

Newsome High School Varsity Football Game Day FAQs
Go Wolves!

We welcome you to the 2020 varsity football season and hope information contained in this document will help you enjoy your experience! The objective of limiting spectators and implementing these protocols is to provide the safest environment for our guests, athletes, and coaches, and to do everything we can to preserve our season. While waiting in line for stadium entry, restrooms and/or concessions, please remember to socially distance yourselves. Protocols explained in this document will continuously be evaluated as the season progresses.

1. What time will the gate open to enter the stadium? 6:30pm
2. How do I enter the stadium? All tickets will be scanned next to the main ticket booth located next to the Field House. You will need to enter from Fishhawk Blvd. in order to access this area.
3. Will I have to show ID when I have my ticket scanned? Yes, adults will have to show ID in order to verify their name on the list.
4. What time will the parking lots be open? 6:00pm
5. How much does it cost to park? \$2 plus service fees. All parking fees will be cashless, you must have a credit/debit card to pay for parking.
6. Where to do I park? All parking will be in the student lot.
7. Who can come to a game? Strict enforcement of HCPS's Return to Athletics Plan will be enforced for spectator attendance. Only those who are listed as a participant's four guests will be admitted into the gate with a ticket or booster pass. If you are not listed as a participant's four guests, you will not be permitted to enter the game; even if you have purchased a ticket.
8. Who gets four guests? Only those participating in the athletic contest that night, performing in/with the band that night, or cheering on the sideline that night will be able to invite four guests to the contest that night.
9. Can I change the name of one of my guests after I submit my list to my coach? Once a team's guests list has been submitted to administration for that game, no changes will be accepted.
10. Can I change the names of my guests from game to game? Yes, the four guests you invite for game one do NOT have to be the same four guests you invite to game two.
11. Does my baby brother/sister have to be listed as one of my four guests? YES, all "bodies" (regardless of age) must be listed in order to gain entry into the stadium. Children under 5 will NOT need a ticket purchased for them, but they MUST be listed as a participant's guest.
12. How do I purchase a ticket to the game? All tickets must be purchased at <https://www.sdhc.k12.fl.us/departments/39/athletics/about/> and all tickets are electronic. Tickets cannot be purchased with cash. When searching for a contest, you must search by the **home** school for that contest.
13. What is the benefit of purchasing a booster pass? If you are the parent of a multi-sport athlete or have multiple children who play middle school and/or high school sports in HCPS, a one-time cost of \$50 will admit you into ALL regular season HCPS contests!
14. How do I purchase a booster pass? Visit the Newsome Athletic Booster Club website to join and receive a code to purchase your pass. <https://nhsboosters.com>
15. Do I have to join the Newsome Athletic Booster Club to purchase a booster pass? YES, but your membership supports all 23 sports teams at Newsome High School! Thank you for your support!

16. If I have a booster pass, do I have to be included as one of the four guests a participant can invite? Yes, even with a booster pass, you are still required to be listed as one of four guests a participant can invite.
17. Where do I sit? Stadium seating has been designated with a blue X to mark one pod of four people. All four guests of a game day participant are required to sit together in one pod. X marks the center of each pod. Please do not sit in gold rows or in our reserved band section.
18. Can I watch the game from along fencing inside the stadium? In order to reduce contact areas and touch spaces, law enforcement and administrators will enforce individuals from standing along any fence lines. All spectators are required to sit in the stands.
19. I am not listed as a participants four guests, how can I still watch the game? All games will be live streamed through the NFHS Network. Click here to purchase a subscription <https://www.nfhsnetwork.com/>
20. Who can be on the sideline? Only approved coaches with sideline passes and those athletes dressed in uniform are allowed on the sideline. No others are permitted on the sideline; home or visitors.
21. I am a member of the media, student/team photographer and/or college recruiter, where do I stand? All individuals just described will be permitted in the "media zone" located in a roped off section of the east end zone. You must have appropriate credentials to access this area and must stay within this zone.
22. Will the concession stand be open? YES! Concessions will have a limited menu of prepackaged food (candy, chips, ice cream, drinks) and will be cashless. You must have a credit/debit card to pay for concessions.
23. Am I required to wear a mask? Yes, **everyone** must wear a mask at all times when not eating or drinking.

Please check out this very informative video illustrating the spectator experience this season!
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4Xf0crjuyxl&feature=youtu.be>

Wearing a mask, social distancing and staying within your pod of four are keys to maintaining a safe and healthy environment. Please do your part to keep yourselves, those around you and our student-athletes safe! See you at the game!

