so much for your continued support of the club, without you it wouldn't be possible. So, providing that the government roadmap stays as communicated we are looking to restart netball week commencing the 12 April. We're so excited to get back on court and hope that you all are too!

### Training Update

Day	Start	Finish	Year Groups	Location	Head Coach
Monday	17:00	18:30	Year 6	Southlands	Ian Jones
Monday	18:30	20:00	Year 7	Southlands	Rachel Critchley
Tuesday	17:00	18:00	Reception, Y1, Y2 & Y3	Southlands	Darcey Parr
Tuesday	18:00	19:30	Years 8/9	Southlands	Darcey Parr
Tuesday	19:30	21:00	Years 10/11+	Southlands	Darcey Parr
Wednesday	17:00	18:30	Year 4	Southlands	Rachel Critchley
Wednesday	18:30	20:00	Year 5	Southlands	Rachel Critchley

You will see that we have made changes to a couple of the sessions to continue the development of our coaches and players. We are pleased to say that Darcey Parr will now be looking after our early years primary children, in addition to carrying on the great work she has done with our high school year groups. This gives Rachel Critchley and Ian Jones the chance to focus on our KS2 and Year 7 groups where they have had amazing success! Darcey, Ian and Rachel will continue to be supported by Debbie Rypel, Julie Strange, Morgan Newton and Nicola McIntyre who have given fantastic support throughout a challenging year of on/off training.

### Competitive Netball

We are also hopeful that the Bury and Leland leagues will restart around the same time. All matches and updates will be shared by your coaches on the relevant team Heja app. Please make sure to check these in the weeks leading up to our return. If you have any questions or queries about this please reach out to your lead coach.

## **COVID-19 Update**

The guidelines for our return to netball remain the same as before Christmas. We still need to adhere to social distancing measures and the rule modifications introduced in Autumn 2020. There will be no change to these until the 21 June 2021 according to the timelines we have seen. As a reminder to everyone here are the rules and guidelines we have adopted to keep everyone safe:

### **Prior to Training and Matches**

- Wash yours and your children's hands
- Car sharing should be avoided if possible
- All players should arrive changed and ready to play
- Maintain social distancing in and around the venues/sports hall and parking areas
- A child can not play if:-
- Any person, or anyone in the house, has had a confirmed case of Covid-19 in the last 14 days
- If anyone in your house, has had any Covid-19 symptoms in the last 14 days (a dry persistent cough; raised temperature; sore throat; loss of smell and taste or other symptoms)
- If the person, or anyone in the house, is in a higher risk group/shielding (e.g. have cancer or an immune-suppressing condition)
- If anyone in the house, is in self-isolation due to exposure to Covid-19
- Please send your child with a non-fizzy drink in a clearly named/labelled drinks bottle

### **During Training Sessions and Matches**

- Parents can escort their child to the session but, cannot stay and watch
- Parents/careers must not congregate before or after the sessions
- **We will have hand sanitiser available and we will give to the girls before the training or game starts and will sanitise the players and equipment during the sessions**

### **After Training**

- Wash hands after any netball activity
- Maintain social distancing around the venues/sports hall and outside spaces
- Shower on returning home
- If you show any signs of the Covid-19 symptoms after training then please notify your coach immediately

## **Volunteers**

You may have seen from our updates on Facebook over the last week or so we are looking for new volunteers to help us. In order to succeed and continue to grow and develop the club we are always in need of people to offer their time to support our existing team. This can be in the form of assisting as a Team Manager, volunteering to help the committee or, if you have the enthusiasm, training to be one of our coaching team. Without the unwavering support of our coaches and committee we would not be where we are today and we are so grateful for everything they do. If you or anyone else you know would like to get involved or even just to find out a bit more about how they might help then please do get in touch at: [chorleyinfernonetballclub@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:chorleyinfernonetballclub@hotmail.co.uk).

## **Club Committee**

As a reminder, our current committee members are :

Chair - Nicola McIntyre  
Vice Chair & Kit Manager - Kim Power  
Treasurer - Clare Quin  
Secretary - Vicky Hetherington  
Safeguarding Officer - Michelle Eastham

If you have any questions, queries or concerns (or even if you just want a chat!) please reach out to your coach or a member of the committee via the Heja app or club e-mail.

We're so excited to welcome you all back and hope that everything stays the same so we can see you very soon!

Take care

**Your Inferno Team**