



**MINNEWASKA**  
BASKETBALL  
2020-2021 Minnewaska Boys' Basketball (Covid)

### Varsity (9-12 players)

#### **-12 Players**

\*Team will be assembled using previous experience and evaluations to establish the team including the 2019-20 season. As the season progresses and an up to date assessment and evaluation has taken place, players may be moved to the appropriate level that allows them to participate and contribute to a team as long as the health status of that player allows us to do so.

### Junior Varsity-B Team

#### **-Freshman, Sophomores, & Juniors (NO SENIORS)**

\*Goal is to keep juniors that need playing time to have JV time rather than mixing with varsity pod in an effort to reduce the chance of spreading Covid.

### C-Squad-9th Grade

#### **-Freshmen & Possibly-Sophomores**

### Protocol

1. Each established team (pod) will not intermix at any time including practices, locker room, and travel when possible. Approved individual transfer between teams will be allowed after careful individual review of the status of the situation and health of the player.
2. Players will be able transfer to or from another team **ONLY** if there is a participant number issue or will receive playing time in order to complete a roster and is free of potential covid concerns.
3. Players will have the opportunity to travel with a parent, grandparent, or legal guardian to away games but only if approved by administration in advance of the travel day by completing district travel approval form from activities office. Players will not be able to travel alone, with siblings or other players' families. **Busing will still be provided and will follow transportation protocol.**
4. *All players will wear a mask in school, upon arrival to school, in the hallways, locker room, and will only be allowed to take mask off after warm up is complete and take the court to begin practice.*
5. Upon arrival at school, a player must be free of covid symptoms, meet MN Health Department Guidelines and be **checked in by a coach** while completing a temperature check with a kiosk. Players choosing to not follow protocol will not be allowed to participate or be dismissed from the team.

### Expectations

\*All players & coaches will be expected to social distance, wear masks, and limit interactions to family, school established pods, and limit social gatherings outside of school and basketball.

Our goal is to do whatever is necessary to stay in-person learning and complete a full season without quarantine situations or suspension of season.

\*All practices will be filmed on HUDL focus to verify contact tracing if needed.

\*Coaching staff will do our best to eliminate close contact with each other in effort not to deplete our coaches in case of infection. Coaches meetings will take place on google meet to allow for social distancing.

\*Team meetings will be done via google meet to study film, share scouting reports, and exchange important information that otherwise would have taken place in our team meeting room.

**\*ALL LISTED DETAILS WILL BE DISCUSSED AT OUR VIRTUAL PARENT MEETING ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16 AT 6:30 P.M.** Administration and board members are welcome to attend this virtual meeting upon request.