



CITY OF WEST KELOWNA: JIM LIND ARENA COVID 19 ARENA USE PROCEDURES (June 9, 2020)

Entrance

- Participants must come dressed in full gear including skates (with skate guards) or shoes and a full water bottle.
- There will be social distancing markers to line up at the door.
- One parent /adult per skater is permitted to come to the arena with the child (no siblings or other children).
- Each team will have a volunteer at the front door to supervise the group and ensure that unauthorized individuals do not enter the arena.

Upon Building Entry

- Player dressing rooms are not available for use at this time.
- Players will go to the marked seating locations in the foyer.
- Seats are to be used to tie skates, fasten helmet, and remove skate guards.
- Skate guards/street shoes will be left at the seat as the participants take the ice.
- **NO SPITTING ANYWHERE IN THE FACILITY OR ON THE ICE.**

Ice Entry

- The main gate to ice will be open, and player benches are not to be used. Participants must place water bottles on the top rail at bench, markers will be provided.

On-Ice Procedure

- Maximum of 12 participants and 2 coaches allowed per ice session.
- Goalies must remain in designated goal crease.
- The ice is split into two sides with six skaters per side.
- Markers have been placed on the glass in the 4 corners to provide reference for social distancing of participants in a line up.
- Drills must meet provincial guidelines for social distancing. Therefore no contact/battle drills allowed.
- Participants and Coaches must keep gloves and equipment on at all times. No touching of pucks with hands by players. Coaches must pick up pucks at end of the session.

Exit Ice and Building Procedure

- At the end of the session, participants must exit the ice on time so that the next group can start on time. Participants must exit the ice, single file, to their seat in the lobby to remove helmets and skates. Participants must leave within 15 minutes so the next group can enter the building.

Safety Protocol

- Please note that sanitization of the arena spaces will only occur periodically.
- Wash your hands
- Practice social distancing while in the facility
- Do not share equipment
- To ensure our facilities can remain open and safe, please obey all rules as presented by the City of West Kelowna and the Province of BC.

*All ice times must be booked through the City's Recreation and Culture Department at
778-797-2240.*