

Shields Valley Fall Activities

COVID Guidelines for Home Games

These guidelines are subject to change without notice.

1. Basketball items:

- a. A limited number of fans will be allowed in the Shields Valley High School gym during basketball games.
- b. An administrator (or administrative designee) from the visiting school will be required to be on site during the contests to help monitor and enforce the SVHS COVID requirements among their fans.
- c. There will be 4 hometown fans allowed per participant, per program at basketball games at this time. Names of the four fans who will be attending for each player will be provided to the coaches at least one day in advance of the contest. A spectator's name must be on the list provided to the ticket taker in order to gain entrance.
- d. The visiting team will be allowed 30 fans per program. A guest fan list will be provided on day in advance. A spectator's name must be on the list provided to the ticket taker in order to gain entrance.
- e. Games will be played back to back by gender, ie. Boy/Boy then Girl/Girl (or vice versa), and the gym will be cleared between genders in order to clean and to allow a new set of fans to enter. This will increase the number of fans who may attend to watch their kids play.
- f. No early entry will be allowed for fans waiting for the next set of games.
- g. Only fans who are on the list will be allowed admission into the contest.
- h. All fans on the list will pay to get into the contest
- i. All fans in attendance will be required to wear masks and demonstrate six feet of physical distancing between individuals and/or immediate family groups.
- j. No food or drink will be allowed in the gym and bleachers.
- k. Visiting team will be allowed one bookkeeper at the scorer's table. Masks are required for score table personnel.
- l. Players will need to wear masks when not currently in the game. Coaches will be required to wear a mask throughout the contest per MHSAA directive.
- m. Team bench areas have limited space for distancing, please limit your bench personnel as we will not be able to accommodate additional managers and non-participants.
- n. There will be a designated area in the bleachers for non-participating players (JV during Varsity and Varsity during JV)
- o. Shields Valley will not provide towels, though athletes may shower after their contest. Shower and locker room facilities will be available for visiting teams; however, visiting coaches will be responsible for their own COVID-19 locker room safety protocol.
- p. Athletes should plan on bringing their own water bottles. Drinking fountains will be turned off.
- q. Shields Valley Schools will follow all pregame guidelines as prescribed by the MHSAA.
- r. There will be a rotation of game balls during each game. As game balls enter bleachers or otherwise need to be sanitized, and rotated out, a newly sanitized ball will rotate in.
- s. Limited concessions will be offered at this time. Spectators will not be allowed to eat in the gym or bleachers.