
Fan Commissioners' Responses

<p>Cheering to motivate the team (if team is playing averagely)</p> <p>Fan-specific behaviors (e.g., all the fans jumping up and down together)</p> <p>Good general vibe (in modern arenas the atmosphere is not so good)</p>	<p>The fans' level of alcohol consumption probably also makes a difference</p> <p>Trouble when going into the stadium (creates a negative atmosphere)</p> <p>Behavior of the away team's players (e.g., provocative behavior, delaying tactics, fouls)</p>
<p>Fireworks and smoke bombs create a negative atmosphere</p> <p>Influences on the game, e.g., aggressive play, red cards, wrong decisions by referee</p> <p>Presence of a lot of fans who are prepared to join in with the chanting</p>	<p>Progress of the game—atmosphere is better if the home team is winning</p> <p>Number of away fans—home fans chant louder if the away fans are also vocal</p> <p>Announcing other games' scores during the match (e.g., those of the home team's main rivals or friends)</p>
<p>Decisions by the referee or linesmen (penalties, yellow cards, red cards, etc.)</p> <p>Number of standing places—atmosphere is better if fans are standing up</p> <p>Live music before the game—only soccer songs connected with the club</p> <p>Lead fan who can judge the mood of the fans and how the game's going</p> <p>City, club and mascot as symbols of a common identity</p> <p>Current performance of home team, e.g., struggle against relegation, promotion, attempt to win championship title</p>	<p>Simpler authorization procedure for movement of both home and away fans)</p> <p>Stadium announcer warms up the fans (situation-dependent)</p> <p>Results of other games announced immediately after the game</p> <p>Fans singing warm-up songs at the beginning of games</p> <p>Authorization of flags, banners (hand-held or supported by two poles)</p> <p>Time of fixture—atmosphere is better at floodlit evening fixtures, maybe also because people drink more on Friday nights and so there's more chanting</p>
<p>General behavior of the home team's players (if the home team shows team spirit the spectators will cheer them on, otherwise they'll boo them)</p>	
