



Oblate Basketball Club – Return To Play Policy April 2021

To be read in conjunction with Basketball Ireland’s return to play guidelines on their website. Updated 21st April 2021

“From April 26th outdoor sports facilities in the Republic of Ireland can reopen and underage “non-contact” outdoor training in “pods of 15 or fewer” can recommence.

Please be advised that social distance rules, hand sanitizer, sanitization and cleaning of equipment, and masks are recommended for use by members when attending outdoor facilities.

Ensure proper separate or staggered access and egress for individuals attending.

Basketball Ireland’s ‘Return to Play’ group would remind the basketball community to monitor and adhere to the Government’s latest advice. Basketball Ireland’s ‘Return to Play Group’ has issued the following updated Level 5 guidelines for training outdoors.” Basketball Ireland

- Training outdoors will take place in Mourne Road Secondary School grounds in Drimnagh. Directions will be sent in the whats app group.
- Please remember we are guests of Mourne Road and we must ensure that school equipment and property is maintained when in our possession.
- There is **NO ACCESS TO TOILETS**. Please remind players of this.
- Covid Questionnaires must be completed on the day of training, a link will be sent. No player will be allowed to attend if this has not been completed.
- Players are asked not to attend if they are feeling unwell.
- On arrival please do not gather at the gates, gathering in groups is to be avoided.
- Only Players, Coaches and Team Mangers are allowed enter the playing area(School Yard) Please arrive on time and do not arrive earlier than the allocated time.
- Parents/Guardians are asked to wait in their cars if staying and maintain social distancing when out of the car.
- The coach will meet players at the front gate at the car park – directions will be sent.

- Players should arrive in playing gear with outdoor runners, basketball boots are not advised as the session is outdoors.
- All players must bring their own outdoor basketball and all water bottles must be clearly labelled with players' name. Basketballs cannot be shared or passed around.
- Players are asked to bring their own hand sanitiser and use this before and after the session or as they see fit during the session.
- Players must leave immediately after the session is over and should not gather at gates.
- Training is weather dependent and may be cancelled at short notice.