



Dear Bunnell High School Parents and Guardians,

Bunnell High School, with the guidance of the Stratford Department of Health (the school district's medical advisor) and Central Office administration, has **developed a plan allowing spectators to attend our home athletic events this fall in accordance with specific rules and regulations**. All athletic contests will be held with schools within our league, the Southwest Conference (SWC).

- A "spectator" is defined only as a parent, grandparent, guardian, or sibling. Any children accompanying a spectator will be deemed a 2nd spectator (maximum permitted).
- A maximum of **two** spectators are allowed per student-athlete for outdoor events.
- A maximum of **one** spectator per student-athlete for indoor events (**reference *Sector Rules and Certification for reopen, ct.gov 7/3/20***).
- Spectators will pre-register through a Google Form that will be sent out the day before the contest by the athletic director or head coach.
- Spectators must be registered by **noon (12:00 PM)** the day of the contest. **No changes will be accepted at the gate.**
- Spectators will present a government issued photo ID at the entry gate. Registered spectators will not be permitted to enter without proper identification.
- A gate list will be kept for all contests that includes each spectator's phone number for contact tracing purposes.
- In conjunction with procedures during school hours, **all interscholastic athletic event spectators are required to wear masks at all times while on school grounds and remain 6 feet apart** at all times.
- **Bunnell High School spectators will not be permitted to attend away events.**
- Visiting spectators are not allowed at Bunnell High School or any SWC athletic events
- **Fall spectator restrictions can be found on page 3.** Our school administrators and district leadership have worked tirelessly with me on behalf of our athletes and their families to establish this spectator policy. **Please** follow the rules so that we may hopefully expand spectator attendance in the coming weeks. As stated above, registered spectators are only allowed at Bunnell High School home contests.

Please do not attempt to go to any away contests as you will be turned away. Bunnell High School fans and family members are encouraged to access the NFHS website to watch our games and contests played both at home and away. Information on this subscription service can be found on our athletics webpage: <https://www.stratfordk12.org/bunnellhigh/athletics> . All games played at the stadium and inside the gymnasium will be live streamed. We are currently working on live streaming options for Cross Country and Girls Swimming. Please be aware that all of these rules and regulations are subject to change at any time based on local health metrics and advice of health officials and school administration.

**Sincerely,**  
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## **Bunnell High School Spectator Rules and Regulations - Fall 2020**

### **OUTDOOR EVENTS**

- Bunnell High School will allow only home spectators for varsity games - a maximum of 2 parents per varsity athlete. Spectators must complete the google form link (Emailed the day before the event from the AD) by 12:00 (noon) the day of the event in order to be permitted to attend that afternoon or evening event.
- Spectators will only be allowed in with a valid ID. A gate worker will request to see the ID and record your attendance to the event.
- Spectators must sit in marked areas, wear masks and cannot enter the building.
- All spectators must enter through the primary ticket booth gate.

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### **INDOOR EVENTS**

- Per Sector Reopen rules, only 1 parent/guardian will be allowed in as a spectator for home varsity contests. The spectator must complete the google form link (Emailed the day before the event from the AD) by 12:00 (noon) the day of the event in order to be permitted to attend that afternoon or evening event.
- Spectators will only be allowed in with a valid ID. An event staff worker will file the list of fans with the game's roster of players, officials and game workers for contact tracing.
- Spectators must sit in marked areas, wear masks and bathroom access will be limited to the Porta Potties outside the gym.
- All spectators attending a game in the big gym must enter through the main athletic lobby entrance.

**All of the above rules and regulations are subject to change based on recommendations from Stratford Department of Health, Governor's Reopen Plan and Superintendent of Schools.**