



COVID-19 Procedures – PHASE 2

City of Spokane - New Year's Eve Drive-In Fireworks Celebration

Event Overview:

The City of Spokane Parks and Recreation, Spokane County, Spokane Indians and Spokane Public Schools are partnering to bring the community a safe and socially distant New Year's Eve celebration by offering a geographically dispersed "drive-in" fireworks experience. Presenting organizations are utilizing previously developed fireworks plans and redirecting resources from cancelled New Year's Eve activities at Riverfront Park and Avista Stadium due to COVID-19. Four separate fireworks displays lasting approximately 8 minutes long will be provided and strategically positioned in the community targeting multiple Spokane neighborhoods. The community will be provided recommended parking locations for each location and additional COVID-19 guidelines and requirements.

Date: Thursday, December 31, 2020

Time: 7:30pm Doors (Lots Open)

9pm Fireworks

Locations:

1. Merkel Sports Complex
2. Ferris High School
3. Avista Stadium
4. Plante's Ferry Sports Stadium

EVENT PROTOCOLS – ALL LOCATIONS

Event Protocol and Procedures

1. Event staff and security personnel are required to wear face masks and gloves at all times.
2. Staff members with COVID-like symptoms, which include fever, sore throat, cough, loss smell/taste, gastrointestinal issues not caused by another condition; or has been in contact with COVID-19 positive person should not be reporting to work.
3. Parking lots will open one and a half hours prior to the event to discourage tailgating or other pre-event functions.
4. Vehicles will be positioned in lots to ensure a minimum of 10' distance between each vehicle is achieved (e.g. every other parking spot).
5. Guests must remain in their vehicles at all times unless using the restroom.
6. Vehicular signage will be placed at the entrance to each location outlining social distancing guidelines for attendees.
7. Upon entrance, security personnel will place a flyer under each vehicle's windshield wiper, facing inward, outlining event-specific COVID safety procedures.
8. Each parking lot will be staffed with approximately ten – fifteen licensed security personnel and two police officers to position vehicles appropriately, provide traffic mitigation support, remind

guests of mask mandate protocols, and to ensure the safety and security of attendees throughout the duration of the event.

9. A minimum of four portable restrooms equipped with hand sanitizing units will be available at each location and spaced to support social distancing.