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VARSITY FOOTBALL GAME ENTRY & SEATING PROCEDURES

Effective Beginning with the Upcoming Home Varsity Football Game (10/9/2026)

Following the events that took place during the Easton Area High School varsity football game against Central Catholic on September 26, 2026, the Easton Area School District has implemented several changes to stadium entry, ticketing, and seating procedures. These adjustments are designed to improve the safety, efficiency, and overall experience for our student-athletes, families, and fans.

STADIUM ENTRY GATES

Each stadium entrance will now be designated for specific types of entry:

- **11th Street Gate**
 - Electronic tickets only. Continued use of OpenGate Metal Detectors.
 - No students may enter this gate.
 - Handicapped Access is permitted at this gate.
 - Gate will close at 7:45pm
- **Vanderveer Basketball Court Gate**
 - Electronic tickets only. Continued use of OpenGate Metal Detectors.
 - No students may enter this gate.
 - Handicapped Access is permitted at this gate.
 - Gate will close at 7:45pm
- **Main Arch Gate – Iron Gate**
 - Designated for all Easton and visiting middle school and high school students.
 - All middle and high school students must present a valid school-issued student ID at the gate.
 - Easton student IDs will be scanned to verify student eligibility and admission.
 - All middle school students must be accompanied by an adult and must sit in the stands with that adult.
- **Main Arch Gate – Tunnel Gate**
 - Available for cash ticket sales, if tickets remain available. Social Media outlets will announce if tickets are still available on the day of the game.
 - Handicapped Access is permitted at this gate.
 - Families with school-aged children must enter the Main Arch Gate

MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS

Any middle school student attending a varsity football game must remain with their parent or responsible adult while inside the stadium. Middle school students may not attend the game independently or sit separately from their parent or responsible adult.



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TICKETING

New ticket types and procedures will be in place for varsity football games. Total tickets sold will be limited. There is a good possibility that available tickets will be sold out prior to the start of the game. Should that occur, there will be no tickets sold at the gate.

<https://events.hometownticketing.com/boxoffice/easton/L2VtYmVkl2V2ZW50LzM1Mw==>

- **Easton Area High School Students**
 - Easton students (9-12) must purchase a **Rover Nation Student Ticket**.
 - Each Easton student may purchase one ticket per game.
 - Rover Nation tickets are linked to the student's school ID number.
 - Students must present their school ID upon entry for scanning.
- **Visiting High School Students**
 - Visiting students must purchase a Visiting Student Section Ticket.
 - Visiting students must sit in the designated visiting student section.
- **Other Ticket Types**
 - Reserved Seat Tickets (Home Side - Sections C,D,E,F)
 - General Admission Tickets - Adult/Student (Away Side; All sections except Visiting Band & Students)
 - Senior Citizen Tickets

SEATING

- **Easton Home Side – Reserved Seating**
 - All seating on the home side of Cottingham Stadium in Sections C, D, E, and F will now be reserved seating.
 - Fans purchasing tickets for these sections will be assigned a specific seat.
- **Visiting Side – General Admission**
 - The visiting side of Cottingham Stadium will remain general admission seating.

TRACK ACCESS

No standing, gathering, or loitering is allowed on the track at any time. Fans must remain in the designated spectator seating areas unless they are in line for concessions or on their way to or returning from the restroom.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION

The Easton Area School District is committed to providing the first-class atmosphere that Easton Area fans have come to expect at Cottingham Stadium. We understand that changes to our entry and seating procedures may require an adjustment for our fans. These measures are being implemented to create a safer, more organized, and more enjoyable environment for everyone attending our varsity football games.

We appreciate your patience, cooperation, and continued support of Easton Area Athletics and our Red Rovers. **Go Rovers!**