

Sunday Night Ice Dance Session Safety Procedures

Below are the safety procedures that skaters at the Sunday night ice dance session are expected to follow. Windy City is being consistent with the safety procedures set by the rink and the park district skating program where possible. The current health situation is constantly evolving, and procedures will be modified as needed going forward. Your patience and understanding are appreciated. Please read the following information carefully.

Rink

- Face masks must be worn inside the building at all times. **Please bring your own face mask.**
- As of September 21, 2020 McFetridge is requiring masks to be worn on the ice as well.
- Benches have been removed from the lobby. There are chairs spaced out inside the rink for putting on skates.
- It is preferable to arrive at the rink with skates already on if possible.
- McFetridge is not allowing skate bags to be brought into the building.
- Please go immediately to the ice once you have your skates on.
- There are designated doors for entering and exiting the building and the ice.
- When you get off the ice, please leave the building promptly, within 10-15 minutes.
- No gathering in the rink or lobby area.
- There is a designated area in the bleachers for parents to watch, socially distanced.

Ice Dance Session

- A maximum of 15 skaters will be allowed on the ice at one time.
- According to McFetridge rules, wearing a face mask on the ice is required.
- Skaters must sign up for sessions and pay in advance through EntryEeze.
- Skaters can buy a set of 10 coupons then choose the dates they want to use them or buy sessions one at a time. Please see the EntryEeze instructions for complete details.
- The deadline to sign up for each session is 4:00 PM on Sunday.
- A list of skaters signed up for each session will be posted by the entry door to the ice.
- The club will provide music as usual. Various dances at different levels will be played.
- Only coaches giving lessons and club officers will be allowed to change to music, as usual. This is to minimize the number of people congregating around and touching the music podium.

Coaches

- Coaches are also asked to please sign up (for free) for sessions in EntryEeze so there is a record of everyone who attended in case it is needed for contact tracing. Illinois Department of Health guidelines state that sports organizers should maintain lists of all participants for contact tracing purposes.
- There will be a separate coaches' contract in EntryEeze that can be used to sign up.
- Coaches will **not** be charged for sessions.
- The iPod/phone cable is available for playing music. The CD player is not available.

- A maximum of five coaches will be allowed to stand on the ice, spread apart, wearing face masks, and socially distanced from skaters.
- If there are more than five coaches, they may stand off the ice in the hockey benches or penalty boxes.
- Partnering will not be allowed at this time. Illinois Department of Health guidelines consider partnered skating to be higher risk.