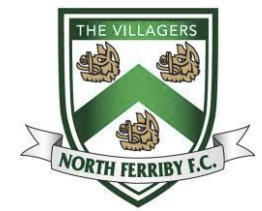




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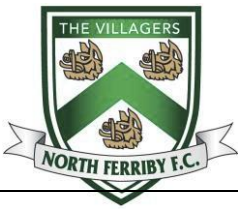


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RA02 COVID-19 Ground Capacity risk assessment

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BACKGROUND <p>A Coronavirus pandemic has affected the globe with the virus sweeping across many countries and bringing normal working and civilian life to an almost stand still.</p> <p>Transmitted primarily by aerosol, the virus can be transmitted by inhaling vapour containing the virus, or by transferring it by touching the face and into the mouth from surfaces. This risk assessment will attempt to consider all the issues faced in the Ground at North Ferriby Football Club, using the guidance from the FA, the SGSA and the Government and implement control measures that will help to protect the spectators, volunteers and employees from the risk of transference.</p> <p>At the time of the writing of this risk assessment, NORTH FERRIBY FOOTBALL CLUB Ltd was closed to the public and has been since March 2020 lockdown period.</p> <p>A maximum of 150 spectators have been announced as being allowed as being able to return to grounds from 22nd August, rising to 300 from 1st September.</p> <p>This risk assessment is for COVID-19 MATCHDAY CAPACITY PROVISIONS FOR THE SPECTATORS, only and should be used in conjunction with the site-specific covid-19 risk assessment RA01, documented risk assessment WHICH HAS BEEN PREPARED SEPERATELY.</p>		

Assessment of Risk			What Further action is required			
Hazard/Harm arising	Person at risk	Existing Control Measure[s] (What is in place to reduce or stop the risk/ hazard)	Additional control measures needed (Does anything else need to be done?)	Actioned by whom?	Date	Complete
Other COVID provisions – Lack of compliance and Risk assessment notification resulting in regulatory intervention.	Team, Club Officials, staff and spectators	REFER TO PREVIOUS AND ALTERNATIVE COVID RISK ASSESSMENT		NFFC chairman and Safety officer	Ongoing as guidance Changes.	



