

## The Rinks at Summit Centre Covid-19 Safety Protocols

By order of the Provincial Health Officer (PHO), proof of vaccination is required to access some events, services and businesses. **You must have at least one dose of a COVID-19 vaccine by Sept. 13, 2021. By October 24, 2021 you must be fully vaccinated.** The requirement is in place until January 31, 2022 and could be extended.

The requirement applies to all people born in 2009 or earlier (12+) and covers:

- Indoor ticketed sporting events with more than 50 people
- Gyms, exercise/dance facilities/studios and these activities happening in recreation facilities
- Businesses offering indoor exercise/fitness
- Indoor adult group and team sports for people 22 years old or older
- Spectators at indoor youth sporting events with more than 50 people

Please know that we are committed to providing you with a safe environment that aligns with WorkSafeBC protocols to ensure that the risk of exposure to the virus that causes COVID-19 is always minimized. Our current COVID-19 plan is guided by local and public health authorities including the Provincial Health Officer. Protective measures we are being taken to ensure the health and safety of everyone at The Rinks at Summit Centre

**Increased cleaning** • Starting with our public spaces and high-traffic areas, we are going above and beyond our normal protocols. We are cleaning surfaces with increased frequency, dedicated staff, and all done by the recommended cleaning agents.

**Hand sanitizer** • We have hand sanitizer available at the main entrance of each rink. We encourage you to use it as you enter.

**Entering the Facility** • Access the facility 30 minutes prior to their scheduled ice time.

• When you arrive at the arena 30 minutes before your ice time, please proceed directly to your assigned dressing room, ensure you are appropriately physically distancing yourself from others.

• Please ensure you know what rink you are booked on. Entrance should be from the same side as the rink you are assigned to.

**Mandatory Use of Face Masks** • All employees, visitors, and users must wear a mask or face covering upon entering and remaining within Summit Centre. Masks may be removed by participants ONLY in the field of play.

**Social Distancing** • The guided markers and signage in public spaces will remind our guests to try to maintain the physical distancing of 2 meters of at all times while in the facility.

1. To mitigate the spread of COVID on the ice surface, FULL EQUIPMENT including helmets with cages/shields are recommended to be worn by all players.
2. All players must adhere to appropriate hygiene and handwashing protocols prior to playing and going on the ice.
3. Players should be social distancing from each other in all other shared spaces within the arena.

**Exiting the Facility** • Following the completion of your session players and guardians will have 20 minutes to exit the facility following the end of their session.

### **Washrooms/showers**

• Washrooms/showers are available in dressing rooms and are permitted for use, however you must still be able to vacate the room in a timely manner.

**Dressing Rooms** • Each group will be assigned 2 dressing rooms per booking.

**Maximum Number of Participants/Spectators** - We are welcoming spectators back into our facility. Under the current public health order in Phase 3 re-opening, businesses are permitted to operate at 50% capacity. This means the limit on persons in EACH RINK is 125. This includes all players, coaches, staff and spectators. **Siblings are welcome to attend and MUST REMAIN seated with parents. Wandering around the facility will not be tolerated.**

**Persons who choose to not follow current orders will be suspended from the building.**

If you are experiencing any COVID-19 or flu-like symptoms, or if you have had any contact with someone who has COVID-19-like symptoms, PLEASE DO NOT PARTICIPATE OR ENTER THE FACILITY.