

2020 Volleyball COVID 19 Guidelines

South Suburban Conference

- ⇒ Start date: September 28
- ⇒ 1st competition date: October 8 (including lower levels)
- ⇒ Last regular: November 28
- ⇒ Season End date: Saturday, December 12
- ⇒ Total weeks: 11 (including postseason)
- ⇒ Maximum contests: 14 (regular season)
- ⇒ Max contests/ week: 2
- ⇒ Scrimmages: Not Allowed
- ⇒ Captain's Practices: Not Allowed

SPECTATORS:

- No Spectators are allowed

CONCESSIONS:

- Concessions will not be sold at games.

OFFICIAL TEAM ROSTER:

- **15 athletes, 3 Coaches, 2 managers:** if there are fewer players than 15 players, you may not substitute. The names of these individuals should be submitted on the official team roster to the AD of the host school
 - **Live Stream lower levels** - 1 live stream person at lower level 9A, 9B and 10A and JV per team
 - **Videographer:** 1 videographer. (all levels)
 - **Team Photographer:** 1 photographer (all levels)
 - **Yearbook photographer:** 1 photographer (*only allowed at home events.*)
 - **School news program:** 1 school news videographer- (*only allowed at home events.*)
 - **Live stream Varsity:** 3 people to stream for the home team. If the host school is live streaming at Varsity the visitor will not.
- The team roster and the names of these individuals should be submitted on the official team roster to the AD of the host school **by 11:00 am day of game.**

TEAM ARRIVAL PROCEDURES:

- Teams will enter the gym at the times noted here.
- Masks must be worn by all
- Busses should remain at the school.
- Teams should arrive dressed for the games
- No Locker room access
- Teams will leave immediately after their match
- The team may need to stay on the bus until the appropriate time

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- 9A / 9B may enter the school at 3:50 for a 4:15 game (home and away)
- 10A / JV may enter the school at 5:00 for the 5:30 games (home and away)
- Varsity may enter at 6:15 for the 7:00 game (home and away)
- Visiting teams will enter the gym and go to the visiting sideline (opposite sidelines).
Host school will note where bags can be laid out 6 feet apart.

GENERAL GAME PROTOCOLS:

- Coaches and players on the benches are required to wear a mask. Masks must be worn by student-athletes who are not actively participating in practice or in a match.
- Teams will remain on their side of the court and will not switch sides between sets. Home team will select the side for their match
- Rosters will be submitted at the officials table before the 10-minute mark
- Pre match conference is at center court and will include a coach from each team and the officials.
- Point celebrations must be socially distant.
- No handshakes may occur
- Teams will provide their own individual water bottles – no water jugs are allowed for either team.
- No Team huddles are allowed
- Benches and chairs may be utilized if social distancing is possible. (Have pre-set layout)

PREGAME:

- No handshakes
- During the National Anthem teams should remain socially distant
- Starters go immediately to the court for play after the National Anthem

END OF GAME:

- Team: Entire team goes to end line and Waves at the opponent
- All trash must be picked up.
- Gym must be cleared within 20 minutes of the conclusion of the game.

VARSITY/JV WORKERS:

- Scorekeeper: Essential personnel at the scorer's table
- Scoreboard: Essential personnel at the scorer's table
- Libero tracker: Essential personnel at the scorer's table
- Game Announcer (varsity only)– Must not be at the scorer's table. No introductions.
- Line Judges: Only Varsity level. Masks required/Social distance maintained.
- Visitor book etc. are not allowed at the scorer's table

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LOWER LEVEL TABLE WORKERS:

- 1 person to do book and run the scoreboard at 9B, 9A and 10A

BALL CHASERS:

- No ball chasers that aren't part of your team.

GAME VOLLEYBALLS:

- Game balls should be sanitized between games. It is the home team's responsibility

PROVIDED AT THE TABLE:

- Hand sanitizer
- Sanitizer for mic, flags, volleyballs etc.
- Flags for line judges