



## **OHIO EAGLE ATHLETICS COVID NOTIFICATION**

While we are not apart of OHSAA, our refs are, so therefore we will be following just the requirements that OHSAA has laid out for this year's basketball season. Incorporated are also the guidelines set forth by the Governor of Ohio. Our goal is to not make anyone uncomfortable, but to ensure our basketball season is not shut down. Because our program has been turned in to the Hardin County Health Department, we have been forced to move to a zero-tolerance Covid policy. There will be **NO** exceptions to this policy.

All players, coaches, spectators, and officials are to take a health assessment before entering any indoor sports facility. We ask that you do that before arriving at our gym. If anyone is experiencing symptoms, we simply ask that you stay home. Congregating should be done outside of the building while maintaining social distancing requirements. Each player may only bring **2 PARENTS/GAURDIANS** and are asked to sit as a family while social distancing from other families. The stands will have marked seating arrangements.

The State of Ohio has issued a mask mandate for everyone except for the players physically on the court. This includes benched players, coaches, volunteers, officials (while not officiating), and spectators. There are **NO** exceptions made for those with qualifying medical reasons. If you do not have a mask **ON**, you will not be let in. If you take your mask off in the stands you will be asked to leave. If you refuse to do so we will stop the games until everyone has a mask on.

Each team is to bring their own pregame warm up equipment. Our drinking fountain is currently closed so please be sure your players are bringing their own water bottle. Our locker rooms are currently open. However, being that we only have two, the locker rooms will be used as team rooms. One locker room for the Eagles and one for the opposing team. Please consider having your player already dressed as team rooms will host both the girls and the boys teams. Feel free to have your players keep their bags in there. Rooms may also be used for team meetings.

Hand sanitizer will be available in the front lobby as well as team bench areas and at the concession stand. We will be sure to be cleaning and sanitizing the facility throughout each event.

Concessions stand is limited to drinks and individually wrapped snacks and can be found in the lobby at the admissions table.

Cost of admission is \$5 per person excluding players, coaches, and children under the age of 5. Everyone entering will be hand stamped once they have checked in as a spectator. The reason for this is because the gym will be cleared of spectators and players between games. You will not have to pay more then once if you have children playing on more then one team.

In the event a player, coach, or volunteer has a positive Covid test or is exhibiting symptoms, we ask that you notify us **BEFORE** coming to our facility. Our Athletic Director, Crystal Webb, can be reached at 419-649-0301 or [ohioeaglesad@gmail.com](mailto:ohioeaglesad@gmail.com) to reschedule games to a later date when all symptoms have subsided.

Because we have been turned in to the Hardin County Health Department, we will now have an inspector at the remaining home games for this season. They do have the authority to shut us down **INSTANTLY** if he/she sees we are not complying with these rules. Please do not complain, just comply. If you are unable to do so we will regretfully have to turn you away from our facility. We are doing this for the players, it is not about us or your personal convictions regarding the pandemic. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause you. If you foresee a problem with any of this please contact our athletic director **BEFORE** coming to the facility. She will also be at the home games in the event you have any concerns during the games.