



The Boulder Barn has been closely following UK government and Governing Body advice and regulations since the onset of the Covid-19 outbreak. We are continually reviewing our operations and policies and making further adaptations where necessary.

### **Face Masks**

Following the recent rise in cases and updates from the UK Government we will now be asking everyone visiting The Boulder Barn to wear a face mask on arrival and at any time within non-climbing areas. This means that you will not need to wear a mask when eating/drinking or while climbing, using the training area or moving between problems on the boulder matting. This does mean that in any other area or at any other time you will need to wear a face mask to help protect the people around you. You will also see our staff wearing face masks when they are not behind the protective reception screen.

In addition to wearing masks we politely remind our climbers that the new Government slogan – **HANDS, FACE, SPACE** is the best and most effective way to help control the spread of COVID-19.

Regular **hand washing** before, during and after your climb is important; there are plenty of hand sanitiser stations throughout the centre for your use.

With the government's rules for socialising at home and in public areas changing to the **Rule of 6**- do not arrange to climb or socialise in groups larger than 6.

Please also keep a **safe distance** from our staff other climbers (unless they are in your household or 'bubble') whilst in the Boulder Barn.