

Public Skating Information & Responsibility Code

Ice skating is for fun and enjoyment for everyone. Skating can be enjoyed in many ways. Regardless of your level of skill, there are elements of risk in ice skating. Use common sense, show courtesy to others, and anticipate dangerous situations before they arise.

All Skaters must have a stamp or a valid skating school nametag to enter the ice.

- All Skaters must wear skates. No shoes on the ice!
- Skate Monitors are present to supervise skaters on the session and enforce the rules.
- Obey the monitors. Report hazards to the monitors.
- Respect the ice. Please do not litter or use foul language.
- Before getting on the ice, look for oncoming skaters.
- Always stay in control and be able to stop or avoid other skaters.
- While on the ice, keep moving. Don't stop and obstruct other skaters. Don't skate in groups.
- People ahead of you have the right of way. It is your responsibility to avoid hitting them or disrupting them.
- All Skaters must skate around the cones in the designated direction.
- The center of the rink is reserved for private lessons and figure skating. Skaters are not permitted to cut through the center.
- Food/Beverage is not permitted on the ice.
- NO rough play, tag, fast, backward skating, weaving, snowball or other throwing.
- Sticks, pucks, balls, chairs, cones, or other devices are not permitted during the session.
- Assistive devices, such as Skate Aids, may only be used during a private lesson, under the supervision of an instructor.
- Absolutely no carrying children on the ice.
- Do not sit or lay on the ice.
- Skaters may not sit on the player benches or boards during the session. If you need to sit down, please use the benches off the ice.
- Keep exits clear at all times.
- Spectators/Parents are not permitted in the doorways or on player benches during the session.
- At the end of the session please clear the ice promptly as directed by the Skate Monitors.

This is just a partial list. There are elements of risk that common sense and personal awareness can help reduce. You are ultimately responsible for your personal safety.

Use caution, and skate in control. Respect other skaters. The rink's monitors cannot guarantee your safety and will not protect you from injury. It is part of your responsibility to avoid other skaters and hazards. Failure to use good judgment, skate responsibly, or follow the Responsibility Code will result in the loss of skating privileges.