



# Squash Bubble Rules

*From Tuesday 1 September, England Squash and Sport England have told squash clubs in England that they are able to move to Phase 2 of England Squash's return to play plan. This allows for the formation of Squash Bubbles and the play of full-court matches within these bubbles, with some modifications and additional hygiene measures.*

## Creating a Squash Bubble

- A squash bubble will contain a maximum of six people
- To create a squash bubble, email the names of up to six members to [chairman@hgsrc.co.uk](mailto:chairman@hgsrc.co.uk)
- You can only be a member of one squash bubble at any one time
- If you wish to move bubbles then you need to notify [chairman@hgsrc.co.uk](mailto:chairman@hgsrc.co.uk) and leave a seven day period between playing in one bubble and playing in another bubble
- By putting your name into a squash bubble, you are agreeing to adhere to the HGSRC Squash Bubble Rules and all the other HGSRC Rules, Policies and Procedures
- You are able to play a full-court match with anyone in your squash bubble. The rules of play within a squash bubble are detailed below.

## Rules of Play

- Only come down to HGSRC if you have a pre-booked court. All courts must be pre-booked.
- Do not come down to HGSRC, if you, someone you live with or someone you have had close contact with, has had symptoms of COVID-19.
- Only two players on court at one time.
- Play best of three games.
- Play first to 11 points, sudden-death at 10-all.
- Use 'Sides' as a way to maintain social distancing throughout the warm-up.
- During each game, when the first player reaches five points, both players should wipe away excessive sweat, sanitise their hands and the ball. Repeat between games.
- The same player to serve / touch the ball during each half of a game, and at the halfway point, switch servers.
- Players must wear protective eyewear or visor.
- Players must not touch the court walls.
- Players are not allowed to shout or raise their voice.
- You must adhere to all HGSRC Rules, Policies and Procedures

Many Thanks,  
HGSRC Committee