



## Leonard ISD Guidelines for Extracurricular Ticket Sales for Football and Volleyball - Fall 2020

### **FOOTBALL**

Leonard ISD is in District 8-3A in football and will be following the guidelines below that were determined by the 8-3A District Executive Committee regarding spectator seating in following UIL protocols in regards to COVID-19 precautions. The 8-3A DEC determined that tickets would be sold based on 50% occupancy of the home stadium which includes 50% of the bleacher seating space and 50% standing room space along the fence. It is the goal of the DEC to maximize the opportunities for our students to participate in extracurricular activities while following UIL guidelines in providing for the health and safety of athletes, staff and fans. These guidelines are subject to change based on additional information from UIL or local health authorities.

### UIL Guidelines

<https://www.uil-texas.org/policy/covid-19/2020-2021-uil-covid-19-risk-mitigation-guidelines>

### Tickets

\*Ticket sales will be pre-sale only for all home games and district varsity games (both home and away) and will be determined at 50% capacity based on the stadium. Stadiums have varying capacities based on size, so depending on that number, some away games will have more tickets available than others. **Away pre-district games do not have to follow these ticket sale guidelines (and may have other limits to follow), but LISD will be following these same protocols at all home football games whether it is a pre-district or a district game. This is effective with the first game of the season at home on Aug. 28 vs. Wolfe City.**

\*Tiger Field seating numbers at 50% capacity on the home side will be approximately 465 seats (the band section is reserved for the Tiger Band only, so those numbers are not included in available tickets). There will be an additional 60 tickets for standing room on the fence on the home side for a total of 525 tickets.

\*Tickets will be generated by the home team and sent to the visiting school by Monday of that week's game. When we have a home game, ticket sales will begin on the Monday of that week's game as well.

\*LISD will be using the following format for selling tickets whether the game is home or a district away game.

\*Monday - Ticket sales for families of student participants only in football, band and cheer (4 ticket limit per participant at \$5.00 each). District Pass holders with a student participant can get their tickets on this day.

\*Tuesday - Ticket sales for school staff and LHS students not involved in football, band, or cheer (4 ticket limit). Gold Card members can get their free ticket as well as all other District Pass holders.

\*There will be a ticket limit depending on the stadium capacity. For home games, there will be a 4 ticket limit per household initially until general public sales when additional tickets may be purchased until sold out.

\*Ticket sales will be at the high school office foyer from 8:30am - 11:30am on Monday and Tuesday. It is suggested that parents have their student participants pick the tickets up to limit visitors in the building.

\*Wednesday - Ticket sales for the general public until sold out. Family members of participants can purchase additional tickets on this day if needed. Tickets will be sold at the high school office foyer from 8:30am - 11:30am and 1:30pm - 3:30pm. **There will be no ticket sales on Thursday or Friday and no ticket sales at the gate for any home game or away district game. Anyone exhibiting COVID-19 symptoms, lab-confirmed for COVID or if they have been in close contact with someone lab-confirmed within the past 14 days, should not visit campus to purchase tickets.**

**\*Ticket prices for all Varsity games will be \$5.00 per ticket.** District 8-3A will only have one ticket price this year. All persons 4 years of age and above must have a ticket for admittance.

\*Passes: Passes including District passes, Gold Card (for senior citizens) and Employee passes for home games may be used to acquire tickets for the game at the high school office, but passes will not be allowed to gain entrance at the stadium gate. You must show your pass at the high school office (on the designated day above) to receive a free paper ticket for admittance into the game following the schedule above due to seating capacity restrictions.

\*Gate: There will be no tickets available for sale at the gate. You must have your ticket prior to the game due to capacity restrictions both for home and away district contests.

Face Coverings: In following UIL guidelines and the Governor's Orders, all persons 10 years and above will be required to wear a face covering which includes fans, spectators, and athletes (when not competing). Thank you for helping us keep our students, staff and guests as safe as possible.

Health Screening: All tickets will have a health screening attestation on the back and all stadiums will have a sign that notes that people can only enter if they are symptom free, are not COVID positive, and have not been exposed within the past 14 days.

Social Distancing: All fans, spectators, teams, etc. are requested to maintain six foot distancing between households when feasible.

Junior high and junior varsity football games - *Tickets will be sold at the gate for home and away junior high and jv games.* The same 50% capacity rules, face coverings, health screening, and social distancing rules apply. Ticket prices for junior high and junior varsity games will be \$3.00 per person.

## **VOLLEYBALL**

Leonard ISD in District 11-3A for volleyball and all other sports with the exception of football. The District Executive Committee met to discuss the UIL guidelines for volleyball competition. It is the goal of the DEC to maximize the opportunities for our students to participate in extracurricular activities while following UIL guidelines in providing for the health and safety of athletes, staff and fans. These guidelines are subject to change based on additional information from UIL or local health authorities.

### Tickets

Tickets for all district Varsity and JV matches will be pre-sold at all schools prior to the event. **This becomes effective with the Sept. 8 volleyball game at Pottsboro.** Ticket cost is \$3.00 per person. If you have a pass, you will still be required to get a free paper ticket from your home campus prior to the event. The visiting team will need to purchase their tickets at their home campus prior to the day of the athletic event. Since volleyball may play more than one home game per week, tickets for all volleyball games that week may be purchased at the same time as long as tickets are available(it is suggested for parents of volleyball players to purchase their tickets on Monday of each week if possible), all other volleyball ticket sales will follow the same format as ticket sales for football. Gyms are capped at 50% capacity, so tickets will be limited. Fans should not travel to the district game if they do not have a ticket since gym space will vary. Tickets will not be sold at the door in most cases. **Anyone exhibiting COVID-19 symptoms, lab-confirmed for COVID or if they have been in close contact with someone lab-confirmed within the past 14 days, should not visit campus to purchase tickets.**

Face Coverings: In following UIL guidelines, fans, spectators, and athletes will be required to wear a face covering upon entering the building. Athletes are required to wear a face covering at all times with the exception of when they are competing. Thank you for helping us keep our students, staff and guests as safe as possible.

Health Screening: All tickets will have a health screening attestation on the back and all gyms will have signage that notes that people can only enter if they do not have symptoms of COVID-19, are not COVID-19 positive, and have not been exposed or had close contact with a lab-confirmed case within the past 14 days.

Social Distancing: All fans, spectators, teams, etc. are requested to maintain six foot distancing between household groups while in school facilities.

Junior high volleyball games - *Tickets will be sold at the gate for home and away junior high volleyball games.* The same 50% capacity rules, face coverings, health screening, and social distancing rules apply. Ticket prices for junior high games will be \$3.00 per person. All persons age 4 and above must have a ticket for admittance.