



Sisseton Redmen

Athletics

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To: SHS Staff and Member schools

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Subject: Extra-curricular activity attendance and procedures at home basketball games

Due to the increasing spread of COVID-19 we are going to have these restrictions on spectator attendance until further notice.

Club Activities: (Elementary/youth)

1. All persons entering the school are asked to wear masks. Participants in the game are not expected to wear masks.
2. Coaches, bench personnel/players and table workers are expected to wear masks.
3. Limit the number of schools participating to one. You could have more than one grade level attend your event. Example – Britton/Hecla could bring the 5th grade girls and the 6th grade boys.
4. Only parents of participants may attend.
5. Enter/exit through the PF entrance as a group. Doors are to remain locked at all times.

Middle school activities: (7th/8th girls and boys)

1. All persons entering the school are asked to wear masks. Participants in the game are not expected to wear masks.
2. Coaches, bench personnel/players and table workers are expected to wear masks.
3. Members of each team (home and visitor) will receive a designated number of tickets to disperse to their parents.
4. Sisseton students (K-12) are allowed with an activity pass.
5. Community members are asked to watch the event at home on the NFHS network. Note – We hope the system will be up and running for activities in held in the Practice Facility by December 1st. Events scheduled in Ben Reifel gym will be available immediately.
6. Enter the PF entrance for MS activities in the PF. No entry without a pass. If there is an activity in the Ben Reifel gym afterwards, all persons must exit the PF doors and enter through the BR entrance.

High school activities: (Grades 9-12 or ABC contests)

1. All persons entering the school are asked to wear masks. Participants in the game are not expected to wear masks.
2. Coaches, bench personnel/players and table workers are expected to wear masks.
3. Members of each team (home and visitor) will receive a designated number of ticket vouchers to disperse to their parents/family. The number of ticket vouchers may change throughout the season.
4. The ticket vouchers will be submitted to the ticket seller to allow them to purchase a ticket for the event. You will receive a stamp that will allow you to move back and forth from BR to PF when events are being held in both facilities.
5. Sisseton students (K-12) are allowed with an activity pass.
6. Community members are asked to watch the event at home on the NFHS network.
7. No entry without a pass or ticket voucher.
8. Ticket vouchers not dispersed to family can be returned to the ticket booth prior to each event/game. The general public will be able to contact the ticket booth the day of the game to purchase a left-over ticket if they are available. Ticket booth extension is #3113.
9. **Preferred seating – Sisseton on the south side of Ben Reifel gym, Visitors on the north side of Ben Reifel gym.**
10. Social distancing recommended while using the restrooms and concessions stand.

*Special considerations for events being held in the Ben Reifel (BR) gym and the Practice Facility (PF) gym simultaneously.

1. If the events are being held in both facilities at the same time, **entry must be through the Ben Reifel entrance only.** Practice Facility doors will be locked and only be allowed for exiting.
2. Entering the BR entrance will allow spectators to show their voucher/activity pass and purchase a ticket for the events that evening. It will also allow fans to freely move between the two gyms during the events without requiring spectators to enter the BR gym following the events in the PF.
3. Exiting the PF doors will be allowed following the events in the PF gym.
4. **All students/participants are also required to enter the BR entrance for the events.**
5. **All students/spectators are required to exit the BR gym following the events.**
6. NO STUDENTS OTHER THAN THE PARTICIPANTS WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE LOCKER ROOM AREAS OR PRACTICE FACILITY FOLLOWING THE EVENT. EXIT THROUGH THE BEN REIFEL ENTRY/EXITS.
7. OPENING THE PRACTICE FACILITY DOORS FOR ENTRY TO THE EVENTS IS PROHIBITED!
8. Students and fans not following the above protocol, may lose their privilege to attend the next home event.

**School events held only in the Practice Facility gym

1. Entry will be allowed through the PF doors since there is no admission being charged.
2. Parents and students must show their passes to enter the gym.
3. Exit only through the PF exit.