



Wild Rivers Symphony and Youth Orchestra Covid-19 Policy

As adopted by the Wild Rivers Symphony Board of Directors
on 11/14/2022 to be effective 01/01/2023

Due to better Covid-19 treatment options and updated protective vaccinations being widely used and generally available, the Board of Directors of the Wild Rivers Symphony in Curry and Del Norte Counties has agreed to revise our Covid 19 protocols after receiving requests from previous players to loosen the requirements, and after receiving corresponding feedback from our existing roster of players.

1. The Preferred Option continues to be that players be fully vaccinated to rehearse in person and play in performances. Your Vaccination Record must be presented before rehearsing, and a copy will be kept in our files. Masking is optional for vaccinated players.
2. Unvaccinated Players will be allowed to play effective 01/01/2023 after consultation and approval with our director and concertmaster or section leader, and provided the player is willing and able to:
 - a. Pass a Rapid Covid Test before each rehearsal and performance. Arrive 30 minutes prior to rehearsal time when a retired nurse will supervise your test and determine whether you pass and may enter the rehearsal space. The Symphony has acquired an adequate supply of rapid tests for your use, while test supplies last.
 - b. Bring and wear your own protective mask during rehearsals and performances. A limited number of specialized wind player masks may be available upon request of the director.
3. **ALL PLAYERS:** If you are sick and have respiratory issues and a runny nose, please skip a rehearsal, even if it is a cold, please. *Covid-19 symptoms: Fever of 100.4 or more, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion, runny nose, nausea, vomiting or diarrhea.* If you experience any of these symptoms listed above within the 24 hours before a rehearsal or performance, STAY HOME, and notify the director of the reason for the absence.
4. We must abide by the restrictions placed upon us by public health agencies, and rehearsal spaces and venues. These may change and require an update to our policy at any time, in which case you will be notified as soon as possible.
5. By participating in the Wild Rivers Symphony you agree to be responsible for following the protocols as stated above.