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Dear partner,

Step 2 – April 12 2021

I wanted to write to you and update you on the changes that will come into place next Monday (April 12).

First of all, thank you for all that you are doing for the borough, our residents, businesses and customers at this very difficult time and for the continued spirit of cooperation and support.

So from Monday the latest guidance covers a range of areas which I have outlined below:

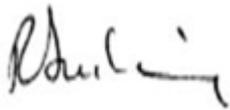
- non-essential retail will be able to reopen
- personal care premises such as hairdressers and nail salons will be able to reopen
- public buildings such as libraries and community centres will be able to reopen
- outdoor hospitality venues will be able to reopen, with table service only
- most outdoor attractions including zoos, theme parks, and drive-in performances (such as cinemas and concerts) will be able to reopen
- some smaller outdoor events such as fetes, literary fairs, and fairgrounds will be able to take place
- indoor leisure and sports facilities will be able to reopen for individual exercise, or exercise with your household or support bubble
- all childcare and supervised activities will be allowed indoors (as well as outdoors) for all children. Parent and child groups can take place indoors (as well as outdoors) for up to 15 people (children under 5 will not be counted in this number)
- weddings, civil partnership ceremonies, wakes and other commemorative events will be able to take place for up to 15 people (anyone working is not included in this limit), including in indoor venues that are permitted to open or where an exemption applies. Wedding receptions can also take place for up to 15 people, but must take place outdoors, not including private gardens

- self-contained accommodation will be able to open for overnight stays in England with your household or support bubble you should continue to minimise the amount that you travel where possible
- care home residents will be able to nominate two named individuals for regular indoor visits (following a rapid lateral flow test)

And of course as a reminder, we all do need to keep following the guidance – hands, face and space to reduce the virus' transmission in our communities and businesses.

So let's keep Doing It for Doncaster!

Kind regards,



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