



The Midwest Penguins Volleyball Club

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Playing Site Location – 815 Northview Road, Waukesha, WI 53189

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IT is VERY IMPORTANT that Club Directors and Coaches share this information with all athletes and PARENTS so that everyone is well informed regarding the rules of the event. This will help eliminate many questions or misunderstandings.

Facility:

- Center Court – 815 Northview Road Waukesha, WI 53188

Important Facts:

1. No food may be brought into the facility. Any coolers must be kept in the car.
2. This tournament site has a no carry-in policy. Teams found violating this policy, may be charged \$25 and forfeit 1st set of their next match.
3. Concessions will be provided by the facility.
4. Drinking fountains may be turned off at this time, please bring waters in your bag or purchase on site.
5. **No Gum** will be allowed in the gym. Facility food and beverages **are** allowed in the gym area.
6. Gym bags should be placed near spectator bleachers or off to the side walls. (**DO NOT STORE AT BENCHES!**)
7. Neither Center Court nor the Midwest Penguins are responsible for lost or stolen items.
8. Entry to Building
 - a. You may enter the building beginning 45 minutes before your scheduled start time.
 - b. Please go directly to your court and prepare for warm ups to begin 15 min prior to your start time.
9. Admission will be \$8.00 per day per spectator at the door.

COVID Rules:

1. Masks are optional. Please respect everyone's choice and social distance when possible.
2. Teams will NOT switch sides between sets. Exception, if a court is deemed to have disadvantage BEFORE the match begins, it may be agreed by the referee and both teams that a switch is deemed necessary due to facility constraints.

Some other points of emphasis:

1. Coaches, please help by cleaning the bench prior to leaving court or when arriving or both.
2. Pick up and dispose of your drink bottles. Do not leave garbage at the bench.

Facility Related

1. **USE COMMON SENSE PLEASE!!**
2. **Before entering facility, at a minimum please consider,**
 - a. If a player or spectator has a fever or is suspected of being ill, they should stay home.
 - b. If player or spectator has been asked or chose to self-quarantine, they should remain home until the appropriate time has expired.
3. **Maintain social distancing throughout the day**, including but not limited to seating on courts, in spectator bleachers, in mezzanine, in café, in rest rooms, in hallways, and outside. Please be courteous and considerate of teams moving between courts, hallways, and café.
4. **Entrances**
 - a. Both entrances will be utilized (Note, South entrance near the deck and sand is always open earlier)
 - b. Athlete's only bring in one backpack, bring only what is needed to play. Place your jacket and belongings inside bag to minimize items laying around.
 - c. Spectator's,
 - i. Please have exact cash in hand for admission \$8 per non athlete
 - ii. The wristband is good for one person per day.
5. **Cafe**
 - a. There are tables and chairs set up for your use.
 - b. Please clean up the area well and dispose of trash after use.

As you can imagine it takes a great deal of time and planning to run events. We ask that everyone is cooperative and considerate of the environment and individuals as they navigate the day. **Again, please share this information with your athlete and parents. This may seem like a lot of reading but will help greatly with facilitating an awesome day of volleyball for everyone.** It is **FUN** to be back in the gym, but it will take ALL OF US to continue safely.

Good Luck! ☺ Janice & Anne