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Artesia Public Schools and Carlsbad Municipal Schools are pleased to announce that they have received permission to play tonight's football game and tomorrow's soccer games in Hobbs. Because Lea County is currently yellow, fan attendance is allowed. Attendance is restricted to 3000 persons based on stadium occupancy. Artesia and Carlsbad will each have 1,500 tickets.

FOOTBALL—GAME TIME 7:00 P.M. TODAY

Tickets will be made available first to parents/guardians and grandparents at the Carlsbad Athletic Office and Artesia Bulldog Pit. Tickets will be available from 11:00 am-1:00 pm for parents/guardians and grandparents. Tickets will be available to the general public from 1:00-3:45 p.m.

The gates for the game will open for fans at 6:00 pm and the game will begin at 7:00 pm. **Tickets are required for entry. Tickets will not be available at the gate.**

SOCCER—GAME TIMES 9:00 A.M. BOYS, 11:00 A.M. GIRLS

Tickets for the soccer games will be available at the gate in Hobbs on a first come, first served basis.

The administration of both schools is grateful to Hobbs Municipal Schools for making this opportunity possible for the fans of both communities. This is a great message of our commitment in Southeastern New Mexico to taking care of our kids and each other. We are making history for the Eddy County War as this is the first time it will be contested in Lea County.

Those of you who can travel to watch our athletes compete travel safely and celebrate the opportunity to watch our students compete.