

## **Opening Athletic Facilities Protocol 2020 / Updated May 29,2020**

**Opening Facilities - Baseball Field, Football Field, Gymnasium, Multipurpose Field Gym, Softball Field, Strength Room, Tennis Courts, Track, Wrestling Room**

**\*Bowling – Any Sports Training offered students and coaches must adhere to the required guidelines established by the Mason Bowl.**

**\*Swimming/Diving- Any Sports Training offered students and coaches must adhere to the required guidelines established by the City of Mason.**

### **District Sponsored Skills Training:**

- The District AD and COO will be responsible for implementation and oversight of the following district skills training protocols.
- Each sport will be required to schedule a time to use facilities through Assistant Athletic Director, Cathy Crotty and /or MS Athletic Director, as normal protocol.
- NOTE: In order to provide proper required 6 feet social distancing while maintaining the integrity of each sport, sports that are “In Season or Preseason” (Cross Country, Football, Soccer, Girls Tennis, Girls Volleyball) will have priority use of district sporting facilities.
- A coach must follow the attached OHSAA/Premiere Health Guidelines/Recommendations
- Each coach will be responsible for developing a plan for the designated activity that addresses each section of the OHSAA /Premiere Health Guidelines/Recommendations
- Each head coach (HS/MS) submits a plan of activities to Scott Stemple for immediate review and approval by Todd Petry, Warren County Health Dept Rep and Premiere Health Dept Representative before activity is to take place. Coaches should not create videos related to any plan of action. Virtual meetings with parents /students/staff is acceptable.

### **Pre-Workout Screening:**

- All coaches/advisors are required to [screen for signs/symptoms of COVID-19](#) prior to a workout.
- All event coordinators are required to have a station to record all participant names and their responses to screening questions. This is to be documented and saved for contact tracing purposes if a COVID-19 infection occurs.
- All participants must be Mason City School Students and submit a signed Covid 19 Waiver Form prior to participation.
- Participants displaying symptoms should be sent home immediately. Parents of participants should be contacted.
- Any person with positive responses on the screening should not be allowed to take part in workouts/activities and should contact their medical provider.
- A participant displaying symptoms is required to quarantine for 14 days and have approval from a physician to return.
- Vulnerable individuals (as defined above) should not attend, oversee or participate in any workouts.

Plan should focus and reflect on the following items:

1. Social Distancing at all times.....6 feet rule. (No limit to numbers but must adhere to Social Distance) "8 is great"
  2. Masks required if distancing is less than 6 feet at any time (Coaches and/or Athletes)
  3. How are you enforcing and /or assuring that these above requirements are met at all times.
  4. Any required sanitation of equipment used (Balls, training equipment, weight room etc) where required per the attached recommendations
  5. If an athlete needs to use the restroom staff must assure that only one student or coach at a time is in the restroom. Plan must reflect how you will address this.
  6. Hydration needs for athletes
  7. Address Pre-Screening Requirements
- Student athlete will be responsible for providing his or her own mask
  - Each coach will be provided 1 district issued mask by request
  - The district will provide medical equipment (ie thermometers) if needed
  - No locker rooms or drinking fountains will be available at any facilities.