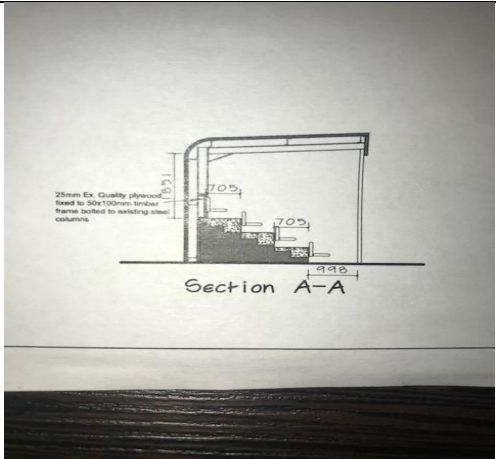
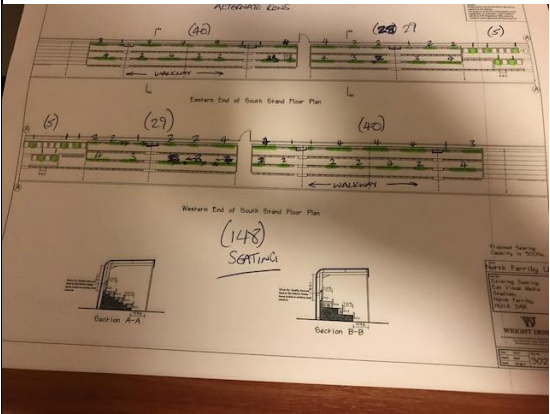
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<p>Social distancing and traffic flow measures - Failing to manage the flow of traffic and social distancing could lead to exposure of customers and staff and also breach government requirements of distancing</p>	<p>Staff Customers and visitors</p>	<p>Government restrictions are in place for social distancing which may differ from other sites. At the time of writing this RA, the following Government restrictions are in place and the season has not begun.</p> <p>Where 2m social distancing cannot be achieved, a distance of 1m + mitigation may be used. https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/review-of-two-metre-social-distancing-guidance/review-of-two-metre-social-distancing-guidance</p> <p>Within Government guidance, mitigation counts as - <i>One-way system, exit row-by-row, spaced queuing, increased ventilation</i> <i>Pre-book, pre-pay (only if required)</i> <i>Effective test and trace (used for the bar area when signing in and with the teams and visiting officials).</i></p>	<p>For full details of seat mapping and capacity calculations see the addendum to this risk assessment.</p> <p>The FA projected capacity reductions is to be around 1/3 of normal capacity, but could also be a dictated number based upon the recent announcement as described previously.</p> <p>NFFC is a 3000-capacity reduced to 2300 for the purposes of the ground safety Certificate. 1/3 represents - 766 available viewing positions. The SEAT MAPPING exercise will identify the available standing and seating positions in the ground for the purposes of tickets sales and the implementation of safe and Social distanced positioning.</p> 	<p>NFFC chairman and Safety officer</p>	<p>Ongoing as guidance Changes.</p>	
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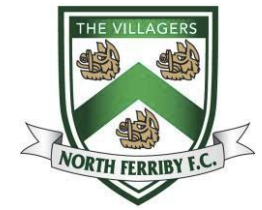
<p>Social distancing instruction and calculations.</p> <p>Failing to provide adequate distancing in seating areas will breach Government and FA guidelines to social distancing.</p>	<p>Staff Customer s and visitors</p>	<p>North Ferriby Football Club is following the guidelines of the FA and the SGSA “planning for social distancing in sports grounds” in respect to working out static seating positions and terrace spectator viewing.</p> <p>NFFC are keen to optimise all seating positions as possible to ensure that maximum attendance can be achieved for revenue purposes.</p> <p>As this stands and under the guidance of the SGSA draft guidance the following calculations and seating maps are laid out under the guidance sections of FIGURE SG02 1 Methods for measurement for 1.0m social distancing.</p> <p><i>Method 1 applies to people whether sitting walking or standing.</i></p> <p>FIGURE SG02 2 SEAT ALLOCATION EXAMPLES – every row will be used to map the NFFC stand and work out standing in the remaining terrace and open stands.</p> <p><u>A separate calculation on alternate rows will be developed too for consideration.</u></p> <p>Applied to each seat will be signage to denote if in use or not.</p> <p>A RED CROSS will denote if the seat is NOT available.</p> <p>A GREEN TICK will denote if the seat IS available.</p> <p>Stadium staff will be able to marshal and advise spectators on taking seats and checking only available and safe seats are taken.</p>	<p>Method One</p> <p>Under this method, the circle used for calculation and planning purposes is 1.0m diameter, centred on the body, regardless of whether it applies to people seated, standing or walking.</p> <p>The dotted inner circles represent average widths of 500mm for people seated, and 600mm for people standing or walking (thereby taking into consideration side-to-side movement).</p> <p>The Method One circles both equate to approx 0.8 m² per person and result in a socially distanced side-to-side space of approx 500mm between two people sitting and approx 400mm between two people standing.</p> <p>Method Two</p> <p>Under this method, the circle used for calculation and planning purposes takes into account the</p> <p>Method one will be used measuring from the head positioning a 1m diameter, this makes for 500mm distance to the outer circle, which in the ground accounts for 2 seats side to side.</p> <p>One solution for the 500 seats to maximise usage and to assess for groups and single/dual seating of groups is to work on 4 seat/ 2 set seat where possible, this will leave odd seats of singular nature to account for lone spectators.</p> <p>Figure SG02 2 Seat allocation examples – Method One, every row</p> <p>The examples here illustrate some of the consequences of 1.0m social distancing for a block of 224 seats containing 8 rows, using Method One (as explained in Figure SG02 1 and Section SG02 2.2) and allocating seats in every row. The examples should be viewed in conjunction with Figure 25 in the Guide (seating row depth and seat dimensions).