

# Spectator Behavior During Indoor Sporting Events



I can demonstrate **Safe, Respectful,**  
and **Responsible** behaviors at BMS  
indoor sporting events.



# The home opener for the 8th grade girls Basketball Team is on Friday, 10/4th!



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	25 Practice 3:00-4:30	26 No Practice	27 Practice 3:00-4:30	28 Practice 3:00-4:30	29 GAME DAY 7:00 @ Jacksonville @ HOME	30
1	2 GAME DAY 7:00 @ Jacksonville @ HOME	3 No Practice	4 Practice 3:00-4:30	5 Practice 3:00-4:30	6 Practice 3:00-4:00	7
8	9 No School Columbus Day	10 No Practice	11 GAME DAY 7:00 @ Orlando @ HOME	12 GAME DAY 7:00 @ Charlotte @ HOME	13 GAME DAY 7:00 @ Orlando @ HOME	14
15	16 GAME DAY 7:00 @ Home @ CHS	17 No Practice	18 Practice 3:00-4:30	19 No School Parents/Teacher Conferences	20 No School Parents/Teacher Conferences	21
22	23 GAME DAY 7:00 @ Home @ Sardsburg	24 No Practice	25 No Practice	26 GAME DAY 7:00 @ Orlando @ HOME	27 GAME DAY 7:00 @ Charlotte @ HOME	28
29	30 GAME DAY 7:00 @ Home @ Jacksonville	31 No Practice	1 NOVEMBER Practice 3:00-4:30	2 GAME DAY 7:00 @ Home @ Indian Trail	3 GAME DAY 7:00 @ Home @ Home	4
5	6 Practice 3:00-4:30	7 No Practice	8 Conference Tournament Begins	9 Playoffs TBD Teams Must Advance to Participate	10	11
12	13					



**GIRLS**  
**BASKETBALL**  
**2023**



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 <b>OCTOBER</b>	2	3	4  <b>GAME DAY</b> 7th @ Jackson 8th HOME	5
6	7  <b>GAME DAY</b> 7th @ Jefferson 8th HOME	8 <b>No Practice</b>	9 Practice 3:00-4:30	10  <b>GAME DAY</b> 7th @ Indian Trail 8th HOME	11 Practice 3:00-4:00	12
13	14 <b>No School</b>	15 <b>No Practice</b>	16 Practice 3:00-4:30	17  <b>GAME DAY</b> 7th HOME 8th @ Hinsdale	18  <b>GAME DAY</b> 7th HOME 8th @ Sandburg	19
20	21  <b>GAME DAY</b> 7th @ Bryan 8th HOME	22 <b>No Practice</b>	23  <b>GAME DAY</b> 7th HOME 8th @ Indian Trail	24 <b>No School</b>	25 <b>No School</b>	26
27	28  <b>GAME DAY</b> 7th HOME 8th @ CHMS	29 <b>No Practice</b>	30 Practice 3:00-4:30	31 Practice 3:00-4:30	1 <b>NOVEMBER</b>  <b>GAME DAY</b> 7th @ Jefferson 8th HOME	2
3	4 Practice 3:00-4:30	5 <b>No School</b>	6  <b>GAME DAY</b> 7th @ Churchville 8th HOME	7 Practice 3:00-4:30	8  <b>GAME DAY</b> 7th @ Hinsdale 8th HOME	9
10	11  <b>GAME DAY</b> 7th HOME 8th @ Jackson	12 <b>No Practice</b>	13 <b>Conference Tournament</b> PLAY-IN Game TBD	14 <b>Conference Tournament</b> QUARTER-Finals TBD	15 <b>Conference Tournament</b> SEMI-FINALS TBD	16
17	18 <b>Conference Tournament</b> CHAMPIONSHIP TBD					



**BLACKHAWK**  
MIDDLE SCHOOL

**GIRLS**  
**BASKETBALL**  
**2024**



Are you interested in attending a game for the Girls Basketball season or the upcoming Boys Basketball or Volleyball Seasons?



The expectations for student spectators are as follows:



# First, Think About It



- Why is it important to demonstrate respect at the basketball games?
- Who should students respect at the basketball games?
- What types of behaviors are considered “disrespectful” at the basketball games?
- What are the consequences if a student is disrespectful at the basketball games?

