



Cheltenham Jayvees – Fall Soccer 2021

COVID Safety and Action Plan

In accordance with guidelines set by the Centers for Disease Control and Eastern Pennsylvania Youth Soccer, our organization Cheltenham Jayvees, AKA Cheltenham Sports, will follow safety and action plan below.

a. Communication & Education

- All players and parents will receive communication on our safety and action plan as of September 2021.
- [CDC](#) and [MCOPH](#) education materials will be shared with all participants (coaches, players, and parents) on behaviors that reduce the spread of COVID-19.

b. Steps to Reduce the Spread

- No one who has a fever or does not feel well is allowed at any of our soccer fields or facilities.
- Players are not required to wear face coverings but may choose to do so.
- Players and coaches should practice social distancing when possible.
- Players are asked to bring their own soccer ball and equipment but may use team equipment.
- Players are not permitted to share water bottles with any nonfamily member.
- Nonfamily-related coaches, parents and spectators may wear face coverings and are encouraged to practice social distancing while at any of our soccer fields or facilities.
- Limit carpools with nonfamily members, but if you must carpool, then face coverings should be worn during travel to and from practices/games.
- Every participant or parent/guardian of a participant must digitally sign a COVID-19 waiver as part of our online registration process following guidance from Eastern Pennsylvania Youth Soccer Association (EPYSA), the organization that provides insurance to our club for soccer participation.

Return to Play, Stage 4 – assumes we continue in Green Stage

- County continues in Green Stage and league participation is permitted
- Social distance and mask-wearing by spectators at practices and games is encouraged

c. Identification of COVID exposure

Parents of participants will notify the board of Cheltenham Jayvees if the participant or someone in the participant's home is presumptive positive or tests positive for COVID. No one with a fever, loss of taste or smell, shortness of breath, persistent cough, chills, body aches and pains can be permitted at the soccer fields or facilities until 72 hours free from symptoms without the use of fever reducing medicine. Any participant or participant's family member who tests positive for COVID would require exclusion from activities and facilities for 10 days from start of symptoms and 72 hours free from symptoms without the use of fever reducing medicine to return to team activities and facilities. Cheltenham Jayvees will notify participants who came in contact with the individual of potential exposure following CDC and MCOPH guidelines.

d. COVID Point of Contact

If you have a COVID positive test or COVID exposure, contact two people right away: 1) your head coach and 2) our primary point of contact for Cheltenham Sports: Ben Craigo, President, benkraigo@gmail.com