

Dunedin Covid Safety

Yippee! Things are finally opening up, and we are able to dance again.

Obviously while the situation has improved, Covid-19 is still with us, so there are various protocols we need to follow. These should mitigate any potential problems, but it is up to you to weigh up the risks and decide whether you are happy to attend.

- We need to keep records of who attends for Track and Trace, so you need to sign in when you arrive. We will have a sign-in sheet for this purpose every week which we need to keep for at least 21 days. If there is a case, NHS Track and Trace will contact those affected.
- You need to wear a face mask when moving around the Church building, but not while sitting or dancing. So effectively masks are required outside our room, and optional inside. Please also respect any one-way systems, restrictions on the number of people allowed in the toilets simultaneously, and other guidelines or restrictions which the Church has in place.
- We charge £4/night. If possible please pay by electronic banking, either in advance or at the door. If this is not possible, please bring exact change and pay when you arrive and sign in. The bank account details are:

Bank of Scotland
Dunedin Dancers
Sort code: 80-02-85
Account number: 06006651

- We will not have access to the kitchen and will not be providing refreshments to (at least to start with), so please bring your own water/drinks as appropriate.
- We will try to programme dances which minimise the number of people you actually take hands with. However, we still recommend you sanitise your hands regularly – we will have sanitiser, or you can bring your own.
- We may need to restrict the number of people dancing at any one time to reduce crowding – probably a maximum of four 4-couple or six 3-couple sets. If this means some people aren't able to dance, please be aware and take turns so everyone gets a chance.
- We recommend you keep moving around to a minimum – when not dancing, stay in the same seat, and keep your stuff there to avoid too many people in close proximity around coat racks, etc.
- Of course, the situation and the guidelines are frequently changing. We will have a designated Covid Officer every night who will have the latest information, so please follow their instructions. Unless otherwise communicated, this will probably be Caroline or Ian.

And most importantly – we are **not** asking you to take a test beforehand every night, but if you feel unwell, please stay away and don't attend. If you start to feel unwell on the night, please let a committee member know and leave immediately.

We are looking forward to getting dancing again, and we hope that with these precautions we can strike the right balance between risk and enjoyment. We're looking forward to seeing and dancing with you again!

Thank you for your consideration and cooperation!