Effective Wednesday, August 4, 2021

In alignment with current ETSU policies, Campus Recreation expects students, faculty, staff, members, and visitors to wear face coverings while indoors at the Basler Center for Physical Activity (CPA). This policy applies to those who have been vaccinated, as well as those who have yet to receive the vaccine.

Face coverings are expected to be worn in order to access the Center for Physical Activity and are expected to be worn while moving about the facility.

Patrons that are actively engaged in physical activity may remove their face covering while participating in exercise as long they are not within close proximity to others.

Patrons are expected to resume wearing a face covering after their workout has concluded and/or as they are moving about the facility, including those exiting.

Face coverings are expected to be worn in common spaces such as customer service points (Member Services Desk/Equipment Desk), lobby, administrative suite/sport program suite, hallways, stairwells, and restroom/locker rooms.

**Locker Room Expectations Defined**

Patrons are expected to wear face coverings when using the locker rooms. Patrons that are entering the pool deck and will be swimming are permitted to store their face covering in their locker. Patrons are not expected to wear face coverings while showering, but should promptly resume wearing after showering and while getting dressed.

**Bench Press/Spotting Expectations Defined**

For those participating in lifting weights, patrons are requested to lift what they know they can lift. If patrons require a spotter, both the lifter and spotter are expected to wear face coverings.

**Partner Workouts**

For those engaged in partner workouts, it is expected that both patrons wear a mask.

**Pool**

Face coverings are expected to be worn while entering the CPA and locker rooms. Those entering the water for swimming are permitted to remove their face covering and store in their locker and/or with their towel on the pool deck.
Patrons are not expected to wear face coverings while in the water. Patrons who are not swimming and are on the pool deck (ie: athletic team coaches, professors/instructors, lifeguards, staff) are expected to wear a face coverings.

**Climbing Wall**

Face coverings are expected to be worn at the climbing wall.

**Indoor Track**

Patrons using the track may remove their mask for walking/running as long as they are not in close proximity to others. For patrons that wish to walk together on the track, it is expected that both patrons wear a mask.

**Basketball Courts**

Basketball courts remain open for use. Pick-up basketball is permitted. It is suggested that patrons wear masks due to close proximity of play. Patrons that are sitting in the bleachers/observing in the basketball courts are expected to wear a face covering if in close proximity to others.

**Racquetball Courts**

Racquetball courts remain open for use. Patrons using the racquetball courts by themselves may remove their mask. Patrons using the courts for competition against other(s) are suggested to wear face coverings due to close proximity of play and court size.

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