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**SCHENLEY PARK SKATING RINK**

**2020-21 SKATING SEASON**

**COVID-19 SAFETY PLAN**

**NOVEMBER 19, 2020**

Re-Opening Date: November 30, 2020

Maximum Capacity: 100 Skaters/Public Session

Cleaning and Sanitizing Plan:

- The Ice Rink Facility will be treated with industrial strength disinfectant on the CDC approved list. This will continue to protect surfaces for up to 3 months.
- The Ice Rink will have an approved cleaning company clean all high-use areas of the facility 2 times/week (Monday and Friday mornings)
- The Ice Rink staff will continue to wipe down surfaces and clean the facility on a daily on-going basis as needed.
- Public Skate Session times will allow for cleaning in between sessions.

Skater/Patron Safety Protocols:

- Skaters will be required to wear a mask at all times upon entry to the facility—including while skating.
- Public Skating Sessions will be set for 90 minutes of straight skating time—no intermissions.
- Each Public Skating Session will be limited to 100 skating patrons.
- The bottom floor of the ice rink will be open for restrooms and limited to no more than 25 patrons at one time.
- ARRIVAL PROCEDURE (If you are not feeling well or are exhibiting any symptoms please stay home.)
  - Entry Door Greeting and Mandatory Temperature Check & Brief Medical Screening: Patrons with temperature of 100.4 or higher or those with potential risk medical screening answers will not be allowed into the facility.
  - Ticket Purchase: Once patrons purchase tickets and are counted, they will proceed directly downstairs to pick up skates and head out onto the ice. (Directional signs in place to guide.)
  - Skate Rental: Skates are available to rent (and are disinfected after each use), we strongly encourage you to bring if you are able, to help assist with COVID-19 mitigation.
  - Skate Sharpening: Skate Sharpening will be available during the 2020-21 skate season for \$5.00.
- EXIT PROCEDURE
  - Skaters will be asked to leave the rink following their session, no loitering, so staff has adequate time to clean and prep for the next skate session. (Directional signs in place to guide.)

Skater/Patron Safety Protocols (continued):

- Hand sanitizing stations are located throughout the facility.
- Water fountains will NOT be operational.
- In order to limit high touch surfaces, the Ice Rink will NOT operate concessions, vending or arcade games during the 2020-21 season.
- The upstairs area including the banquet hall and bathrooms are off limits.
- The Ice Rink will book private ice-time for patrons that can operate within the bounds of the COVID-19 regulations AND the outdoor gathering limits for Allegheny County.
- Skating Lessons, Banquet Hall Rentals and Party Room Bookings will not be permitted.
- ICE TIME RENTALS/HOCKEY TEAMS
  - Masks must be worn at all times—upon arrival to the facility until you have completely exited the facility.
  - All teams need to have a COVID-19 Safety plan that includes screening prior to facility entry.
  - Non-essential visitors and spectators (including parents) are NOT permitted to enter the facility.
  - Participants should be dropped off and picked up.
  - Participants should arrive fully dressed—changing will not be permitted inside.
  - Please do not congregate before, during or after ice time and be sure to practice social distancing when not on the ice playing.
  - Participants should limit their bag to a much smaller one—bringing only what is needed.
  - Limits to number of players on the ice may be imposed at any time as it relates to COVID-19 Protocol/Restrictions.
  - Please follow ALL posted signage while at the Ice Rink.

Employee Safety:

- All employees have been trained in COVID-19 safety and sanitation protocols.
- All employees have been instructed to stay home if they do not feel well.
- Employees that report any symptoms will follow the City's reporting procedure.
- All employee areas and equipment are cleaned and sanitized regularly.

***The Department of Parks and Recreation along with Schenley Ice Rink Management and the City of Pittsburgh reserve the right to update policies as needed to ensure we follow COVID-19 safety; and to remove any patron if not compliant with facility policies and requirements.***