

Crosby Blue Line Club Coronavirus/Covid-19 Guidelines

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12/14/2020 Updates in RED

The Crosby Blue Line Club will be taking thorough precautions to help slow the spread of Covid-19 amongst our players, fans, and entire community. Please note that the Blue Line Club plan may be changed or modified as the Coronavirus conditions change.

Coronavirus guidelines have been set as an attempt to ensure that all participants (players, parents, fans, employees) remain healthy, and that we as a hockey community avoid an outbreak of Covid-19, allowing our children to have a full and enjoyable hockey season.

Screening of individuals will not occur upon entrance to the building. However, we fully expect that everyone who plans to enter will be responsible and assess their own health. If you have any of the following symptoms that are new to you within the last 48 hours, please refrain from entering our facility.

1. Fever of 100.5 or above
2. Headache
3. Cough
4. Shortness of breath or trouble breathing
5. Chills
6. Muscle/Body aches
7. Sore throat
8. Loss of smell or taste
9. Nausea, vomiting, diarrhea

*Additionally, if you have been considered a close contact with someone who has tested positive for Covid-19, you are expected to follow the quarantine regulations set forth by the State and Local District Health Department. You are not allowed into the Crosby Community Center until your quarantine time has passed.

The following is recommended for all players, coaches, fans, all spectators.

MASKS

12/14/2020 Update: Facial masks are REQUIRED at all times in the facility with the exception of players while on the ice.

Facial masks are HIGHLY RECOMMENDED while in the Crosby Community Center facility. An example why this is important is if you are wearing a mask, and you are considered a close contact with someone who contracts COVID 19 and they were not wearing a mask, you will still be required to quarantine for 14 days. However, if both individuals were wearing masks, then you will not be required to quarantine. If we want our children and fans to have a complete hockey season, it is a good idea to wear a mask.

Facial masks should be worn properly, with your nose and mouth both covered. The mask may be removed when you are stationary and watching the game **in your family units**. If movement is required, we ask that you wear your mask.

Players and coaches are encouraged to wear a mask before helmets are put on and after they are removed.

HANDWASHING

Please **wash your hands** frequently and use the hand sanitizer areas provided around the facility.

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PHYSICAL DISTANCING

Physical Distancing is RECOMMENDED throughout the facility. Family units should attempt to sit together and separate from other spectators. Please pay attention to any floor markings for distancing and do your best to abide by them. Seating area arrangements may be modified.

FACILITY NUMBERS

12/14/2020 Update: We will be using the NDHSAA guidelines for season attendance. Please refer to their website for tier explanations. Our facility is Tier 4 <1000 = 25% of capacity up to 150, excluding athletes, coaches athletic staffing, and credentialed event staff.

We will be following the North Dakota Health Department's Coronavirus recommendations for events and public gatherings. Our facility has indoor upper lobby seating, indoor lower lobby seating, mezzanine standing room, stadium seating, and area around the rink to ensure proper distancing. We encourage patrons to utilize these areas. Number of attendees is subject to change depending on the state's requirements.

ENTRY FEES

Entry/gate fees for regular season games will not be taken to limit the handling of money. A free will offering box will be set up in the entryway for your patronage.

CONCESSIONS

Concessions will continue to be a big part of our hockey program as we rely greatly on the funds received from our hockey moms' kitchen. All concession workers will be REQUIRED to wear masks to work in the kitchen. Gloves will be worn when appropriate. They will continue to wash their hands and sanitize the kitchen prep and public eating areas often. Seating in the concession lobby will be limited, and overflow seating will be in the meeting room adjacent to the lobby.

Customers will be expected to:

- *utilize the personal distancing markers on the floor while in line
- *wash their hands before and after eating or handling of money
- *use social distancing when sitting in concession lobby and meeting room
- *dispose of personal trash after eating to reduce potential contact transmission

FACILITY CLEANING

Our club has hired a full time employee for the cleaning and disinfecting of the facility. Frequent cleaning and disinfecting of all areas and surfaces will be conducted. Having a hired employee does not mean that volunteer cleaning of the facility is no longer needed. Our employee cannot be everywhere all the time, so please continue to volunteer and clean any area requiring touch ups. It is even more important this year that we all work together to maintain a clean & sanitized facility.

A fogger sanitizing machine has been purchased and will be utilized to disinfect locker rooms before and after each use.

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ADDITIONAL EXPECTATIONS OF COACHES & PLAYERS

12/14/2020 Update:

Home Games:

Players and fans should arrive 30 minutes prior to games, and should attempt to leave 30 minutes following games.

Home teams will be required to enter the facility through the west door. A parent/guardian is allowed if needed to assist the player.

Guest players and fans are to use the main entrance doors. Players are encouraged to go straight down the stairs to the locker rooms as we attempt to keep the athletes separate from fans of other towns.

Lower floor is only to be utilized by players, coaches & staffing, and credentialed event staff.

Players should not arrive any sooner than 15 minutes before scheduled practice as **locker rooms** will be locked. Players should also leave the facility within 15 minutes following practice.

12/14/2020 Update: Players can arrive 30 minutes prior to practice and have 30 minutes to leave following practice.

Coaches need to be the first ones to arrive for practice and the last ones to leave to ensure their team is following recommended guidelines.

Public Water fountains will not be available for use, but water bottle fillers will be operable. Personal **water bottles** are **required** for each individual player and should be marked with player's name.

It is **REQUIRED** that **Squirt aged players and down come dressed and ready** for practice to limit gatherings. Other players are **RECOMMENDED** to arrive dressed. Players getting dressed in the facility should maintain distancing within the locker rooms.

12/14/2020 Update: All players are allowed to get dressed in the facility, but should still maintain social distancing and facemasks required.

Equipment is **REQUIRED** to be taken home after every practice and game. This will allow for thorough cleaning and disinfecting of the locker rooms, and gives opportunity for personal gear to be properly cleaned and sanitized.

12/14/2020: Equipment still needs to be removed, however, JG and 19U girls may leave their equipment in their locker rooms as they will be disinfected with room disinfection.

Avoid sharing any equipment.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

It is every individual's responsibility to notify our Facility Director if you have tested positive for Covid-19 or are a close contact. **Brock Harward 801-372-4575**

Each opposing team has their own guidelines regarding COVID 19 and spectator attendance, so please check their guidelines on the NDAHA website (www.ndaha.org, NDAHA COVID 19 INFO) prior to leaving to ensure compliance.

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The Crosby Blue Line Club will not be held liable for any damages or inconveniences related to Covid-19 transmission or contact.

Thank you for your understanding and patience. We believe we all want the same healthy & complete hockey season we can get. Together we will get through this trying time.