### 17.18 ATHLETIC CONTEST ADMISSION POLICY – AS OF 9.6.17

###  Dakota High School Athletic Department

### 2017-2018 ATHLETIC CONTEST ADMISSION POLICY

#### ADMISSION PRICES

 - There will be a $6.00 admission for all adults and students at the following athletic contests:

Fall – Varsity Football

 - There will be a $5.00 admission for all adults and students at the following athletic contests:

Winter - JV & Varsity Girls Basketball and/or Combination Events

# Winter – JV & Varsity Boys Basketball and/or Combination Events

 - There will be a $4.00 admission for all adults and students at the following athletic contests:

Fall – JV Football, Swimming and Diving, JV & Varsity Soccer, JV and Varsity Volleyball

Winter – Wrestling, Swimming and Diving

Spring - JV & Varsity Soccer

 - There will be a $3.00 admission for all adults and students at the following athletic contests:

Fall – Freshman Football and Freshmen Volleyball

 Winter - Freshman Girls Basketball

Winter – Freshman Boys Basketball

At regular season contests, children who have not started sixth grade will be admitted free when entering with an adult.

At regular season contests, students in the 6th, 7th, or 8th grade may not purchase a ticket unless entering with, and accompanied by an adult.

#### DISCOUNT CARDS

Discount cards are an option for families who wish to reduce the cost of admission. They can be purchased at the following rate:

One Discount Card worth twenty admissions for $75. More than one card can be purchased.

When presented at the gate, a discount card will get punched once for each person using the card up to a maximum of 20 admissions. Unused admissions on a discount card will be refunded at the end of the school year or can carry over to the following school year. Discount Cards are not accepted at MHSAA or MAC sponsored tournaments or events. When used at $5 admission contest the savings is 25%.

#### ACCEPTED PASSES

The following will be honored:

1. Current Activity Cards for Chippewa Valley or Dakota High School students. Activity Cards are available thru the Student Activities Office at each high school.
2. Current MAC Passes. Macomb Area Conference passes will be accepted. They will admit one ADULT BEARER and one guest. Students, by themselves, are not permitted to use the MAC pass and will not be granted admission. MAC Passes are not accepted at MAC or MHSAA tournaments.
3. Current Staff Passes. These passes will be issued to current staff members of each high school upon request. The pass will entitle admission to the bearer and one guest. All others will pay full admission.
4. Senior Citizen Pass. District residents that are age 62 or above qualify for a Senior Citizen Pass. Proof of age and residency is required.

Passes are not accepted at MHSAA or MAC sponsored Division Meet, tournaments or events.

#### REGULATIONS

1. Student-athletes cannot automatically gain free admission to contests by wearing team apparel.
2. We reserve the right to refuse admission at all athletic contests. Identification may be required for admission.
3. Once a spectator leaves, they may not re-enter, even by again paying the admission price.
4. Hand held signs are permitted. When posting of signs is allowed, those signs must be approved in advance. Signs must be positive in nature, and be directed at your team or players. Signs that are not positive, not directed at your team, or that antagonize others in attendance are not permitted.
5. All spectators are required to wear shirts at indoor events.
6. Spectators are not allowed to bring **TALCUM POWDER,** food, beverages, balls, or wheeled apparatuses into events.
7. Smoking is not allowed in any building, or at any site, in which an athletic contest occurs.
8. Participation in cheers that are unsportsmanlike, inappropriate, vulgar or obscene may result in removal from the contest.
9. Animals are not allowed in any athletic contest or on any athletic field.
10. Seating is on a first come first served basis. We use open seating, and we do not reserve seats. We may indicate suggested locations for student, band, and adult spectators.
11. Spectators may not cross over from home to visitor’s side or from visitors to home side.
12. Spectators are to remain off of the playing surface at the conclusion of the game.
13. Spectators are EXPECTED to be RESPECTFUL and RESPONSIBLE.
14. You must show your MAC Pass or Staff Pass to enter a contest.
15. Noisemakers are not permitted at any indoor athletic contests.

**THIS POLICY IS IN EFFECT AT ALL HOME VENUES AND AT ALL DAKOTA HOME ATHLETIC CONTESTS.**