SWD Gymnastics Safety Protocols Lakota East High School



Location of SWD Meet: Lakota East High School

• Lakota East Main Gym (6840 Lakota Lane, Liberty Twp., Ohio 45044)

Capacity Restrictions are in place per the Ohio Department of Health Order:

- All tickets must be purchased online via OHSAA/HomeTown Ticketing.
 - Codes will be sent to Athletic Directors for distribution.
 - All tickets will be **\$10.00**. (There will not be any cash sales at the gate).

Ticket allocations will be based on anticipated attendance, venue and roster size.

Passes: Please note that no passes will not be accepted at the gate.

Gymnasts:

- All gymnasts must have their temperatures checked and symptoms checked prior to arrival at Lakota East by their head coach or trainer.
- Gymnasts must be masked upon entry into the building and gym.
- <u>Gymnasts must be masked at all times when not actively engaged in activity</u>, this includes the team introductions, rotating to events and during the playing of the National Anthem.
- Gymnasts must be socially distanced at all times when not actively engaged in activity.
- Gymnasts must bring their own water bottles. Lakota East will be able to refill water.
- Gymnasts and Teams will be assigned a Location as a home base. The locations will either be a locker room or auxiliary gymnasium.
- It is recommended that student athletes have several masks with them and a plastic bag to safely store their masks before, during and after the competition.

Coaches:

- Coaches must be masked at all times.
- Coaches must monitor and manage their athletes to ensure social distancing during at all times before, during and after the contest.
- Custodians and tournament personnel will clean seating with disinfectant during and after each session. Gloves and wipes will be provided for team/coach/individual use.
- If masking protocols are not being followed due to a medical condition, the individual must provide a doctor's note outlining the reasons why they do not have to wear a mask while attending the event. Please note, Lakota East Administration will not permit an unmasked individual to remain in the facility without appropriate documentation. If a coach falls into this category, please communicate with RIch Bryant via email at <u>Richard.Bryant@Lakotaonline.com</u> prior to the SWD Championships.

Spectators:

- All spectators must be masked at all times.
- Individual spectators must be socially distanced 6 feet apart at all times.
- Family groups are permitted to sit together and should remain socially distanced at all times. Seating will be clearly marked to assist with appropriate distancing.
- A public restroom will be available.
- Any spectator without a mask will be asked to leave the gym immediately. Meet personnel will be assisting with social distancing in the bleachers and with mask protocols.
- If masking protocols are not being followed due to a medical condition, the individual must provide a
 doctor's note outlining the reasons why they do not have to wear a mask while attending the event.
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 without appropriate documentation.

Other Notes:

- Lakota East will provide trainers for the competition.
- Access to the floor will be greatly limited, this will be explained in greater detail on the day of the competition directly to all coaches.
- Only the gymnasts competing should enter the competition floor and warm-up areas. Auxiliary seating will be placed in the mezzanine for those not participating.

All in attendance should be keenly aware of the importance of following all safety protocols. Individual opinion or feelings towards social distancing and facial coverings are not up for discussion. In short, all involved in this event have to follow the direction provided by Lakota East Athletic Administration. The reason for this direction is the safety of all participants and to allow student athletes from both teams to continue to have the opportunity to play the game that they love.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation, patience and understanding!

- Lakota East Athletics