</p> <p>The examples are for illustrative purposes only. Management must check the dimensions for each seated area and assess how best to balance the need to (a) mitigate health risks, for example from spectators brushing past each other on seat rows and in gangways, and (b) adopting new management procedures, with (c) the desire to optimise occupancy.</p> <p>It is emphasised that capacity assessments arrived at after optimising seat allocations will be permitted only if it can be shown that the entry, exit and emergency exit capacities and, where applicable, the concourse capacity can support such numbers when social distancing is in place.</p> <p>Method One: Example 1 (shown)</p> <p>A review of the capacity for using alternative rows or every row is detailed in the South stand section of the risk assessment.</p>	<p>NFFC chairman and Safety officer</p>	<p>Ongoing as guidance Changes.</p>
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<p>Social distancing and traffic flow measures – Failing to ensure social distancing will contribute to increased COVID risk.</p> <p>NORTH STAND</p>	<p>Staff Customers and visitors</p>	<p>The North stand is where the entrance to the Ground is situated. This area incorporates the toilets, club shop and the food outlets, before narrowing and entrance to the disabled viewing areas and the club house is found. The left side of the dugouts have spectator standing areas.</p> <p>The following calculations on positional spacing, based on the 1m zonal diagrams are as follows.</p> <p><u>Wheelchair bays and carers –</u> Normally 6 positions with 6 carers COVID spacing – 3 wheelchairs with 1m and 3 carers against the walls or in close proximity. Total = 6 persons</p> <p><u>Left side –</u> Approx 39m length with 2.5m wide walkway, 1 person every meter on the rail and 1 person against the wall with central walkway, makes for 2 people deep – <u>Total = 78 people</u></p> <p><u>Right side/ entrance –</u> Directly in front of the “chuck wagon” distanced away from the entrance to the toilets and the club shop and catering is room for a section of 3 deep with 1m distancing to the rail extending 37m towards the entrance area from the disabled seating area. <u>Total = 111 capacity</u></p> <p>Each walkway runs on a one way system to increase stadium safety.</p> <p><u>Total North stand capacity under COVID = 195 spectators</u></p>		<p>NFFC chairman and Safety officer</p>	<p>Ongoing as guidance Changes.</p>	
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<p>Social distancing and traffic flow measures – Failing to ensure social distancing will contribute to increased COVID risk.</p> <p>EAST and WEST STAND</p>	<p>Staff Customer s and visitors</p>	<p>The East and West Stands have 2 levels which measure 80m in length and approx. 1.2m per level. For distancing under COVID where 4 deep would usually be in place, only 1 person deep on each level will be used to create a distanced walkway around the ground.</p> <p>80 x 2 persons = 160 per side <u>Total = 320 persons on both sides</u></p>		<p>NFFC chairman and Safety officer</p>	<p>Ongoing as guidance Changes.</p>	
<p>Social distancing and traffic flow measures – Failing to ensure social distancing will contribute to increased COVID risk.</p> <p>SOUTH STAND Terracing and SEATING calculations</p>	<p>Staff Customer s and visitors</p>	<p>As per the previous section on distancing in seating areas, the following calculations are made in line with the guidance of the SGSA options.</p> <p><u>TERRACING -</u> 2 sets of terracing exist on both sides of the covered stand. 14.5m long for each they have 7 rows (including back ledge) which distance at 1 every 3 rows so, 3 standing positions rows. Each side will allow for 40 persons per side. <u>TOTAL TERRACE – 80 PAX</u></p> <p>This approach however allows for a clear correlation to the SGSA guidance and also COVID regulations on social distancing.</p> <p><u>SEATING –</u> Calculations based upon EVERY OTHER ROW in use over the 4 levels results on just 2/4 rows being used. It will also give a quick recognition to any incorrect seating occupation by the spectators and ease crowd management.</p> <p>The alternate row also allows for the travel route of the public along the front of the stand without encroaching on any other spectators bubble.</p> <p>SEE OPPOSITE diagram – <u>TOTAL (excluding press seats) 148 SEATS</u> in combination of 4,3,2 and 1 sets.</p>	 <p>The stadium seating is less than a metre from the row in front, which makes creating the effective bubble more difficult to keep open all rows and maximising seating.</p> 			



