## **HELENSBURGH AMATUER SWIMMING CLUB**

## **RISK ASSESSMENT**



Assessment carried out by:  Alex McEwa Gemma P		23 <sup>rd</sup> August 2021  Alex McEwan – President  Gemma Peace – Vice  President & CLM		Task/Activity being assessed:  Task/Activity area location  Assessment Review Date:	Covid-19 Activity Swimming  6x25m training pool  30 <sup>th</sup> September 2021	
		What is the Hazard	Who might harmed			
Facility Entrance and Reception Area	Athletes Parents/Guardi Coaches Volunteers		High	<ul> <li>Follow social distancing guidance in the pool facility</li> <li>Swimmers to check in with CLO or coach on arrival</li> <li>Information given to parents of protocols</li> <li>Parents/Guardians not permitted in the building during the session unless with prior agreement</li> <li>All swimmers aged 5+ MUST wear a face covering when in the facility until poolside.</li> </ul>	Medium	Club Committee & Facilities operator

Session Times	Athletes Coaches Volunteers Members of the Public	High	<ul> <li>A timetable will be sent out to parents in advance</li> <li>Some sessions maybe shared with members of the public. They will have separate lanes and club swimmers will breathe to the opposite side from the occupied lane</li> <li>Coaches to keep a list of who swam in which lane for Test &amp; Protect</li> </ul>	Medium	Club Committee Coaches Duty Manager Other Staff
Changing Rooms	Athletes Coaches Volunteers Members of the Public	High	<ul> <li>Swimmers to arrive in costume ready to swim</li> <li>Changing rooms and lockers can be used</li> <li>Swimmers should minimise chatting in the changing area and poolside.</li> <li>The showers are available for use but swimmers should be encouraged not to spend too long to avoid unnecessary close contact</li> <li>When sharing the pool with members of the public the facilities operator will have staff in the changing village to help with crowd control and safety procedures</li> </ul>	Medium	Club Committee & Facilities operator Other Staff
Poolside	Athletes Coaches Volunteers	High	<ul> <li>Physical distancing guidance to be followed</li> <li>Coaches and any poolside helpers must always wear face coverings whilst in the building and during the session.</li> <li>Coaches Must maintain 2m distancing from each other where possible</li> </ul>	Medium	Lead Coach Duty Manager Other staff

During Activity	Athletes	High	<ul> <li>Appropriate training to achieve physical distancing protocols. Social distancing should be encouraged during land training exercise.</li> <li>Use snorkels in line with SASA guidance.</li> </ul>	Medium	Lead Coach Duty Manager Other Staff
Hygiene Measures	Athletes Coaches Volunteers	High	<ul> <li>Hands Sanitised on arrival at the pool</li> <li>Appropriate handwashing during bathroom breaks</li> <li>Covid-19 rules communicated to all members in advanced</li> </ul>	Medium	Club Committee Covid Officer Facilities Operator
Equipment	Athletes Coaches	High	<ul> <li>All equipment in kit bag must be labelled</li> <li>Bring own water bottle – Labelled</li> <li>Do not share any kit or equipment</li> <li>Any equipment used poolside must be cleaned using antibacterial wipes or spray after use.</li> <li>Diving Blocks to be cleaned with antibacterial wipes and spray before and after the session when used.</li> </ul>	Medium	Lead Coach Duty Manger Other Staff
Someone becomes unwell during the session	Athletes Coaches Volunteers	Low	<ul> <li>Isolate individual in first aid room</li> <li>Contact parent/guardian</li> <li>Use appropriate PPE</li> </ul>	Low	Covid Officer Facilities Officer/lifeguard
Leaving at the end of the session	Athletes Parents/Guardians Coaches Volunteers Members of the public	High	<ul> <li>Club will stagger lane exit to minimise numbers of people in the changing rooms especially of the sessions shared with members of the public</li> <li>Do not use the showers</li> <li>Follow one-way system into changing rooms</li> </ul>	Medium	Committee Members Covid Liaison Officer Facilities Operator

			<ul> <li>Where possible put clothing on over costume and leave through the café area</li> <li>Only use designated changing rooms</li> <li>Sign out with the CLO or coach</li> <li>Sanitise hands on departure</li> </ul>		
Procedure in the event the club is contacted regarding a positive case of Covid 19	Athletes Coaches Volunteers Pool Staff Members of the public	Medium	<ul> <li>Report the details to the CLM</li> <li>CLM must contact the President or Vice President of the club</li> <li>Coaches to give details of who might be affected</li> <li>Liaise with the membership officer and WPO</li> <li>Notify any swimmers/coaches involved</li> <li>CLM to the pool facility and Test and Protect</li> </ul>	Medium	CLM President Vice President Coaches Membership WPO
H.A.S.C future, Closure to drop in swimmer numbers	Athletes Coaches Volunteers	Medium	<ul> <li>Maintain clear communication</li> <li>Nurture relationship with members</li> <li>Prepare for second wave of Covid -19</li> <li>Follow SASA guidance</li> <li>Invest in training for volunteers</li> <li>Provide an excellent service</li> <li>Monitor fees to keep club viable</li> <li>Creation of Covid Team CLM, CLO's to keep club compliant/ up to date</li> <li>All required volunteer's PVG's/SASA membership</li> <li>Regular committee meetings for club management.</li> </ul>	Medium	Club Committee