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WINTER 2022 COVID-19 Guidelines at Caffè Lena

VACCINATIONS REQUIRED: Because you may be sharing a table with other parties, and because we are under contract with many artists who are working hard to stay safe as they play venues across the country, **we are still requiring all audience members, open mic performers, as well as staff and volunteers, to be vaccinated against Covid-19.** We are not making exceptions for people unable to be vaccinated for medical reasons. We do not accept same-day tests in lieu of vaccination. We are not requiring booster shots.

So that we can properly enforce this policy, please have your CDC Covid-19 Vaccine Card, a phone photo or photocopy of the card, or your Excelsior Pass ready to show at the ticket counter. Once we've checked your card we'll usher you to your seats.

MASKS: This is an area that is changing rapidly and we ask that you be patient and kind. Masks have more value at a concert than at your favorite corner store. When you come to a show, you will be in close quarters with others for more than two hours. With that said, we know that many patrons, all of whom are vaccinated, feel safe without their mask. At this time, we ask that you have a mask on when you arrive. (We have extras available.) When you are seated, you may remove your mask if you wish. Our staff and volunteers will remain masked.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS: Vaccinations are not required at LITTLE FOLKS CONCERTS or FOLK CLUB KIDS where we'll limit attendance and stay spread out. For these restricted capacity shows geared toward young children, unvaccinated attendees are allowed but must wear a mask when not seated. Vaccinations are also not required for the CAFFÈ LENA SCHOOL OF MUSIC YOUTH TRACK. Students will remain masked from arrival to departure.

VENTILATION: We use portable HEPA filtration units in the performance space. The units run on high before and after the show, and they continue to clean the air on a quiet setting during the performance. In addition, UV lighting has been installed in our HVAC ducts.

If you have questions about safety or have a special need to discuss (for example, you are vaccinated but you have another medical reason for wanting a private table), please don't hesitate to reach out to us at 518-583-0022 or email sales@caffelena.org.

Along with our music colleagues across the world, we strongly encourage vaccination.

The Caffè Lena Staff & Board of Directors