

Dear NUSD Indoor Sport Athletes, Families, and Visitors,

As you may know, recent youth sports guidelines issued by the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) allow for the return of many sports, which now includes indoor sports. As we transition into this return to play, it is important to know that we are dedicated to doing this in the safest way possible, following guidelines provided by both the CDPH and CIF.

As part of this return, many people have been asking, "Can we come watch?". We understand that families really want to see their kids play and we want to accommodate this as safely as possible. We will be following the updated CDPH guidelines for limited indoor observers at competitions.

- Immediate household members will be allowed to observe.
 - We will be providing up to 2 tickets (free of charge) per player for this purpose, as venue capacity allows.* Visiting teams will also receive 2 tickets per player.
 - When multiple level sports compete, such as a Frosh and/or JV & Varsity competition, all observers must exit the facility following the Frosh and/or JV game, prior to the start of the next game. If a family has multiple level players, families must exit and re-enter with a new ticket. What this means is that if a family has a player on the JV team, they will receive 4 tickets. If the same family has a player on Varsity, they will receive an additional 4 tickets.
- Face coverings must be worn by observers at all times.
- All observers/spectators will be actively screened upon entry into the facility. (temperature taken and Covid-19 exposure and symptom screening)
- Please know that there will be no snackbar or drinking fountain available. Please bring your own personal water bottle. Observers will not be permitted to bring food into the gym.
- Observers must maintain at least 6 feet of distance between non household members - and sit in designated areas. Only one bleacher side will be open for observers. The opposite bleacher side for the clock/scorebook and player bench area will not be accessible to observers.
- Observers should not attend if they are experiencing any Covid-19 related symptoms. This includes fever or chills, cough, new loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion or runny nose, nausea or vomiting.

We know that the experience of attending competitions might not be the same as a typical year, with the limit on observers, but we are pleased that these opportunities do exist for our families. Please understand that these guidelines and related protocols may change over time, based on state and county updates. Also, when our teams travel to away games, these guidelines may change. We will follow the host's decisions if plans change and/or no observers are allowed.

As we all work together and commit to the above guidelines and expectations, we can provide a safe environment to observe and cheer on our student athletes. Thank you in advance for your understanding and cooperation! Please contact your site Athletic Director if you have any questions.

*LGA gym capacity limits the observers to 'Home' families only.