



2021, March 29

**Contact Training/Matches - Coach and Managers Declaration**

Dear Coaches/Managers

Considering the recent FA announcement & subsequent guidelines sent to EBUFC by the Northants FA, we have reviewed & are now preparing to return to contact football training sessions and matches. For us to do so, there are new protocol's and extra measures we must put in place to ensure the safety and wellbeing of our members, coaches, and families. We need your help to make it as smooth and safe as we can.

Below is a declaration for Coaches and Managers to sign so members can participate in contact sessions. Please note EBUFC insurance does not cover against COVID-19 therefore it is vital we all adhere to the following.

Despite all the challenges for everyone in this situation, we are very much looking forward to getting back to more normal football sessions for all our players. We will not do this at the expense of any person's wellbeing so the club will make sessions available for those not ready for contact training or matches.

Note: It will not be mandatory for parents to stay and it is up to the coach to make that decision for their age group. Your priority is to keep yourselves safe and those around you. However, if parents do not stay you need 3 adults present in case of an incident.

Declaration:

I have read all the guidance prepared by Earls Barton United's Covid response team & have read and understood all the protocols that I need to put in place to make training and matches safe in line with these documents and the FA guidelines.

I understand that where situations occur that have not been mentioned I follow Government and Public Health England guidelines.

Should I wish to I can receive a walk-through of the guidance by a member of the Club's COVID19 team, but I still know I need to read the documentation.

I am aware I am not under any pressure from the club to start contact training. I am also aware that should I start EBUFC can withdraw permission at any time.

Name.....

Team (s).....

Signature.....Date:.....

**Let's make football safe not sorry - please play your part to help everyone!**