

Holland Ice Gardens

Facility Protocols

Guidelines for all facility users:

- Stay home if you, or a household member are experiencing symptoms, even if they are mild.
- Self-screening for coaches, instructors, participants spectators, and volunteers prior to entry of building. Individuals with covid-19 symptoms will not be permitted on site for scheduled activities. For self screen tool please visit: <https://sharedhealthmb.ca/covid19/screening-tool/>
- All ice bookings must be made through the facility scheduler at rob.bolack@enbridge.com or by telephone 204-825-7519
- Covid-19 related signage will be marked through out the facility reminding patrons of physical distancing guidelines, hand hygiene and cough etiquette.
- The renter is responsible for the actions of their group or members.

Building Entry

- Entrance through the front doors; one set of doors will be labeled “Enter”
- Upon entering the building, all users must sign in and use hand sanitizer located in main lobby
- Social distancing of 2 meters (6 feet) is required in facility.
- Spectators may arrive no earlier than 15 minutes before game time and leave immediately after
- Participants will be able to enter facility 30 minutes before their scheduled ice time and must leave within 20 mins after.
- Participants are encouraged to come “ice ready.” MB Hockey Guidelines require that U7 and U9 are to come fully dressed minus helmet, gloves and skates.
- Masks are mandatory for all attendees with the exception of players/coaches/officials while on the ice
- Downstairs lobby area will have the doors closed – this area is for players, staff and one parent/guardian. No other patrons are permitted in this area. Doors are marked for entry and exit.

- Visiting team limited to 2 spectators per player

While in the building

- Ice Capacity is per the current Manitoba Health guidelines at time of ice rental
- Participants/coaches/instructors must follow the signage to their designated room to put their skates on. They must stay in these areas until their scheduled ice time. Social distancing practices to be used at all times
- Parent or caregiver to return to designated viewing area immediately after children are dressed
- ALL USERS are required to keep a list of the members of their group and contact information for 21 days to ensure appropriate public health follow up can take place if a participant is exposed to Covid-19. For hockey games this will require your team and the opposing team's information. Hockey teams will have communications officers that will be in charge of keeping this information.
- The renter of the facility is responsible for the actions of their group members
- Congregating or standing in hallways or common areas is not permitted if you're unable to follow social distancing guidelines
- Switching ice times with other teams will not be permitted unless approved by rink scheduler.
- For scheduled hockey practices, it is strongly encouraged that only one parent/guardian attend the facility at this time. If a sibling *has to* be brought as well they need to stay seated in the viewing areas and are not permitted in dressing rooms.
- Washrooms will be available at limited capacity; one person only, or two if someone requires assistance. Wheelchair accessible facility is located in the downstairs lobby and can be accessed by any attendee requiring it.
- Showers are not to be used at this time
- Water fountain will not be available for drinking use, but bottle filling station can be accessed
- All users must bring their own labelled water bottle
- Bench areas will be wiped down and disinfected after each session
- Physical distancing markers will be placed on seating in change rooms. Participants are to sit on marked "X's"

- Dressing room 1 (13 players)
- Room 2 (13 players)
- Room 3 (12 players)
- Room 4 (7 players)
- Room 5 (16 players)
- Ref Room (3 refs)
- High contact surface areas will be cleaned and sanitized by facility staff after each block session. If additional sanitization is desired during your block session – users are welcome to do so with their own supplies.
- Dryland training is not permitted inside the facility
- No spitting, fighting or blowing noses without a tissue. A zero-tolerance policy will be enforced regarding these actions and individuals may be asked to leave the premises and have future bookings suspended.
- Players and coaches should do their best to ensure no personal belongings are left behind and that the dressing rooms are left tidy

Games

- Arrival times remain the same for games as for practices with the exception of U15AA who may arrive 45 mins prior to on-ice warm-ups.
- Bench capacity is open to the game day roster and game day staff
- Players and officials bear the responsibility of maintaining distance as much as possible
- Bench staff and time keepers must wear masks
- Team celebrations and post-game handshakes are actively discouraged; teams may line up at the blue lines and raise/clap their sticks

Leaving the Building

- Spectators must leave the building immediately after game
- Participants must exit the facility no more than 20 minutes after their session. All users are to remove skates/equipment and leave the facility as quickly as possible so that the areas can be clean and sanitized
- Participants must not leave any equipment anywhere in the arena. They must take equipment from dressing room right out of the building.

- Leave using front doors only – one set will be marked with “Exit”

The full Hockey Manitoba Return to Play Guidelines document can be found here:

<http://www.hockeymanitoba.ca/wp-content/uploads/2020/10/20200810-Hockey-Manitoba-Return-to-Play-Plan-Version-3.pdf>

It is *required* that all families registered with Holland Minor Hockey read the document