



Dear Gym Owners & Coaches,

We would like to share with you some information to help better prepare all the athletes, coaches, families, 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 families to avoid issues that could hinder a positive competition experience.

Athletic Championships – Chattanooga

Chattanooga, TN

January 16-17, 2021

Option C

Athlete Drop-Off & Parking

- The Carter Street entrance will be used for athlete drop-off and pick up. The venue can also be accessed from the Marriott.
- Athletes and Coaches/Personnel will need to meet outside of the building and enter together. Coaches/Personnel are responsible for monitoring your athletes during this time.
- Parents and guardians will not be able to wait in the entrance area for the duration of their athlete's performance.
- Parking will be available around the convention center for a fee.
- It is critical that teams arrive shortly before their scheduled Check-In time to avoid congestion and traffic. Please do not instruct gathering more than 30 minutes prior to your check-in time.

Coach Registration & Check-In

- Team Registration will take place with physical distancing protocols in place.
- Two representative per program is permitted at the registration check-in table.
- I.D.s will be required from all coaches for your USASF Green Light wristband.
- Masks are required to be worn at all times. Plastic face shields are not considered masks and may only be worn in addition to a mask.
- Coaches or gym owners will need to bring your program waiver forms with you to check in.

Coaches & Team Information

- All coaches and athletes must wear a mask to enter the building and throughout their transition between the practice and performance floor. Plastic face shields are not considered masks and may only be worn in addition to a mask.
- Athletes will not be required to wear a mask while practicing or performing but may do so if they wish. The use of masks will not affect your score.



- We recommend bringing clearly labeled resealable bags to hold masks during the practice and performance period.
- 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 will not be available.
- Coach's Hospitality rooms will be available with physical distancing protocols in place. No food or beverages will be served.

Spectator Viewing

- Spectators are not allowed in the venue for this event.
- This event will be live streamed on Varsity TV for fans to view. A subscription is required.
- Coaches will be allowed to record routines for personal use.

Event Concessions & Vendor Merchandise

- Event concessions and merchandise will not be available.

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.
- Anyone 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. A paper copy of your score sheet may be picked up behind the judges riser.
- Awards will be held virtually for athletes and spectators to view.
- One coach per team will be allowed to pick up team awards on-site. More information will be coming soon.

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.
- Face coverings will be required for everyone, except for athletes when on the practice and performance floors. 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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