Averill Park Athletics Covid-19 Update

Home of the Warriors

"Winners in the Classroom, in the Community and in Competition"



NYSPHSAA Update July 16th

- Delay fall sports start date until Sept. 21st
- Cancel fall regional and state championship events
- Waive seven day practice rule
- Maintain current practice requirements
- Encourage geographic scheduling for games and contests
- School would have the option, if permitted by state officials, to offer offseason conditioning workouts

Governor Cuomo Update August 24th

- Low and moderate risk interscholastic athletics may begin to practice and play on Sept. 21st
- Travel prohibited outside of school's region or contiguous regions or counties until Oct. 19th
- High risk sports may begin to practice on Sept. 21st but cannot play until a later date or Dec. 31st
 - Practice limited to individual or group, no to low contact training
- Limit capacity of indoor facilities to no more than 50% occupancy
- Limit spectators to no more than two per player

Suburban Council Update August 27th & 28th

- Will NOT provide Fall 2020 modified and modified 9 schedules
- Will NOT provide Fall 2020 freshman schedules
- Will provide Fall 2020 varsity and junior varsity schedules for low and moderate risk sports
- Will develop standard operating protocols and guidelines
- Athletic Placement Process (APP) will be a local decision
- Purchasing lanyards and badges for crowd control



NYSPHSAA Update September 4th

- Released "Return to Interscholastic Athletics" document
 - NYSPHSAA Season Plan
 - Important Reminders
 - Important Dates
 - Considerations for all Interscholastic Sports
 - Considerations for Facilities
 - Considerations for Officials
 - Considerations for each Sport
 - Frequently Asked Questions
 - Attachments (NYSED Memos)



NYSPHSAA Update September 9th

- Football, volleyball and football cheerleading postponed until March 1st
- Season will be knows as "Fall Sports Season II"
- Spring sports starting date adjusted to April 19th (original date was March 15th)



Section 2 Update September 10th

- Will begin fall sports season for low and moderate risk sports on September 21st in accordance with the Governor's approval announcement
- The fall season will end no later than November 28th
- Season will focus on regular season play, primarily with league competition
- There will be no sectional tournament play this fall



Averill Park Update September 14th

- Notification of our plan went to our community on the evening of Thursday, Sept. 10th
- Registration via FamilyID will run until midnight tonight
- APP is available for students who had previously expressed interest and returned the appropriate paperwork
- Offering skill development sessions at the modified level for low and moderate risk sports with our modified coaches
- Averill Park "Return to Interscholastic Athletics" document in progress

