<u>Teams shall comply with latest Cricket BC Covid Regulations!</u> <u>Covid 19 - On-Field Regulations. (For all BC Umpires & Scorers).</u>

- 1. Scorers are advised to wear masks and to keep all players at least 6ft. away from their tables.
- 2. The Match Balls will be inspected by the Umpire/s. They will do this at the start of the match. They will keep the ball for use in both innings. An umpire will give the ball to the Fielding Captain at the start of each inning.
- 3. Bowler's End or Square Leg umpires will not touch the ball during the innings.
- 4. At the end of each over, the ball will go directly to the Fielding Captain/next bowler.
- 5. If at any time either umpire wishes to inspect the ball, he/she will <u>use gloves.</u>
- 6. Players are reminded that <u>no saliva/sweat</u> shall be used to shine the ball. If Saliva is applied to the ball, the ball is to be immediately disinfected by the umpire using a "Lysol Wipe". <u>Final warning to the team for using saliva</u>. Any further use of saliva will mean a 5 run penalty to the fielding side. If a fielder uses saliva on his hands during play, and is spotted by an umpire, <u>dead ball is called</u>, the player will be asked to <u>clean his hands</u> <u>with a "Lysol Wipe"</u>. Multiple warnings can bring on 5 run penalty.
- 7. <u>Umpires will not hold caps/helmets/sweaters/cloths.</u> Any of the above gear (including fielding helmets), must be removed from the field. (*Only the Wicket-keeper/close-in fielder is allowed to place helmet on the field directly behind wicket-keeper).
- (Do not inform players to exchange clothing/equipment*. Only say that these can't be kept on the field of play).
- 8. Any attempt to change the condition of the ball, will have an immediate 5 run penalty per BCMCL regulations.