



****Please understand that this information is fluid and could change at any time. I will reach out to you personally if I know of any changes. Looking forward to hosting you at 'The Swamp'. Stay safe and email or call if you have any questions.**

Entrance: All teams and fans should enter using the Main Doors (Door #1) on the east side of the North Star High School. Buses should park in the southeast parking lot.

Admission: Adults.....\$6.00 and Students.....\$4.00. Due to COVID-19, there will be NO opposing Cheer or Dance teams allowed to attend North Star home activities. Please send an Administrative pass list the day of the game.

Spectator

Information: Lincoln Public Schools has worked collaboratively with the Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department to update its winter sports protocols. LPS will implement the protocols outlined below for all student-athletes and spectators during competitions in our buildings. Following health department recommendations allows us to reduce the risk of spread and continue with our season.

The number of fans for each basketball competition is **limited to a maximum of only two individuals per participant**, who must all be part of the same household as the participant.

To meet the guidelines on spectator limits, LPS is implementing the following: (Subject to change based on venue capacity and other variables. Changes will be communicated by schools.)

- Spectators = any person of any age, including infants, toddlers and children
- Only the designated home team cheer and dance teams will perform at home competitions. In most cases, two household spectators per participant will be allowed to attend.
- Spectators may sit in their household group of two, but individuals and household pairs must maintain at least six feet of physical distance between other individuals and household pairs.
- There will NOT be a student section for students to congregate and sit together.
- Multi-layer face coverings must be worn fully covering the mouth and nose by any spectator over the age of 2 at all times. Anyone not following the face covering requirement while inside LPS buildings will be asked to leave.
- Concessions will not be sold, and no outside food or drink will be allowed in LPS buildings.

Live Streaming

All of the Lincoln North Star basketball games will be streamed on our LNS YouTube Channel for Sports:

Some varsity basketball competitions will be streamed on KLKN-TV's sports page: **klkntv.com/LPSSports**.

Our YouTube Channel for Sports:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCds4gtJJ9RdwYUZmNI1kDg>



Media

The following are the requirements for media wishing to cover LPS athletic teams:

- NSAA credentials are required, and you must sign in at the gate.
- Face coverings over the mouth and nose must be worn at all times.
- Contact the school athletic director for any questions.

Seating:

Basketball:

HOME TEAM: North Bench (to the left of the score table as you face it) – Home Team spectators will be asked to sit on the East side (behind the team benches) of the gymnasium using 6ft. of physical distancing between each pod of spectators. Designated seating areas will be marked with blue tape. Please follow these notifications.

VISITING TEAM: South Bench (to the right of the score table as you face it) – Visiting Team spectators will be asked to sit on the west side (opposite side of the team benches) of the gymnasium using 6 ft. of physical distancing between each pod of spectators. Designated seating areas will be marked with blue tape. Please follow these notifications.

Concessions: Due to COVID-19 there will be NO Concessions available. Outside food and drinks will **NOT** be allowed at LNS for any spectators.

Parking: Team Buses should drop off teams at the main entrance on the East side of the building. This entrance is Door #1. After dropping off the team the bus can park in the parking lot southeast of the Door #1.

Locker Rooms & Team Benches:

Your team will be assigned a locker room upon arrival and will be given a key for that locker room.

Team Personnel: (BB)

Only coaches, managers, players and a trainer will be permitted on the team bench. Only 14 members in uniform are to be on the bench. There will be enough space to accommodate the players, managers and coaches on each bench. Each team area will utilize padded chairs as well as bleacher space.

Cheerleaders, Band and Dance:

There will be NO visiting Cheer or Dance squads allowed to attend a game/meet at LNS until further notice or change in the local DHM.

Supervision:

Each school is expected to provide adequate supervision. It helps if a member of the administration comes one hour prior to game time to direct people to the designated seating areas. We ask that visiting administrators please assist with ensuring that your spectators follow the COVID guidelines of LPS/LNS.



Live Stream: [NORTH STAR ATHLETIC WEBSITE](#)

[LINK TO ROSTERS, BROADCASTS & PROTOCOLS](#)

COVID-19 GUIDELINES

Lincoln Public Schools is working collaboratively with the Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department to create a Spectator Attendance Plan to ensure safe participation in Athletics & Student Activities. Our goal is to enable families to attend and watch their children perform. We appreciate your cooperation and understanding, and thank you in advance for honoring these parameters.

To help reduce the spread of Covid-19 we ask that all students and families attending events adhere to the following practices and recommendations:

- *Self-screen before attending. If you feel ill, please do not attend.*
- *Wash hands frequently and properly social distance (at least 6ft).*
- *Family groups may sit together in less than the required physical distance, but six feet of distance should exist between groups.*
- *Face coverings will be required to attend any LPS event--both indoors and outside.*

Due to current Covid-19 conditions in the Lincoln area, attendance at LPS-hosted athletic events will be limited. Attendance allowances are dictated by the capacity of the competition/performance venue.

- *The LPS Attendance Plan limits spectators to only household family members of those students participating in/performing at that specific event. Household family is defined as "two members living in the same household.*
- *Immediate family attendance applies to all sports and venues at this time.*
- *A face covering **MUST** be worn at all times while at the activity. **Masks must cover the nose and mouth at ALL TIMES.***
- *If Covid-19 conditions in our community improve (based on LLCHD parameters) and it is feasible to increase attendance in the future we will communicate those changes to the public at that time.*