## Hamilton Model Flying Club Coronavirus/COVID 19 Safety Rules as 6<sup>th</sup> November 2020.

Government guidance for those suspected of or having confirmed COVID 19 **MUST** be followed. This guidance also applies to those who have been in contact with someone who has been in contact with a person(s) who is suspected of or having confirmed COVID 19 and MUST be followed:

See <u>www.gov.scot/collections/coronavirus-covid-19-guidance</u> or <u>www.nhsinform.scot</u> for the latest advice.

If you have a cough or any other coronavirus symptoms, or have been in contact recently with anyone else displaying these symptoms **DO NOT** go to the field and follow the Government's guidance.

## Before going to and arriving at the flying field.

- 1. Each member must carry with them their own personal protective equipment. This should include hand sanitising gel, disinfectant spray and protective gloves. You may also wish to carry a face mask.
- 2. You should be arriving at the field fully prepared. No equipment or tools can be shared. Ensure that your model is ready for flight before you leave home. You should not be in the position that you need to ask for someone else to assist you.
- 3. The SAA recommend that every member brings a first aid kit with them.

## At the Field.

- 1. Respect social distancing requirements and keep a minimum distance of 2m separation from others at all times. Only two flyers at any one time on the pilot stance. There are three sections to the barrier in front of the pilot stance. Each pilot should stand at the middle of the two outside sections thus maintaining greater than a 2m separation.
- 2. There will be no access to the cabin, the sheltered decked area outside of the main cabin, the toilets or any of the other containers on site. Do not use any of the seats or picnic tables at the site. If you need a seat to rest between flights bring one with you and do not share it with other members from a different household.
- 3. The charge point for batteries in front of the main cabin should not be used.
- 4. If you need to shelter sit in your own car. **DO NOT** sit in the car of another member.
- 5. For starting or arming your model carry the model onto the runway side of the pits to start it/arm it.
- 6. Do not allow others at the site to handle your model or equipment.
- 7. Use the same spot for setting up and leaving your model when not flying.
- 8. If a model comes down outside of the flying field area and needs recovered sanitise anything that you have touched (gates etc) outside of the field during the recovery.
- 9. Any retrieving of the model either inside or outside the field must be completed by the person using the model or someone from the same household.
- 10. If you bring any food, drinks or tobacco products please do not share with others.

11. Close the field gate (don't lock) once you're in to avoid unauthorised visitors. If a member of the general public appears respectfully ask them to leave.

## Leaving the Site.

- 1. Do not leave anything at all at the site. All wipes, gloves and rubbish should be taken home.
- 2. When you leave lock the entry gate to the field and sanitise the padlock and parts of the gate you have touched with disinfectant spray.
- 3. Complete the sign-in/sign-out slip giving the time of your arrival and departure from the field and place it in the tin box located in the pit area.
- 4. Leave the lower gate giving access to Broomfield Road as you found it when arrived, i.e, if it was open when you arrived leave it open when you leave. If it was closed when you arrived close it when you leave.