

WEST NASHVILLE SPORTS LEAGUE

2021 MARCH MADNESS

GUIDELINES FOR COVID-19

1. All local & state health official guidelines will be followed.
2. **EVERYONE must wear a mask or face covering while inside ANY GYM/FACILITY. Players may remove their mask while playing. If a player chooses to wear additional PPE, they may do so as long as it does not compromise the safety of other players. Coaches must remain in a mask during games. Referees are not required to wear a mask.**
3. Social distancing of 6 feet is a requirement for everyone.
4. WNSL Employees and Referees will be screened and have their temperatures taken before entering the facility.
5. **Teams must exit the court at the time the game ends and the oncoming teams will enter after all teams are cleared of the area. If teams are not playing games back-to-back teams and spectators need to EXIT the facility and do not return until 10 minutes prior to next game. No loitering.**

As of March 1st the following spectators per player are allowed in the following gyms: (Note- these criteria are subject to change).

(Note: The head coach, assistant coach, scorekeeper and players do not count as spectators; i.e.. a coach has a son on the team then that player may have 3 spectators in the BGA gym in the stands because he and his Dad/Coach do not count towards the spectators allowed for this player).

BGA- 3 total (adults or youth)

Montessori Academy- 3 total (adults or youth)

FCA- 3 total (adults or youth)

Legacy Courts – 4 total (adults or youth)

FPC- 1 total (adult only)

Valor Collegiate – 3 total (adults or youth)

Lipscomb Academy- 2 total (adults or youth)

Social Distancing is Paramount & Face Coverings MUST be worn!

6. Any player, or person not feeling well, should not attend games.
7. Spectators attending games should follow 6' social distancing guidelines at all times. No spectators will be allowed to sit on the team benches.
8. Pregame conference will be limited to one (1) Coach per team and the Referee. Social distancing of 6' is required.
9. Teams should bring their own TWO practice balls. No shared equipment will be provided. Game balls will be sanitized in between games.

10. For injuries, coaches and referees must follow the WNSL concussion/head injury policy. Coaches, referees and off court help must wear a mask when attending to an injured player. If there is an open wound then gloves/mask must be worn by those attending to the player.
11. Hand sanitizer stations will be set up in many strategic locations around the facilities.
12. Bathrooms will be cleaned and sanitized every few hours (depending on usage).
13. No handshaking/celebrations: Players and coaches should refrain from high-fives, handshakes, fist/elbow/chest bumps, group celebrations, etc.
14. No post game team gatherings/parties/shared snacks will be allowed at any facility.
15. Parents should have extra equipment in equipment bag and labeled water bottle for player. No sharing of equipment or water bottles. No team coolers allowed.
16. Coaches should help to educate players on the hygiene/handwashing/touching of the face suggested guidelines.
17. Anyone found in repeated violations of these guidelines will be asked not to take part in the remainder of the tournament.
18. The WNSL management reserves the right to change any of the guidelines at any time as the situation evolves to ensure the utmost safety and well-being of the players, the officials, the spectators, and workers are first and foremost.