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ATHLETICS UPDATES--1/12/2021

SPECTATORS UPDATE

We are pleased to announce that Valley Park High School Athletics has updated its winter sports spectator guidelines. Starting on Tuesday, January 19, 2021, Valley Park High School will begin allowing two (2) family members per student-athlete to attend each home athletic contest.

This decision was made in consultation with the St. Louis County Department of Health and St. Louis County Superintendents, and area athletic/activities directors.

Starting Tuesday, January 19th the following spectator guidelines will apply for all events hosted by Valley Park High School:

- Two family members for each Valley Park student-athlete will be allowed for HOME events.
 - Family members will be defined as:
 - Parents/Guardians,
 - Siblings, or
 - Grandparents.
 - Any spectator arriving on campus, who is not one of the two family spectators permitted, will be denied admittance to the competition.
- Appropriate social distancing must be followed at all times.
 - Each pair of spectators will be assigned a seating section to allow for safe social distancing.
- Face coverings must be appropriately worn by spectators at all times.
 - If anyone shows up without a mask they will be provided a disposable mask.
- Each spectator is asked to stay home if they cannot pass the [Healthy Hawk Checklist](#).
- NO visiting team spectators will be allowed for events hosted by Valley Park High School.
- Additional spectator restrictions may be put in place due to space limitations, county guidelines, and for the safety and protection of the community at any time as deemed appropriate by the administration.
- For away contests, Valley Park Athletics will continue to follow the guidelines of the host schools.
- The Missouri State High School Activities Association's spectator guidelines will be followed during state postseason events. Details regarding MSHSAA spectator guidelines will be communicated prior to the event.

A spectator registration form and spectator rules and procedures will be shared with winter athletes and coaches this week.

LIVE STREAMING

Home contests will continue to be live-streamed at: www.vp.k12.mo.us/vpactivities. Schedules, game dates, times, & locations can be found at: www.vp.k12.mo.us/athleticscalendar.

OPEN FACILITIES

Any Valley Park High School student wanting to work on their hitting skills is invited to attend open facilities hitting sessions in the elementary gymnasium every Monday from 7-8 pm. These sessions are free, supervised by Valley Park School District coaches, and open to any Valley Park High School student. Please enter the glassdoors near the early childhood center. For additional information please contact Coach Menley at mmenley@vp.k12.mo.us

Sincerely,

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Dean of Student Activities