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Malcolm Clippers Athletic Department

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Dear AD and basketball coaching staff(s),

We look forward to hosting you for our scheduled basketball contest. JV contests will be split with one in Westfall gym and one in the competition gym with the varsity contests to follow. As long as we are at the 2-person limit per athlete, we will not have to force people to leave the gym(s) between games. For the Freeman game, the JV boys will be in the competition gym and the JV girls will be in the Westfall gym.

Masks are required by everyone in the building except those players on the court. We will have an extended area next to the bench where players just out of the game may stand while catching their breath, but upon returning to the bench their face should be covered.

It is important that visiting schools adhere to the requirements set forth by Lincoln-Lancaster County Health District and Malcolm Schools, or the event could be stopped, as LLCHD requires both schools follow the COVID-19 Protocols. LLCHD could end up suspending sports for schools who have violations of the directed health measure and plans developed to ensure safety.

As a reminder, individual water bottles and single use towels are the suggestion by the Health Department. There will be no congregating of fans and teams following games. There should be no congregating in the commons area.

ARRIVAL TIME:

For games played during the week, please plan on arriving at 3:45, and if you must arrive earlier, please let me know. This allows me to make arrangements as arriving earlier than 3:45 results in cross traffic in the halls and parking lot as our school day is letting out.

ENTRANCE:

Please enter on the west side of the building. Please maintain social distancing as you wait to pay admission and be checked off of the pass list.

ADMISSION RESTRICTIONS:

At this time the Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department is requiring that only 2 spectators per player. Please note that everyone involved with your team is considered a participant. This includes players, coaches, managers, and book keeper, and they can all have 2 spectators on the pass list. Please submit a pass list to our office (ann.kramer@mps148.org or michelle.glause@mps148.org) by 8:00 a.m. the day of our scheduled contest.

Adults-\$6.00

Students- \$5.00

SEATING:

Social distancing and masks are required. Visiting fans will sit on the east side of the gym and should sit in a family group with social distancing between family groups. **The JV players and managers from each team will occupy the first 4 rows immediately behind their respective team benches.**

STREAMING

The JV game in the competition gym and varsity games will be streamed on our Striv channel: Striv.tv/Malcolm

WATER: A table/cart will be provided for holding a water jug that can be used to fill individual water bottles. We ask that you bring your own jug. We can help your managers with filling it with ice and water.

CONCESSIONS AND REST ROOMS:

Concessions will not be available at this time. Outside food and eating are not permitted in the gym. Rest rooms are located in the commons area.

LOCKER ROOMS

Each team will have a locker room and a classroom for their use. Social distancing is required, so the classroom will likely be used for team meetings while the locker room is used for changing and showering. Your locker room is limited to 10 athletes at a time due to the size of the locker room. The Health Department suggests that locker room use be limited to 5 minutes per athlete.

BENCHES:

Your team will occupy the bench to the right of the scorer's table as you face the table. This is the area nearest the commons area. Important step in following our local health directive. When players come out of the game and need to catch their breath, please have them stand in the area near the commons entrance/exit. Once a player returns to the bench they should have their face covering up/on.

There will be seating behind your bench for your JV players to watch the varsity contest.

TIME OUTS – STOOLS PROVIDED:

We are providing you with 6 stools at the end of your bench. These stools allow you to move your time out more onto the court and have the bench players spread out around you. This will help create social distancing from the crowd in the stands as well.

MEDICAL PERSONAL:

For varsity games, usually Nebraska Sports Orthopedic will have a sports trainer present. Dave Schultz or this representative usually sticks around and visit with both teams' coaches after the game to check on any injuries.

POST GAME – EXITING THE FACILITY:

Finally, following the contests fans are asked to quickly exit the facility. Fans will not be permitted to congregate in the gym or the commons area.

Dallas Sweet, Activities Director