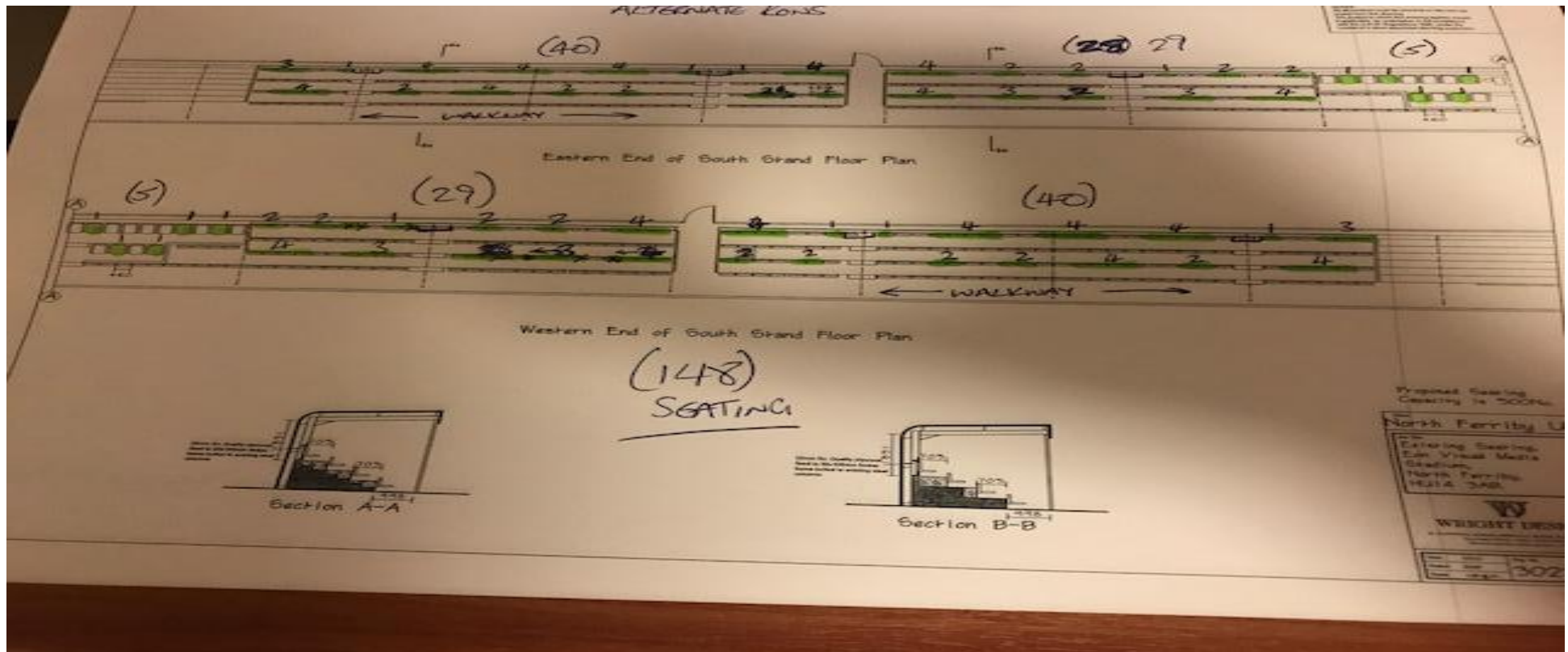
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Stadium COVID Capacity

NORTH STAND – TOTAL 195 SPECTATORS
EAST AND WEST – TOTAL 320 SPECTATORS
SOUTH STAND – 228 SPECTATORS

TOTAL POTENTIAL CAPACITY – 743 SPECTATORS.



Signed as having read and understood the Risk Assessment and will follow the guidance

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