



Fall 2020 COVID-19 Athletic Spectator Protocols

Welcome to Sterling! We hope you enjoy your visit. Please observe the following protocols when visiting our campus for athletic events this fall:

- FANS ARE ASKED TO FOLLOW CDC GUIDELINES:
- Stay home when you are sick.
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
- Wear a face covering.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth.
- Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash immediately after use.

FOOTBALL STADIUM

- STADIUM ENTRY
- Governor Murphy's Executive Order remains in effect, limiting outdoor events to 500 spectators. As a result, only 500 tickets are available for each contest.
- A football access card, specific for each contest, will be required to purchase a football game ticket. One ticket can be purchased per card.
- Gates will open 60 minutes prior to kick off to assist with fan entry and social distancing.
- Fans are encouraged to bring exact change to minimize line times.
- Fans must socially distance, 6 feet from those not in their party, and must wear a mask for the duration of the contest.
- Fans without a mask will not be allowed to enter.

STADIUM ATTENDANCE

- Fans are required to wear a mask while in the stadium.
- Fans are asked to remain socially distanced at all times while traversing the stadium.
- Restroom signage will be installed detailing COVID-19 recommendations (i.e. hand washing procedures) and fans are asked to practice these.
- All concession workers will receive safety training, especially education focused on new COVID-19 parameters.
- The concessions menu will be modified to provide more products that are pre-prepped and sealed.
- All stadium staff and game day personnel will be required to fill out and complete an online COVID-19 screening form prior to arriving to campus for game day.
- All stadium staff and game day personnel will be required to wear face coverings at all times.
- In addition to face coverings, concessions vendors will be required to wear gloves.

- **STADIUM EXITING**
- At the conclusion of the game, fans should recognize and respect social distancing when exiting the stadium.
- **OTHER GAME DAY PROTOCOLS**
- Game tickets will not be sold to anyone not possessing an access card.
- The Sterling Pep Band will perform at halftime on the track while remaining socially distanced.
- The Sterling Cheerleading Squad will be on the field but will not perform stunts or lifts.

FIELD HOCKEY & SOCCER FIELDS

- Spectators must possess a Colonial Conference spectator pass and be prepared to show their pass when asked by event staff. These passes are given to student-athletes to share with their family and friends.
- Fans are required to wear a mask while in the stadium.
- All fans will utilize their own personal portable chair or blanket, as bleachers will not be available.
- Fans must socially distance 6 feet from those not in their party.
- Fans without a mask will not be allowed to enter.
- Fans are asked to remain socially distanced at all times while traversing the stadium.
- At the conclusion of the game, fans should recognize and respect social distancing when exiting the fields

ALL OTHER HOME ATHLETIC EVENTS

- Spectators must possess a Colonial Conference spectator pass and be prepared to show their pass when asked by event staff. These passes are given to student-athletes to share with their family and friends.
- Bleachers have been removed and are not available to spectators. Fans are encouraged to bring a portable chair or blanket.
- Fans are always required to wear a mask.
- Fans must socially distance 6 feet from those not in their party.

Thank you and enjoy the game!