



COVID-19 Policy 2021 No 5

Current NSW Government Covid-19 regulations require measures be put in place and strictly observed. It is extremely important that anyone staying at the lodge understands what is required of them prior to leaving home. The requirements are in place to help mitigate disease transfer and are legal obligations.

The Club has a duty of care to lodge occupants and must demonstrate every effort is being made in accordance with State legislation to ensure everyone's wellbeing.

There is no longer a requirement to complete the COVID 19 Self-Assessment Form however before commencing your stay at the lodge, Members and your guests must answer **NO** to the following questions.

- *I have been medically confirmed to have COVID-19;*
- *I have recently been in contact with a person with a confirmed case of COVID-19;*
- *I am waiting for medical confirmation of COVID-19 test results;*
- *I have come from or been in a declared pandemic red zone or hot spot within the past 14 days.*
- *I have travelled internationally within the last 14 days; or*
- *I have had flu-like symptoms in the past 3 days (e.g., fever, cough, sore throat, shortness of breath, lack of taste/smell).*

If anyone in your party (member or guest) answers yes to any one of these questions, then that person must not visit the lodge under any circumstances.

Members and their Guests are expected to be in good health prior to departing their homes, and most importantly have **NO** flu-like symptoms.

Volunteer Lodge Leaders / Caretakers (Covid Officer)

- **Lodge Leaders** outside of the winter season will be nominated from Members staying in the Lodge. They will be documented on the room allocation list and their responsibilities will be to assist as required, to remind occupants of their responsibilities as needed and to ensure occupants are complying with the COVID restrictions.
- **Winter Lodge Caretakers** will be in place to ensure lodge security, assist Members and their Guests as required, and complete cleaning / housekeeping duties.
Lodge Caretakers are Club Members who have volunteered their time and services to ensure the smooth running of the Lodge over winter. Lodge Leaders will not be nominated when Lodge Caretakers are present.

Bathrooms

- Outside of busy periods, occupants will be given a dedicated bathroom which will be documented on the Room List. Occupants are to use only their allocated bathroom.



- During high occupancy periods bathrooms and common sink areas will be in communal use. Clean down the touch areas after use with the alcohol wipes provided before leaving the bathroom. Bathrooms during these times will not be individually assigned.
- Bathroom common sink areas are to be cleaned after each use.
- Any incidents will be reported to the Committee through either the Lodge Leader or the Winter Lodge Caretaker. Members are also welcomed to report any concerns through the Member survey.

General Information

- **Condiments including salt/pepper, oil, herbs, and tea/coffee/hot chocolate will NOT be available. Please bring your own supplies for your stay.**
- **All occupants need to bring all their own bedding, including pillows and doonas.** No bedding will be provided as per usual. If bedding is required, the Member involved will be charged for the dry cleaning of the Club's bedding and the cost of a new pillow. It is recommended occupants clean their rooms before they move their bags into the room.
- **Sanitise hands prior to entering the lodge and regularly during your stay.** Hand sanitisers will be in place throughout the communal areas.
- **Once a day all Members and Guests are expected to assist in the cleaning of all surface areas in the communal areas.**
The cleaning is to comprise of:
 - All surfaces in the foyer, ski room, lounge, dining, and kitchen.
 - The stair handrailing, light switches, and door handles of the common areas
- **ALL of the time, Members and Guests are expected to clean all surface areas they use with the cleaning products provided.**
- **Kitchen regulations:**
 - **No more than 4 people in the kitchen at any one time.**
 - **Wash hands or use hand sanitizer before opening the fridge and emptying the dishwasher.**
- **On arrival take bags immediately to your allocated room and food straight to your allocated cupboard and fridge.** Do not leave bags of food sitting on the benches or in the kitchen unattended.
- **When using the ski room drying cupboards keep your clothing well separated from other people's clothing.**
- **Please remember;**
 - **Observe social distancing at all times. Obey the 1.5 metre ruling.**



➤ **Cough into arm and wash hands / use hand sanitizer frequently.**

- **No outside visitors. No parties allowed.**

The day of departure

Winter: Occupants are required to vacate the Lodge by 4pm on the day of departure.

Outside winter season: Occupants are required to vacate the Lodge by 5pm on the day of departure.

- **Fully clean and disinfect allocated room before departure** with alcohol wipes provided in each room.
- **For allocated bathrooms disinfect the bathroom** with the cleaning agents provided in each bathroom.
- **Wipe down fridge space and allocated kitchen cupboard** with provided alcohol wipes.
- **There is an expectation that occupants will leave the lodge clean and tidy.**

Temperature Checks

Anyone exhibiting a temperature (above 37.5 degrees) or COVID symptoms will be asked to leave immediately. We recommend the person attends the Thredbo Medical Centre for assessment and if their condition is not related to COVID-19 or an infectious illness, obtain a certificate to indicate as such, to be given to the Lodge Leader and emailed to the Booking Officer. If the person concern is non-compliant the Committee will be notified, and the Police called.

Thredbo Medical Centre Update.

Outside of winter, Thredbo Medical Centre is only open during school holiday periods. At all other times, there is first aid care available in Thredbo.

Thredbo Medical Service (when open) is operating out of the **Thredbo Leisure Centre** in the space that was once the Thredbo Day Care. The extra space in this new facility allows the Medical Centre to meet government requirements for operations under the pandemic. The contact phone number for the surgery is the same 0264576254.

The Thredbo Medical Centre can test for COVID 19 but the turnaround for test results will be several days.

It would be appreciated if everyone staying at the Lodge download and have the Governments Covid-19 app active on their mobile phones.

For further information see:

<https://www.thredbo.com.au/about-thredbo/covid-19-update/>

www.health.nsw.gov.au/infectious/covid-19