

South Central Calhoun Community Schools
Winter Wrestling COVID – 19 Guidelines/Protocol

Health Assessment

Wrestlers at all levels are expected to check their temperatures prior to attending practice. Wrestlers may not attend practice if they have a temperature exceeding 100.4 degrees. Spectators and activity workers are expected to assess their personal health prior to attendance at a winter sports activity. **PLEASE DO NOT ATTEND A MATCH/TOURNAMENT IF FEELING ILL!!**

Spectator Attendance Requirement.

As per Governor Reynold's recent 11/10/2020 proclamation, spectator attendance at wrestling matches at both the middle school and high school level will be limited to **TWO (2)** spectators per wrestler. **Each wrestler will receive two (2) spectator pass cards with the SCC logo on one side and the players name and what level of winter sports of activity the pass is good for, printed on the back. These passes will need to be presented along with either the SCC Activity Pass or cash for admission to all wrestling matches. Families with athletes at both the middle school and high school level WILL NOT be able to use all passes received for one activity. Two passes/spectators allowed per activity.**

Face Coverings/Masks

All coaches, wrestlers, bench personnel, spectators, and bus drivers will be REQUIRED to wear face coverings/masks appropriately when in our gyms. WRESTLERS competing will not have a mask requirement. All wrestlers and coaches on and around the team bench will be required to wear masks when not competing.

Social Distancing

Coaches, athletes, spectators, officials, and workers will be asked to practice proper social distancing of 6' as much as possible. Spectators/parents and other NON-TEAM personnel will not be allowed near the wrestling team(s) bench area or near the wrestling mat areas.

Locker room – Pre-game/Halftime/Postgame

Wrestlers and coaches will be required to wear face coverings/masks when in locker room during pre-meet and post-meet activity. Locker rooms will be sanitized by custodial staff prior to and after occupancy on match nights and sanitized on practice days in accord with custodial sanitization schedules. Locker rooms will be available for visiting teams use.

Weigh-ins

Weigh-Ins will be conducted in the Wrestling Practice/Weight room complex, which is located just to the north of the gymnasium. Boys and Girls will both weigh-in there in accord with the state weigh-in requirement of wearing respective singlets during weigh-in. **MASKS MUST BE WORN DURING WEIGH-INS!**

Official Score table(s)

At the middle school facility, both new and old score tables will be used to provide adequate social distance for score table personnel. Home team official scorebook, scoreboard operator, and clock operator will be at main score table. Visiting scorebook and other necessary visiting team personnel will utilize the second score table located behind the main score table. Score tables will be sanitized prior to and after matches. Officials at score table will be required to wear masks.

Training Rooms

All individuals in training rooms will be required to wear masks. Visiting team will not have access to home training room. When we travel, any taping that needs to be done will be done prior to leaving by bus for the match/tournament. Training tables, whirlpools, etc., will be sanitized by coaching staff following use.

Hand Sanitizer

Hand Sanitizer will be readily available at the score table area. However, we are expecting our wrestlers to be responsible for their respective water bottles, face masks, and personal hand sanitizer, and ask that visiting teams do the same.

Transportation – Matches/Tournaments

Transportation to matches/tournaments will be requested by the respective coaching staffs to meet the needs of their individual teams in order to provide proper social distance. Parents are permitted to transport players to and from matches/tournaments but must notify coaching staff ahead of time. Players traveling with parents will be required to have their son/daughter at the respective venue at the same time as those traveling by bus. High school wrestlers will be need to secure their own respective transportation to practice facilities in the district.

Spectator Admisslon

Regular admission process to wrestling meets will be charged. Varsity/JV Meets – Adults \$5.00, Students \$3.00, Pre-School Free. Middle School Meets – Adults \$3.00, Students \$2.00, Pre-School Free.

Junior Varsity/Exhibition Matches

Coach Lance Schultz, the SCC Head Coach will contact visiting team head coaches in days prior to scheduled match(s) at SCC about JV or exhibition matches that will take place so visiting coach can make a determination of wrestlers to actually bring to a meet. We ask that if any wrestler(s) does not have a schedule match, that they not make the trip that night.

Officials

Wrestling Officials *will not be required* to wear masks, but may do so if they choose to.

Post Meet/Tournament Spectator Information

UPON CONCLUSION OF WRESTLING MEETS, WE ASK SPECTATORS TO NOT CONGREGATE ON THE FLOOR SURROUNDING THE MATS OR ON THE MATS THEMSELVES. PLEASE EXIT THE FACILITY AS DIRECTLY AS POSSIBLE.

We are hoping for successful completion of the upcoming wrestling season for all involved. We hope that proactive attempts to provide a safe wrestling and spectating environment allows for this.