



COVID-19 PROCEDURES

While we are looking forward to our return to youth basketball, we also want to make sure we do it in the safest way possible. We will be implementing several procedures to provide the safest environment we can. In Iowa, effective June 12, businesses and venues including sports and recreation, can operate at full capacity with recommended social distancing.

We have concluded there is no reasonable way to guarantee that no one will contract the COVID-19 virus. Trying to adhere to a standard of absolute protection is simply not reasonable. We would either be held accountable for being far too restrictive or, more likely, not restrictive enough. It will ultimately be up to each attendee to decide whether they are comfortable attending games given the mitigation strategy. That decision will remain a personal choice that all attendees need to make.

- 1. We are relying on coaches and parents to make the right decision on attending the event. Any athlete, coach or parent that has been in contact with COVID recently or has symptoms of COVID or is feeling sick should stay home and not attend the event.**
- 2. Any and all fans from your team are welcome to attend, there will be no restrictions on the number of fans a player or your team can bring. Whoever is comfortable and would like to attend will be able to do so.**
- 3. To help with social distancing and keep people as spread out as possible, we are asking fans to "clear out of the gym" following their son/daughters game. Ideally you would watch and enjoy your son/daughter play and then exit the facility quickly after and not stick around watching other games.**
- 4. Fans are allowed and encouraged to wear masks, but nothing is required and it's totally up to each person's desires.**
- 5. We will encourage all fans to social distance while watching games. We anticipate 35-40 people per team will be in attendance (10 players, 20-25 fans & a couple coaches). On**
- 4 courts that is 320 people for 8 teams (well under 50% of our full capacity). So again, we encourage you not to stick around and watch games that don't include your son/daughter.**
- 6. Games will be spaced out every 1:10 or 1:15 depending on the event. We will NOT start games early!! Please do not plan to arrive more than 30 minutes prior to the start time of your game. This will help with limiting the number of fans at a given time.**
- 7. We will be taking temperatures at the door to ensure anyone with a high temperature over 100.4 degrees does not enter the facility. It is a non-contact thermometer that will be used.**
- 8. We will have ample hand sanitizer around the facility for use and will be sanitizing common spaces throughout each day**
- 9. We will provide all the basketball for warmups & games. No outside balls will be allowed in the facilities. We will sanitize these balls between each set of games**
- 10. We will be collecting admission at the door like usual. We will also have an option for you to pay by CC at the door if you prefer to not exchange cash.**

We want to thank you for your cooperation. We strive to provide the best events on an annual basis and will do our best to provide the best events again in 2020. We know this year will be different than many others and we know traditionally some fans like to stay in the gym and watch other teams in their programs, but we would like to encourage you to help us provide the safest environment and frankly as a fan be in the facilities as little as you can, but also relaxing and getting to enjoy watching your son or daughters games in full in person.