



General Facility Policies

Assumption of Individual Risk

Participation in ice-related sports, whether recreational or competitive, hockey, broomball or otherwise, carries with it certain inherent risks that cannot be eliminated regardless of the care taken to avoid injuries. The specific risks vary from one activity to another, but the risks range from:

- minor injuries such as scratches, bruises, and sprains; to
- major injuries such as eye injury or loss of sight, joint or back sprains, strains, breaks, concussions, severe cuts, head trauma, dismemberment, cardiac arrest, partial or total paralysis, and death.

Participation is voluntary and all individuals knowingly assume all risks when they take part in informal or programmed recreational activities. We strongly recommend that you consult your personal physician before starting any physical activity program.

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- No running around, rollerblading or playing hockey off the ice.
- Individuals and groups are expected to return areas as it was found and clean-up after themselves. Additional charges will be billed to any group in cases of excessive cleaning.

Adult Supervision of Children Ages 12 and Under

- At least one adult 18 or older must accompany the child to the facility and monitor their activity at all times.
- Youth (12 years old and under) are not permitted in the locker rooms without adult supervision.
- Children should not play in the lockers or stand on top of the benches.

Hockey Game Rules for Spectators

- Do not throw anything at the players, officials, Zamboni driver, or onto the ice at any time.
- Offensive language is prohibited. Individuals using profanity or acting inappropriately will be asked to leave.
- Alcohol, tobacco products, electronic cigarettes, illegal drugs, firearms, and other weapons are strictly prohibited in or near the Graham Arena Complex and throughout the Graham Park facilities.
- Do not lean or hang over the arena railings at any time. No pounding on the arena glass. All persons standing on the lower level must have all body parts behind and below the glass.
- All patrons are prohibited from the Zamboni entrance way while the ice is being resurfaced.
- The Graham Arena Complex is a non-smoking area.
- Those individuals who wish to leave the Ice Arena and return during a game must get their hand stamped before exiting the building. All ticketing is handled by the HS game staff or specific event staff.
- CAUTION: The puck moves at a high rate of speed and may leave the playing surface. Please keep your attention on the puck at all times.

Helmets Required

It is mandatory that all persons involved in ice hockey or broomball wear a helmet. For ice hockey, full equipment is highly recommended. All hockey programs require full face shields/cages on the helmet.

Ice Arena Locker Room Policies

- Only authorized groups will be allowed locker room access. Locker rooms are available 60 minutes prior to ice time and until 30 minutes after ice time.
- The Graham Arena Complex is not responsible for any lost, stolen or damaged personal items.
- Prior to occupancy, report any problems (damage/trash) to the Ice Arena Staff.
- All youth (ages 12 and under) are required to have parental supervision during locker room use. Adult supervision is required for all youth groups using the locker rooms.
- Do not change in the hallway.
- Strategy boards require the use of Ice Arena approved dry-erase markers.
- Ice Arena Staff may enter locker room for safety and maintenance reasons.
- Any individual found in the locker room who is not associated with that group will be viewed as trespassing.
- Organizations and groups renting ice will be held responsible for their members and guests.

Fundraisers, Merchandise Sales, and Non-Ice Related Activities

Fundraisers, merchandise sales, and non-ice related activities require approval from the Graham Arena Complex manager prior to the facility rental. Details of the special event must be provided with the space request. Raffles will also require a city permit to be obtained through the arena management office.

Groups

Groups are only allowed on the ice early if the Ice Arena staff approves it. Groups may not be on the ice before their assigned time if the ice resurfacers are on the ice or before the ice resurfacers doors are closed. All groups must immediately leave the ice when their scheduled time is complete.