**SOHI FOOTBALL**

**OCTOBER 9, 2020 – SOHI vs KENAI**

**PROCEDURAL GUIDELINES**

* Follow ASAA mitigation plans for events and football under the intermediate risk category.
* Outdoor events – spectators limited to what the facility can handle with emphasis on social distancing of at least 6 feet.
	+ Bleachers will be taped at 6-foot intervals to encourage social distancing.
	+ Pathway along the fence on the east side of the field will be taped at 10-foot intervals to encourage social distancing.
	+ A maximum number of 450 spectators will be allowed entry (administration will oversee this process).
	+ Signage will be provided with guidelines for social distancing.
* Gates will be set-up at the northern and southern gates. Cash will be accepted. Workers must wear gloves.
* Artificial noisemakers will be allowed.
	+ Yelling and cheering is strongly discouraged.
* No concessions will be permitted.
* Please see mitigation plan for booster club apparel sales.

**SCREENING**

* Prior to attending, advisors, coaches, supervisors, and participants must sign a waiver of liability related to COVID-19.
* Screen advisors, coaches, supervisors, and participants upon arrival at the facility. Includes a temperature check, questions, and phone number/email. Information should be recorded and stored to help facilitate contact tracing of a confirmed exposure.
* Anyone with a temperature of greater than 100.3 degrees or with positive symptoms reported will not be allowed to participate, should self-isolate, and contact their primary care provider or other health-care professional.
* All spectators must wear a mask and sign the KPBSD waiver before entering the facility
* There will be a designated individual on site responsible for monitoring and following all screening, cleaning, and social distancing protocols.
	+ SOHI administration and AD will oversee these protocols.

**FACILITY CLEANING**

* Cleaning and disinfecting will be conducted in compliance with CDC protocols.
	+ Hourly cleaning off the restroom facilities will occur.
	+ Custodial staff from Soldotna High School will be utilized for the event.

**FACILITY AND EQUIPMENT**

* Facility will have signage of cleaning and COVID protocols and visual indicators of proper spacing between individuals.
* Hand sanitizer will be plentiful and available to all participants and spectators.
* Athletes will be provided access to locker rooms. Showers will not be available for this event. Please see the approved SOHI locker room mitigation plan.
* All participants, spectators, and game workers will use the restrooms located in the football field house. Signage will include proper sanitation procedures. Number of occupants will be limited to four and social distancing markers will be provided for those waiting in line outside. Please see the facility cleaning section for information regarding cleaning procedures.
* Hydration stations will not be used.
	+ All athletes must have their own water bottles.
* Each team is responsible for its own towels, hand sanitizer, and med kit (no sharing will be permitted).

**INDIVIDUAL HYGIENE**

* All event workers are required to wear masks.
* All workers, participants, coaches, administrators, and spectators are encouraged to wash hands for a minimum of 20 seconds with warm water and soap or hand sanitizer before touching any surfaces or participating in competition.
* Appropriate clothing/shoes should be worn at all times to minimize sweat from transmitting onto equipment/surfaces.
* It is recommended that athletes report in appropriate attire and immediately return home to shower after participation.
* Encourage the practice of sneezing or coughing into a tissue, or on the inside of the elbow. Avoid touching the face.
* All athletes should have their own water bottle. Water bottles and food must not be shared.
* All individuals should refrain from handshakes, high fives, fist/elbow bumps, group celebrations, etc.

**FACE COVERINGS**

* Cloth face covering by participants should be used when not engaging in vigorous activity (i.e. when not playing in the game).
* Coaches should wear cloth face coverings, especially when physical distancing is not possible.
* All game workers must wear cloth face coverings.
* Spectators must wear cloth face coverings when entering the facility. When spectators are moving around the facilities, they will be required to wear a mask. When spectators cannot maintain 6-feet of physical distancing between themselves and another family pod, they will be required to wear a mask.

**EVENT PROCEDURES**

* SOHI will be utilizing the turf at Justin Maile Field.
* Participating teams:
	+ Soldotna, Kenai
* Starting at 3:00 pm, screening for participating teams will occur.
	+ After screening, teams can begin warming up.
* Varsity game will begin at 4:00 pm (full pads).
* Balls will be switched and sanitized frequently with a non-alcohol based product.
* Each team will provide their own ball person who will wear a mask and gloves.
* No pre or post-event handshakes or fist bumps.
* ASAA Board of Directors mandates that all NFHS Football Rules Considerations be followed.
* ASAA Return to Competition:
	+ FOOTBALL RULES CONSIDERATIONS
		- TEAM BOX (Rule 1-2-3g)
			* The team box may be extended on both sides of the field to the 10-yard lines (for players only) in order for more social-distancing space for the teams.
			* Maintain social distancing of 6 feet at all times while in the team box.
			* Do not share uniforms, towels and other apparel and equipment.