# Who Attends Basketball Games?

- Basketball Players
- Teachers
- Administrators
- Community members
- Blackhawk Parents
- Families from the opposing Schools

You are representing Blackhawk Middle School, please make sure you demonstrating Responsible, Safe, and Respectful behavior at all times.

# Spectator Expectations

- Students are allowed to enter the gymnasium at 3:45 pm.
- Students can use their phones but not record video or take photos - same expectations as lunchtime use.
- Food and drink are to be consumed in the lobby (not in the gym).
- Students should cheer in a positive and genuine manner at appropriate times.
  - Positive comments directed towards basketball players, cheerleaders, and dance team members.
  - Remember it takes courage to perform in front of large crowds.
- Students are expected to be completely *silent* during free throws.

# Spectator Expectations

- Students are only allowed in the gym, lobby and lobby bathrooms.
  - Students should not go in the cafeteria, locker rooms, or hallways.
- Students must be picked up by their parents/guardians or walk home no later than 15 minutes after the game ends.
  - Students who have not left the facility will be asked to wait at the Bensenville Public Library.



# Sportsmanship Banner

*Athletic Event  
Mantra*

Welcome To  
**BLACKHAWK  
MIDDLE SCHOOL**

Where  
*Sportsmanship  
Is An  
Expectation!*

So Please  
Let the  
*Players Play.*  
Let the  
*Coaches Coach.*  
Let the  
*Official Officiate.*  
Let the  
*Spectators Be Positive.*

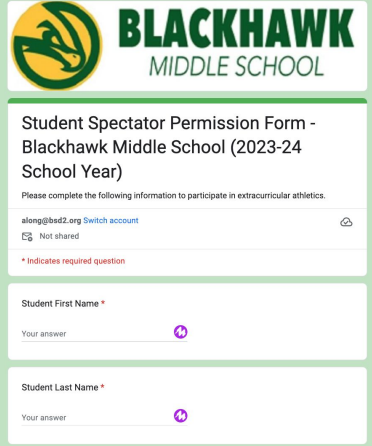


# Things to Remember

- Spectators who need constant reminders from chaperones to follow expectations will be asked to leave.
- If a spectator is consistently demonstrating unsportsmanlike or disrespectful behavior at multiple games, then he or she may be asked not to attend games in the future.
- The game is about the individuals playing, cheering, and performing.

# If you would like to attend a game, you must following these expectations **AND**:

1. Have your parents complete the Online Student Spectator Permission Form (only needs to be completed once)
2. Have your Student ID with you.



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Student Spectator Permission Form -  
Blackhawk Middle School (2023-24  
School Year)

Please complete the following information to participate in extracurricular athletics.

along@bed2.org [Switch account](#)

🔒 Not shared

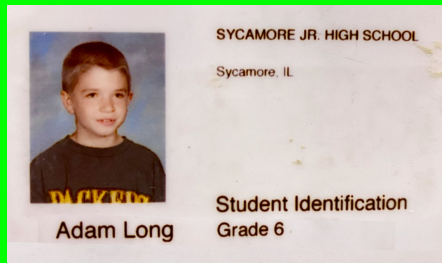
\* Indicates required question

Student First Name \*

Your answer

Student Last Name \*

Your answer



← **Mr. Long's 6th grade ID**  
(Packers shirt included)

## Interscholastic Sports

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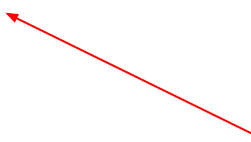
## Student Spectator Permission Form

Parents, if your child plans to watch any of our upcoming basketball and volleyball games, please complete the Student Spectator Permission Form below.

Completing this form will help us ensure that students who are staying after school to watch these games have permission from their parents to do so. It will also help us to provide appropriate supervision and enforce behavioral expectations.

Students will be asked to show their student IDs when entering the gymnasium to watch these games, and will not be allowed to enter if they do not have a form on file.

- [Click here to complete the Student Spectator Permission Form.](#)



This link has been sent to your parents on Kinvo.  
You can also click here to find the online  
permission form