TAPPS District 3-5A Collegiality Agreement

August 26, 2020

We are in unique times and we acknowledge the need to communicate and support each other for the greater good. We believe that an athletic program is an integral part of each of our high schools. We value the competition and development of student-athletes through these programs.

As schools in TAPPS District 3-5A, we acknowledge that we are responsible for the safe and effective administration of our sports seasons.

1. We commit to treating each other with respect and mutual courtesy.
2. We commit to dealing with all issues in a prompt manner.
3. We commit to ensuring that our school stakeholders understand the procedures and our commitment to collegiality.
4. We commit to Sportsmanship. Schools will support and cheer for their respective school without derogatory statements at individuals, teams or schools. Any violations will be resolved at the time of the infraction.
5. We commit to join together in prayer at all contests where two district schools are present.
6. We commit to have an administrator or designee present at all games where member schools are present.

Priorities for Interscholastic Competition During the Pandemic:

1. Student-Athletics get to play, which requires that health and safety are paramount
2. Parents watch their student-athlete play in-person whenever possible.
3. Siblings of student-athlete get to watch their brother or sister play
4. Extended family (not friends, actual family) get to watch their family play
5. Student fans are able to attend a game.
6. (Possible Media or Scouts to attend)

Each District Facility has limited physically distanced (6 ft.) seating capacities, taking into account members of the same household can sit next to each other. Each school has agreed to split this limited seating 50/50 between two schools competing.

Spectator/Fan Admission Procedures:

1. All fans will be temperature checked upon entry and acknowledge self-screening of Covid-19 symptoms.
2. Anyone who is 100.0 or above will not be permitted in the facility
3. All fans will be required to wear masks the entire time they are in the gym (unless eating or drinking)
4. Schools will pre-sell tickets from their school’s allotment prior to the date of competition. Schools could use paper tickets or electronic tickets to aid the host school in regulating actual attendance numbers in each facility. Each school will provide tickets to the visiting school.
5. All tickets will be sold from home school site.
6. Any spectator who does not have a ticket is not permitted to loiter outside of gyms/facilities or in parking lots, creating a mob effect.
7. All fans/spectators should exit facilities and go immediately to the vehicle to leave the premises. No one should gather with others not in the same household.
8. The host school will direct fans to clear the gym after each sub varsity game being played before next group of fans can enter the gym.