



Dear Gym Owners & Coaches,

We would like to share with you some information to help better prepare all the athletes, coaches, spectators, and Varsity All Star personnel for your upcoming event. We recommend that you share this information with your program, including parents, to ensure they understand our guidelines prior to the event.

We are optimistic about hosting live events and we need your partnership to ensure your athletes can continue to get to experience competitions this season. We are asking for your full cooperation and adherence to the guidance below and urge you to share this information with your athletes and spectators to avoid issues that could hinder a positive competition experience.

AC – The American SunSational DI & DII

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Option B

Coaches Check-In

- One coach per team will be allowed at check-in and physical distancing protocols will be enforced.
- All Coaches and Owners will need to present I.D. to receive your USASF Green Light wristband at registration/check-in.
- Coaches or gym owners will need to submit all completed program waivers during Registration/Check-In. Please have all pertinent event required documentation read to help speed up the check-in process.

Coaches & Team Information

- All coaches and athletes must wear a mask to enter the building and during the transitions between the practice rotation and performance floor. Plastic face shields are not considered masks and may only be worn in addition to a mask.
- Athletes are not required to wear masks while performing but may do so if desired. The use of masks will not affect your score.
- All athletes need to bring their own water bottle labeled with their name. Water bottles will not be able to be refilled inside the venue.
- Team rooms & Coach's Hospitality rooms will not be available.

Spectator Ticketing

- Spectator tickets will be done by team viewing only based on allowed capacities. Spectators will pre-purchase online tickets. More information about the ticket link will be coming soon. Limited tickets may be available for purchase on-site.
- We recommend limiting spectators to two per athlete.
- Tickets will be \$10 per adult and children 12 and under are free. *Additional fees for online ticket purchases may apply.



Spectator Viewing

- Spectator viewing will be done by team only.
- Spectators will have a designated entry and exit door for traffic flow and will not be allowed into the venue until 20 minutes before your scheduled performance time.
- The viewing area will be done on a rotation basis with physical distancing protocols in place.
- All spectators will need to leave the facility after each team performance to limit the number of people allowed in the facility and allow for cleaning between groups.
- A general schedule listing the divisions and times for each performance is posted on the event page.

Event Concessions & Vendor Merchandise

- Concessions will not be available for purchase. No outside food or drink will be permitted in the venue. Exception: Athlete water bottles.
- Congregating in the common area of the venue is not allowed.
- Merchandise will be available for purchase in the outdoor vendor area.
- Action photos may be purchased online.

Health Information

- Masks are mandatory for everyone two and over. Security will be stationed at each building entrance to ensure all entrants wear masks. Plastic face shields are not considered masks and may only be worn in addition to a mask.
- Should someone have a condition that precludes them from wearing a mask, they will not be allowed into the venue.
- We are advising anyone over the age of 65; anyone (of any age) with an underlying health condition or a compromised immune system; or anyone who has any specific concerns about COVID-19 exposure to not attend.
- All Varsity Spirit and venue staff will have their temperatures checked daily before entering the building.
- Any spectator with any symptoms (Fever of 100°F or higher, cough, sore throat, congestion or runny nose, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, loss of taste or smell, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea) may not enter.

Event Awards

- All score sheets and deduction sheets will be emailed to teams following their performance.
- An awards schedule will be provided on our website the week of the event.
- Awards will be held virtually for athletes and spectators to view throughout the day according to the awards schedule.
- One coach per team will be allowed to pick up team awards at the designated pick-up location. Awards will not be mailed post event.



The final details and schedule for this individual competition will be continuously monitored and may be adjusted, including making the competition virtual, if necessary. All guidelines are subject to change based on Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ("CDC"), federal, state, local and venue-specific guidance. We will communicate any changes to you as soon as they are confirmed.

Varsity Spirit's baseline safety standards for include:

- Physical distancing protocols will be in place and enforced.
- Increased sanitization measures throughout venues, including enhanced cleaning protocols, hand sanitization stations and more frequent cleaning of performance surfaces.
- Increased physical distancing throughout the practice and performance areas.
- Adults and children two and older will be required to wear masks. Plastic face shields are not considered masks and may only be worn in addition to a mask.
- All attendees (including coaches, athletes, spectators, and Varsity Spirit staff) will be asked to monitor their own health prior to attending an event and follow the CDC guidelines for protecting themselves and others.
- Coaches will be asked to review the [Varsity Spirit Competition COVID Rules](#) with anyone who is attending the event (coaches, athletes and spectators)

You can trust Varsity Spirit to lead the way in bringing back events safely. If you have additional questions regarding your specific event, we are here to help. We hope to see you soon and thank you for being part of our Varsity Spirit Family.

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