TEMPLATE LETTER TO WRITE TO YOUR MP

Dear [Insert MP],

We write to represent the views of [your club] Cricket Club with regard to the current cricket season for recreational club cricket.

As a club we have worked hard on implementing protocols for training and participation over the last few weeks. We have both adults and juniors (add in other section if applicable) coming to our club at [ground or club name] for individual coaching or for training in groups of five.

Although we understand the advice about the cricket ball, we believe that this can be mitigated to a large extent by regularly sanitising the ball. We believe cricket is currently a far safer environment for healthy recreation than certain other sports, such as basketball, because of the distance between players on the field. Further, it is clearly far safer than social interactions in a pub or restaurant, even with social distancing measures in place.

Our playing members are very keen to get started and we would urge you to pass this on to the Prime Minister’s advisers in hope that the 2020 recreational season can be salvaged as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely,

[Your name]

[Your position at your club]

[Your club’s contact details]