



CRAKE VALLEY CROQUET CLUB BYELAW - VISITOR & GUEST DEFINITIONS

VISITING GROUPS

- Visitors are defined as third parties attending the Club at their request to use our facilities to play croquet under the supervision of at least one member.
- Visitors are entitled to play CROQUET for a **2-hour period** at a cost stated in the **Visitor & Guest criteria**, set by the Committee annually.
- Bookings for up to 16 visitors to be made in advance via the Club Visitor Officer.
- Lawns to be booked for a period of **3 hours per session** to allow for set up and break down time.
- Groups may visit up to **2 times** in total during the season – April to September (no visitor groups are allowed from October to March), although exceptions may be made for small groups.
- Estimated number of visitors to be advised at the time of booking so that the appropriate number of lawns can be allocated to the group.
- The numbers of visitors in the group must be confirmed 48 HOURS before the visit (so that lawns allocation can be adjusted, if needed).
- Full list of those attending is needed in advance or on the day.
- All visitors, playing or non-playing, **MUST** sign in on arrival at the Club Grounds.
- Children under 10 years of age are not permitted as visitors and those 10 years and over must be accompanied by an adult.
- Lawn 3 will be allocated for groups of up to 8, then 2 lawns for up to 16 people.
- Inclusion of spectators with the group, as well as ancillary activities such as picnics, must be agreed in advance with the Club Visitor Officer and a charge may be made.
- Refreshments / hot water will be available to visitors but a contribution towards the costs is welcome.
- Car sharing is recommended due to the limited parking facilities / spaces for members.

MEMBERS' GUESTS & CROQUET 'FRIENDS'

- A guest is defined as a person invited by a Club member.
- Guests are entitled to play CROQUET at a cost stated in the **Visitor & Guest criteria**, set by the Committee annually. A guest is defined as someone invited by a Club Member or an Established Croquet 'Friend' having membership of a recognised CqE Croquet Club."
- Bookings to be made in advance by the member, via the Club booking system.
- Members and guests **MUST** sign in on arrival at the Club Grounds.
- Named guests can be signed in by **Full Members** up to **4 times** during the season (April to March)
- The member should make payment by BACS and inform the Treasurer by email of the date of visit and guest name(s).
- The member is responsible for ensuring a suitable donation is made for refreshments consumed during the visit.

LAWN HIRE for CA Affiliated Teams / NW Federation matches

- Lawn hire (hoops, peg & balls) should be made available at the CA recommended fee.