



MEMBERS NEWSLETTER

31st July 2020 COVID-19 Face Mask Requirements

The Premier of Victoria, Daniel Andrews, announced that people in regional Victoria would now be required to wear face coverings when in public. This will be in effect as of midnight Sunday 2nd August 2020.

Mansfield Golf Club is obliged to strictly follow this requirement. Given the State has mandated that everyone **MUST** wear a mask when leaving their home, this will be reflected by the Club. The wearing of a face covering applies to all areas of our property including the car park, Pro-Shop, bathrooms and, unfortunately the **golf course**. It is expected that all members and visitors will abide by this directive.

There are very few exceptions to the requirement which include:

- Infants and children under the age of 12 years
- A person who is affected by a relevant medical condition preventing them from effectively wearing a mask.

Face masks may be removed TEMPORARILY when:

- Directed by police to remove the face covering to ascertain identity.
- The person is travelling in a vehicle by themselves or with other members of their household.
- Consuming food, drink, medication or when smoking/vaping.
- During emergencies.

So, in summary, **No mask, No entry onto Club property, No play.**

Any deviation from this due to medical reasons will need to be directed via the Club to the Board and approved **IN ADVANCE** of any member entering the property.

Please don't lose perspective. The Club is following the rules, not making them. Keep in mind that what we can currently do in Mansfield is a long way better than in Melbourne. Keep your guard up and stay safe.

Brad Grant – President