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Fairbanks Food Truck Rally 2020 - COVID-19 Mitigation Plan

The following information is meant to serve as general guidelines for those participating in the 5th Annual Fairbanks Food Truck Rally (FTR) on Friday, June 26th, from 3pm to 9pm at the Fairbanks Youth Soccer Association field complex located at 1901 Wilbur St., Fairbanks, AK 99701

As the Fairbanks community continues to adjust to the new reality of life during the COVID-19 pandemic, many events have been canceled. The Fairbanks Food Truck Rally (FTR) is excited to still proceed. However, we recognize the importance of doing our part to minimize opportunities for the virus to spread, while still enjoying events like the FTR. This is especially important as we see additional cases occur in our area over the last 2 weeks.

It is the intention of FYSA, as the host organization of the FTR, to proceed into our event with consideration for the safety and well being of those who voluntarily choose to participate and attend. Those who are not comfortable with being involved with this event for any personal reasons, family situations, health considerations, etc. should not attend. Those who do not feel that they can abide by the principles contained herein are also asked to not attend.

We are a diverse community. At the heart of this event is our shared love for good, local food and social interaction. We look forward to enjoying this event together with those who participate and look forward to future events where we'll see those who have reason to skip this year.

The simplest and most important rule for the FTR and this Mitigation Plan is that **ANY persons with symptoms consistent with COVID-19 *should not attend***. This directive to refrain from participation extends to those who have been in contact with someone who is suspected to have or is experiencing those same symptoms.

Those in attendance are asked to show courtesy to others present by observing current health advisory parameters regarding social distancing and, whenever possible, allowing a minimum of 6 feet of space between themselves and others they encounter who are not of the same household group.

The FYSA complex is naturally conducive for allowing social distancing, with several parking areas and the ability to enter the event through wide open, outdoor space.

Vendors will be spaced further apart than FTR events in past years. In front of each vendor, marks will be painted in the ground in at least 6 foot increments to help provide a visual guide for customers waiting in line to provide appropriate space to each other.

Masks and face coverings are welcome and encouraged for all those in attendance, however, they are not required for any participants. That said, the same spirit of courtesy regarding social distancing, minimizing contact, proximity, etc. is expected to extend to the matter of face coverings. Those who choose to wear a mask and those who choose not to shall respect the choice of the other and interact accordingly.

Trash and leftover food/drink items should be placed in garbage/recycling receptacles to minimize event staff and others from having to clean up large quantities of trash that have been handled by participants.

Those who attend the FTR are encouraged to bring their own supply of hand sanitizer. If needed, ample supplies of hand sanitizer will be available in the host tent for any who need it. Please stop by and utilize this as often as desired.

Vendors are expected to follow these same guidelines, as well as any other current regulations and health advisories applicable within their industry for business operations and serving their customers.

Restrooms will be available during the event which have handwashing capabilities and/or sanitizer available. Participants should notify event staff if any restroom is out of soap, sanitize, paper products or is otherwise in an unacceptable condition so we can try and rectify any issue within our power.

Carnival games are available for youth to enjoy. Those participating are reminded to use the available hand sanitizer frequently. These games and areas will be disinfected by event staff regularly throughout the entire event.

For questions or concerns, please contact the FYSA Executive Director, Colt Chase, at director@fairbanksyouthsoccer.com or 907-456-3972 or FYSA Board of Directors President, Kathie Stacy at president@fairbanksyouthsoccer.com. Thank you for joining us at the Fairbanks Food Truck Rally!