

## **PMM Ice Surface Guidelines:**

- Facility access will be limited to the main entrance of the arena located on the south end of the facility. The automatic doors will eliminate the need for physical handling of doors.
- Drop off is available in front of the main entrance. Dropping off participants is encouraged, rather than guardian accompaniment, wherever possible to minimize the number of people entering the arena at once.
- All participants and guardians (when required for younger players) will be asked to enter and exit the facility individually. Groups are only permitted if they are made up of individuals who live together.
- Participants and spectators are asked to arrive no earlier than 15 minutes prior to scheduled ice session and to vacate the building within 15 minutes of finishing on ice portion of development.
- Washrooms will be available in the lobby of the arena. Dressing room washrooms will be open for that session only for limited use and participants are encouraged to use the lobby washrooms ahead of time if possible. Showers will not be permitted in the facility.
- Water fountains throughout the facility will not be used during the camp.
- All participants and guardians are asked to use supplied hand sanitizer of a minimum 60% alcohol upon entering and exiting the facility.
- Maximum occupancy for spectators is 100. With a 20-participant maximum per on ice session, this would mean no more than 5 spectators per participant. However, it is strongly encouraged to limit spectators unless their presence is necessary. Spectators are to follow Alberta Health Services guidelines on social distancing while in both the lobby and the arena. Limited spectator seating will be made available. Use of seating is discouraged!
- Facility will be equipped with proper signage as per Alberta Health Services guidelines in regards to hand sanitizing, social distancing, and cover for coughs and sneezes.
- Any person who exhibits symptoms of COVID-19, has travelled internationally in the 14 day prior to use, or has been in close contact with a case of COVID-19 must stay home.



## Arena Use:

- All participants, excluding goaltenders, will be asked to come completely dressed into the arena.
- Groups will be designated a suitable amount of dressing rooms and will be marked in 6' increments for proper physical distancing. This will allow participants to have a safe space to put on their helmet, gloves and skates prior to entering the ice surface. It is asked that participants do not bring hockey bags or other bulky personal belongings with them.
- Designated dressing rooms will be available for goaltenders to dress completely, however there will be marked spots of no closer than 6' within the room ensure goalies are keeping a safe distance. These dressing rooms washrooms will be locked and unavailable for use.
- Ice access will be restricted to the referee hallway between the players benches.
  This will allow only single file access to the ice surface.
- Participants are only permitted in the dressing room hallway 10 minutes prior to their ice session, and must leave within 10 minutes of their ice session ending, to allow sufficient time for sanitizing benches before the next group of players arrives.
- Players benche use is not encouraged, as they are not spacious enough for proper physical distancing. If they must be used social distancing must be accomplished.
- Coaches will be asked to keep a safe distance from all participants.
- Participants are asked to bring pre filled water bottles with them. The ice surface will have marked areas on the dasher board for each player to leave their own water bottle and rehydrate with proper physical distancing.
- Ice time will be conducted in cohort groups of maximum 20 participants, and on/ off ice sessions will be conducted in a way, as much as possible, to ensure proper physical distancing is being maintained.
- On ice sessions will be held 30 minutes apart, allowing the dressing room hallway benches to be sanitized in the 10 minutes between players leaving and arriving.
- Each session will have a documented attendance of participants and coaches should it be required for health and safety purposes completed by the renter.

- There will be no mixing of participants of each cohort group between sessions.
- The Bison/Rustler dressing room be used for certain instructors only and social distancing must be met. All playing participants must enter through the PMM front door. Showering is not permitted in any room within the PMM.

## Sanitizing:

- Lobby, spectating area and public washrooms will be sanitized periodically throughout each day, according to AHS guidelines the facility adheres to.
- Dressing room benches and player benches and other high touch surfaces will be sanitized and wiped between each group in the allotted time frame and the entire area will be sprayed down completely at the end of each night.

## Please note: this document is subject to change as the provincial and federal health and safety requirements are updated going forward.

Thank You, Parks & Recreation Department Town of Wainwright

