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Delisle Arena COVID-19 Protocol

This document is outlining how the Delisle Arena is implementing measures to prevent the transmission of COVID-19 as the health and safety of guests and staff at the Delisle Arena remains our top priority. The Delisle Arena is aligning with provincial guidelines as well as national sporting body protocols for facility operations. All renters operating in the Delisle Arena must comply with the following protocol. Groups and participants found not following these protocols may be asked to leave.

COVID-19 droplet transmission is much more likely when individuals are in close contact. The likelihood of transmission between individuals participating in sport, physical activity and recreation in an indoor setting is significantly higher.

GENERAL GUIDELINES

- Stay home if you are sick. Those showing symptoms of COVID-19 are advised to contact the Saskatchewan Healthline at 811 for further guidance.
- Masks are recommended by everyone, except when participating in the activity.
- The kitchen booth is closed until further notice.
- It is the renter's responsibility to ensure all guidelines are followed.
- These guidelines are in effect for the months of September and October. They will be re-evaluated at the end of October.

PROCEDURE FOR ENTERING THE BUILDING

- Everyone shall enter the arena from the Front entrance (south side) and immediately proceed to their assigned dressing room. Users shall exit the building through the dressing room corridor door (east side). This promotes a one-way flow of foot traffic

through the building and enhances social distancing. Attached is a map of the arena showing how foot traffic should proceed.

- Use the hand sanitizer at the front entrance prior to continuing into the building.
- Patrons are to limit their time spent in the facility, as well as maintain physical distancing when returning to their vehicles or homes.
- There will be no loitering in the lobby areas, users are expected to go directly to their dressing room.

RENTER EXPECTATION

- Renters have a responsibility for tracing, monitoring, and screening their participants upon arrival at the facility. Screening questions can be found online at www.saskatchewan.ca/covid19.
- If coaches/trainers cannot maintain physical distancing, a mask should be worn.
- For practices, two dressing rooms will be assigned to each renter in order to accommodate social distancing. We encourage players to come dressed but if it is not feasible, they can be allowed to dress and undress in the rooms.
- Only players/users are allowed in the building along with coaches, managers, trainers and officials (i.e. no parents, guardians, siblings, etc.). Users must immediately proceed to their assigned dressing room. Players requiring assistance getting ready will need to rely on the coaching staff. All users must exit the building using the east door in the dressing room corridor.
- Arrive at the facility no more than **20 minutes before** your scheduled time. Proceed immediately to your assigned dressing room. Stay in your dressing room until any current group on the ice has returned to their dressing room. You may then proceed to the ice surface providing the ice surface is available for use. Players are NOT to line up at the gates awaiting their ice time.
- Attendees must vacate the facility with 15 minutes after their assigned ice time to allow staff time to disinfect the space prior to the next group.

- We request that players ensure the dressing rooms are cleaned up with no garbage or items left in the rooms, this will aid our staff to sanitize the dressing rooms in an efficient and timely manner.
- All dressing room showers will be closed for use.
- Renters and program participants are encouraged to bring full water bottles. Drinking fountains are not available. **Do not share water bottles with other participants.**
- No single group on the ice surface shall exceed the gathering limits in the public health order. Teams need to be separated while on the sidelines, and players cannot exceed gathering limits during games, practices or training. A maximum of **30 people in total as per the public health order** are allowed on the ice surface at this time. This includes players, coaches, officials, scorekeepers and others at the ice surface level.
- Shared equipment should be cleaned and disinfected after contact between individuals, even when not visibly dirty.
- Volunteers working the score clock will be required to sanitize their hands before and after use.
- The sound booth will be available by pre-request ONLY.

SPECTATORS

- For the months of September and October, no spectators will be allowed in the arena. This policy will be re-evaluated at the end of October.

PLAYER CONDUCT

- Spitting (includes seeds, tobacco, and fluids) and other similar activities increase the risk of transmission of COVID-19 and are not permitted.
- Individuals must not share personal items (i.e. equipment or beverage containers).
- Congratulatory gestures such as high fives and handshakes are not permitted.
- Participants and players, staff, coaches, and volunteers should try to minimize cheering and whistling as much as possible to control the spread of COVID-19.
- Modifications to activities that limit physical contact are recommended.

STAFF

- Arena staff will clean and disinfect change rooms between each renter.
- Arena staff will disinfect all high-touch surfaces throughout their shifts.

It will be the renter’s responsibility to forward the rules of the Delisle Arena to the parents and participants and ensure they are following them.

Please note that guidelines may change, should that happen an updated document will be forwarded to the user.

It is the renter’s responsibilities to ensure all Saskatchewan Re-Open Guidelines are followed. Further information can be found at www.saskatchewan.ca/COVID19.

I, _____ (print name) representing

_____ (organization) understand and agree
to conform to the conditions of the Rental Contract.

_____(signature). Date:_____