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Kia ora,

We know how important physical and mental wellbeing are in the ongoing fight against COVID-19, and that's why we are committed to doing all we can to get our organisation open and keep it open. As you know, the Government has announced a new COVID-19 Protection Framework to be implemented from Friday 3rd December 2021 to manage COVID-19 under a new set of regulations, including the use of vaccination passes.

It has become clear that the best chance possible of ensuring compliance with our health and safety obligations, reducing the risk of exposure to, and transmission of, COVID-19, and operating safely and optimally at all levels of the COVID-19 Protection Framework Flips & Tumbles needs to be a vaccine mandated facility.

The Flips & Tumbles Management Team has confirmed a new COVID-19 vaccination policy which has now been adopted in line with this. We will be requiring employees, contractors and all members over the age of 12 years and 3 months, as well as volunteers (including coaches, officials, athletes, parents, and other visitors) to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 prior to entry to our facility and activities when Canterbury goes into the new Traffic Light Covid-19 Protection Framework.

Once the new COVID-19 Protection Framework is in place, should anyone coming into the facility, of age, who does not wish to produce their vaccination certificate, we will assume that they are unvaccinated, and they will no longer be able to access the Flips & Tumbles facility and activities.

Children under 12 years 3 months who are enrolled in any of our after school classes who have unvaccinated caregivers are still welcome to attend class. We will have staff available at the door for collection and pick up for these members.

The new framework still allows us to have our mezzanine viewing area open. Anyone who wishes to access our viewing area must be fully vaccinated and will be required to show their vaccine passport.

We do realise that the choice to get vaccinated is a personal one and we respect that. However, for Flips & Tumbles to do what we do best, we need to be open and operating safely, and vaccinations are the key factor for us being able to do so. If you have any questions in relation to this communication, please do not hesitate to get in contact with us via email contact@flipsandtumblesnz.com

For more information on how to apply for your My Vaccine Pass, please use this link: [My Vaccine Pass | Unite against COVID-19 \(covid19.govt.nz\)](https://www.covid19.govt.nz/my-vaccine-pass/)

Kind Regards
The Flips & Tumbles Team