**BBL – Next Season Survey**

Your Committee are now considering the best way to proceed for the new season, which we still hope to be able to start around the usual time of October. All current team captains and club contacts are invited to take part in a short survey which will help the committee to decide on the best way to go for the next season. Please complete the form below and return it to the committee at [**info.bbl@bridgewebs.com**](mailto:info.bbl@bridgewebs.com) before the end of July.

1. Assuming the government guidelines/advice on social distancing allow bridge matches to be played in private houses by October, under which of the following situations would you and your team be happy to play (league) matches?

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|  | Yes | No |
| Play face-to-face (F2F) as per usual, subject to agreed safeguards being in place at the venue |  |  |
| Play on-line throughout the season |  |  |
| Have the choice to play either on-line or F2F by agreement between teams |  |  |
| Do not want to play at all until the crisis is definitely over and a vaccine programme is in place |  |  |
| None of the above – we no longer plan to play in the league |  | N/A |

1. Assuming the government guidelines/advice on social distancing do not permit bridge matches to be played in private houses at the proposed start date, which of the following would be acceptable to you and your team?

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|  | Yes | No |
| Start the season on-line then, once advice allows it, switch to F2F where both captains agree and suitable safeguards are in place |  |  |
| Start and complete the whole season on-line, even when/if F2F becomes viable |  |  |
| Delay the start until the advice is favourable as in Q1 |  |  |
| Only play once the crisis is definitely over and a vaccine programme is in place |  |  |
| None of the above - we longer plan to play in the league |  | N/A |

1. The Pivot Cup is a popular event, with over ¾ of teams taking part. How do you feel the pivot should be handled for the forthcoming season?

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|  | Yes | No |
| Treat the pivot in exactly the same way as the league and proceed in line with the responses to Q1 or Q2 above, as appropriate |  |  |
| Suspend the pivot for one season until the crisis is over |  |  |
| None of the above - we do not plan to play in the pivot |  | N/A |

1. Please add any other comments or suggestions you may have regarding the next BBL season.

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1. Team Name/Captain ………………………………………………………………………….