



ATTENDANCE POLICY FOR HOME ATHLETIC EVENTS 2/4/2021

The Barton College Division of Athletics has revised its attendance policy for its home athletic events beginning February 4, 2021.

Update to Wilson Gymnasium

The previous indoor policy for Wilson Gymnasium that includes basketball and volleyball competition will remain as previously communicated, permitting only essential personnel into the facility. The potential for indoor spectator occupancy will continue to be considered with the health, safety and welfare of the competitors being priority.

Outdoor Competition

Fans will be allowed at home outdoor sporting events with strict rules and guidelines in place in accordance with the Barton College, NCAA DII, and Conference Carolinas guidelines.

Barton Athletics plans to allow a limited number of students, faculty, and staff, as well as friends and/or family members of current student-athletes through a designated pass list only.

GENERAL ADMISSION AND VISITING FANS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED AT THIS TIME.

Please understand that the limited capacity/pass list will also vary, based on the space availability at outdoor venues. All fans in attendance must observe social distancing at contests and are required to wear face coverings at all times.

IN ADDITION, ANY GATHERINGS OR TAILGATES WITH FANS, EITHER PREGAME OR POSTGAME, WILL NOT BE PERMITTED.

Following prescribed protocols set through Barton Athletics, the guests included on the limited capacity/pass list will not be allowed to intermingle with members of any of the participating teams at the athletic events. Also in accordance with Barton College procedures, any family members attending games are not permitted in other college facilities, including residence halls.

These are the guidelines at this time and are subject to change depending on progress being made during the pandemic as well as state guideline updates.

During this unprecedented season of competition, Barton Athletics encourages all Bulldog fans to continue to follow sports competition through social media platforms and through the Barton Athletics website. Barton Athletics also hopes to live-stream as many events as possible during the spring season. Watch for additional details on the Barton Athletics website.

The Department of Athletics offers its deep gratitude for the ongoing support and enthusiasm of the Barton Bulldogs by students, faculty, staff, alumni, trustees, and the greater Wilson community.

Go Bulldogs!

VENUE SPECIFIC ATTENDANCE POLICIES

No Visiting Fans permitted at all home Barton venues.

- **Wilson Gymnasium** (Basketball /Volleyball) — Essential personnel only at this time.
- **Electric Supply Company Field** (Football) — CAPACITY - 140
Gates open 90 minutes before game. Attendance will be limited largely to students selected by lottery, a small group of faculty and staff selected by lottery, selected parents of Barton football players, and essential personnel. Admission for any of these will be granted only via a restricted pass list. There will be no general admission nor season ticket holder attendance for the upcoming spring football games. Additionally, no tailgating will be allowed at the spring football games.
NO VISITING FANS ALLOWED!
- **Electric Supply Company Field** (Lacrosse/Soccer) — CAPACITY - 140
Gates open 60 minutes before game. Attendance is limited to family members of Barton student-athletes which must be on the PASS LIST prior to game day. Barton students, faculty, and staff will be admitted as long as capacity limits are not exceeded.
NO VISITING FANS ALLOWED!
- **Nixon Field** (Baseball) — CAPACITY - 75
Gates open one hour before game. Attendance is limited to family members (2 per player) of Barton student-athletes only and must be on PASS LIST prior to game day. There will be limited seating in the permanent bleachers with no spectators allowed behind home plate. Spectating outside the seating area is included within the capacity limits. (e.g. the left field hill). Barton students, faculty, and staff will be admitted as long as capacity limits are not exceeded.
NO VISITING FANS ALLOWED!
- **Jeffries Field** (softball): — CAPACITY – 75
Gates open one hour before game. Bleachers behind home plate are restricted to team personnel only. Fans are asked to bring their own lawn chairs to maximize social distancing. Attendance is limited to family members (2 per player) of Barton student-athletes. Barton students, faculty, and staff will be admitted as long as capacity limits are not exceeded.
NO VISITING FANS ALLOWED!
- **Tennis Complex** (tennis) — To Be Determined
- **Wilson Country Club** (golf) — Spectators for the Barton Intercollegiate on March 22-23, 2021 will be permitted. Social distancing and masks are required at all times on the property (golf course, range, clubhouse, and parking lot). No intermingling with the participants is permitted while on the property. Wilson Country Club reserves the right to enforce and adjust Covid safety protocols as they deem appropriate.