

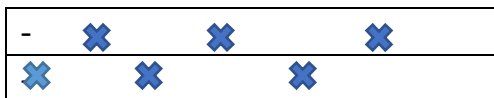
VOLLEYBVALL COVID RULES 2020

Before each game and practice all players, coaches and officials must have their temperature taken and recorded. Hand sanitizer will be provided and must be used before each game and practice upon arrival at the park facility by players, coaches, and officials.

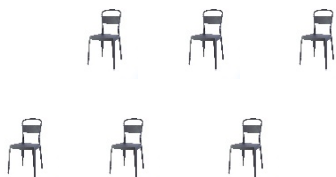
- Players will sit in staggered seating on the sideline – 3 feet apart with a mask on while not participating on the floor.

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BLEACHERS



CHAIRS



- Player warm-up:
 - Teams will have a five-minute warm-up with their coach. The team warming up will use the last minute to serve to each other, not the opposing team.
 - A mask is not required while warming up.
 - During the five minutes the opposing team will sit with masks on –on their bench.
 - There will be a separate cart of balls for each team. (We can furnish both or ask each team to bring their own balls).
- The home book will be the only book allowed at the table with a scorekeeper. While at the table they must wear a mask.

- Coaches will meet at the net on their team side with officials to go over rules for play as well as rules for masks. Coaches must always wear mask except when coaching. Your players will follow your example.
- There will be no coin toss. The visiting team will always be the serving team. (Even if there are two games)
- Volleyball beginning of game procedure for players – players will stand on the end line, then move to the attack line (on the official’s whistle) and wave at the other team. There will be no shaking of hands or touching of elbows. The players will then take their positions and wait on the official to begin the game.
- Volleyball end of game procedure for players – players will stand at the 10 ft line/attack line and wave at the opposing team and say Good Game. There will be no slapping of hands or touching of elbows. (Procedure used by high school.)
- There will be no sharing of water bottles or personal equipment by players.
- Remind players to cough/sneeze in their elbow or a tissue and not their hands.
- Do not use or let your child use water fountains.
- Ask yourself this before every game and practice: Are you, your child, or any other household member experiencing a cough, shortness of breath, sore throat, had fever in the last 48 hours(100.4 or above), experiencing new loss of taste or smell, experiencing vomiting or diarrhea in the last 24 hours? If you answer yes to any of this, do not come to games or practices. Contact the coach and let them know.
- If your child tests positive for COVID-19, notify the park immediately. If your child has an exposure and you have a game or practice, do not come to the game/practice. Notify the coach or park officials.
- Parents/fans sitting in the bleachers always need to social distance and wear masks (in Winfield’s gym we can use opposing side with both sets of bleachers pulled out.) However –there needs to be a bleacher between fans and players –or we could close in the bottom row and put out chairs for players with bottom row blocked off.
- When exiting the gym – parents/fans should exit out the double doors on their side.

Please understand the safety of your players is your responsibility. We do not like wearing the masks, but we do like playing the game of volleyball. Keeping your players safe will help you to continue to play.