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# YANKTON SCHOOL DISTRICT COVID-19 SPECTATOR PLAN

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## **Spectators – General Information:**

- The Yankton School District will be taking steps to limit spectator attendance at our activities this fall. The premise of limiting attendance is based on these three goals:
  - Keep all students and staff safe.
  - Keep all students and staff in school as long as possible.
  - Give all students the opportunity to participate in activities.
- The Yankton School District believes limiting spectator attendance provides our students the best opportunity to complete their seasons and reduces the likelihood of community transmission.
- Masks are mandatory for ALL spectators at ALL INDOOR events on Yankton School District Property.
   Masks will be available to purchase from a ticket seller for \$1.00.
- Masks are highly recommended for all adult spectators and mandatory for student sections at ALL OUTDOOR events on Yankton School District Property. Masks will be available to purchase from a ticket seller for \$1.00.
- Spectators are asked to socially distance themselves away from those not in their immediate families to the best of their ability.
- Reentry at an event that requires vouchers will ONLY be allowed by obtaining a wrist band from the ticket seller(s).
- Unlimited YSD Activity Passes will still be sold at their regular prices:
  - o Adult Couples \$75.00
  - o Single Adult \$50.00
  - o Student \$20.00
    - Please note:
    - With the exception of Yankton High School Students, ONLY those individuals who possess an event & date specific voucher will be allowed in.
    - ALL activity pass purchases are Non-Refundable, including in the event that activities are cancelled.
- Yankton Community Senior Citizen "Golden Passes" will only be honored if the person presents the event & date specific voucher.
- A collaborative decision was made by the Yankton School District and the City of Yankton to NOT use the Summit Activities Center (SAC) entrance during any Yankton High School activities this year.
- The Yankton School District will be providing <u>FREE</u> access to all events streamed in the Yankton High School Gymnasium and at Crane Youngworth Field on the NFHS Network for the 2020-21 school year. https://www.nfhsnetwork.com/schools/yankton-high-school-yankton-sd
- This Yankton School District COVID-19 spectator attendance plan is subject to change at any time and will be reevaluated at the end of the Fall season, prior to the beginning of the Winter season.

### **Yankton High School Events:**

- Each rostered person (athlete/manager/statistician/cheerleader/coach) will be given six (6) event & date specific vouchers to distribute as they wish. The voucher does not grant admission, but rather allows the holder to purchase a ticket or use an activity pass to get into the following Yankton High School events this Fall: (Please note vouchers will NOT be reissued).
  - Varsity Football
  - Varsity Boys Soccer
  - Varsity Girls Soccer
  - Varsity Volleyball
  - JV Volleyball
  - Sophomore Volleyball
  - Freshman Volleyball
  - Competitive Cheer & Dance
  - o YHS Fall Play
- The visiting school's Activities Director will be mailed the same number of total event & date specific vouchers as Yankton High School is providing to its own teams for each event.
- Yankton High School Students and High School Students from the visiting school will be allowed to purchase a ticket or use an activity pass to attend an event.
  - Students must show a valid student ID from one of the two High Schools participating in order to purchase a ticket or use an activity pass to get into the event. High School Students from schools other than Yankton High School and the High School YHS is playing will NOT be allowed to enter.
- Elementary & Middle School Students will ONLY be allowed to attend events if they possess the
  aforementioned event & date specific voucher. The voucher does not grant admission, but rather
  allows the holder to purchase a ticket or use an activity pass to enter the event. Any Elementary or
  Middle School student who enters the event, MUST remain seated with the adult who brought
  them.
- Yankton School District Staff Members, School Board Members and their Spouse WILL be allowed to attend events by showing their staff activity pass.
- Yankton School District Game Day Sponsors WILL be allowed to attend events by turning in their Game Day Sponsor Pass.
- The Yankton School District does not charge for the following event, but an event & date specific voucher will be required for admission:
  - Coronation
- The Yankton School District does not charge for the following events:
  - Cross Country
  - o Golf
  - o Tennis
  - Freshman Football
  - JV Football
  - JV Soccer
    - Due to the small number of spectators that attend these events, the large amount of space that is available to social distance and the fact that these events all take place outdoors, these fall events will NOT have spectator limitations:

### **Yankton Middle School Events:**

- Each rostered person will be given two (2) event & date specific vouchers to distribute as they wish. Since admission is not collected at Middle School events, the voucher grants admission to the following Yankton Middle School events this Fall: (Please note vouchers will NOT be reissued).
  - o 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Volleyball
  - o 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Volleyball
    - Please note, only two (2) vouchers per student participating in 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Volleyball will be given out due to the very limited amount of seating available in the Yankton Middle School gyms which makes social distancing very difficult, if not impossible.
    - Non-volleyball playing Middle School students, High School Students and Elementary students will NOT be allowed to attend without an event & date specific voucher. Any Middle School or Elementary student who enters with an event and date specific voucher, MUST remain seated the adult who brought them.
- The visiting school's Activities Director will be mailed the same number of total event & date specific vouchers as Yankton Middle School is providing to its own teams for each event.
- Due to the small number of spectators that attend these events, the large amount of space that is available to social distance and the fact that these events all take place outdoors, these fall events will NOT have spectator limitations:
  - Cross Country
  - o Golf
  - Tennis
  - o 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Football
  - o 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Football