



Swift Current
Minor Hockey Association

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Covid-19 & Swift Current Hockey Teams

1. All players and spectators entering the rink must use **hand sanitizer** and wear a **mask**. This is **MANDATORY**. Please remind your team and spectators to ensure they have a mask. If not, you may be asked to leave the rink.
2. Team Managers are expected to communicate prior to attending a rink in Swift Current. This is to ensure communication between teams and availability of spectators wishing to watch prior to travelling to Swift Current and being sure there is room within one of our three rinks. **Spectators are allowed into the rinks 10 minutes before ice times and must leave the rink immediately after.**
3. **Only U13 and older AA and AAA team coaches and players are allowed into the rinks 30 minutes prior to games and must leave within 30 minutes at the end of the game. All other teams are allowed into the rink 15 minutes prior to practices and games and must leave 15 minutes after.** Teams are expected to go directly to their dressing rooms and remain there until their scheduled ice time. This is non-negotiable. Not following these rules could result in loss of ice time and/or team suspensions.
4. Attendance will vary from team to team in Swift Current when playing at one of our rinks. Please ensure you have contacted the team manager prior to travel. You could see sign-in sheets, digital QR code readers for attendance, check in sheets or other ways our association is handling the Covid situation. Please be patient as this is fluid.
5. For games, as per SHA rules, only three coaches allowed on the home and visiting team's bench.
6. Social distancing rules are in place. Please avoid congestion, congregation in common areas, sit with your family, avoid travelling within the rinks and speaking with other cohorts. Spectators are allowed to use the washrooms and concession. Children must remain in their seats. Would you want to be the person to ruin hockey for the kids? You may be asked to leave if you are not following the rules.
7. All people within the rinks must be accounted for. **Spectator capacities for practices and all other events are 30. Current rink capacities for sanctioned SHA games in the City of Swift Current are: FW – 63, FE – 30, iPlex – 150.**

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8. City of Swift Current facility staff have protocols to follow to keep everyone safe. Please respect their space and jobs. They are trying their best. Thank you.
9. City of Swift Current Facility Guidelines must be followed with entrances and exits. Please avoid congestion and congregation. Look for the signs. Facility staff will be disinfecting areas within the arenas in between games and practices. Please be patient.
The kids thank you.
10. Team dryland preparations are currently not allowed within our rinks.
11. Your team is responsible for ensuring the cleanliness of the dressing rooms and that all items have been removed. Showers are open for use. Visiting coaches are responsible for the exit of their teams. Please avoid congregation and ensure exits are clear for players and coaches. Please follow facility guidelines or ask the home team manager for directions.
12. Please bring your own team's water bottles.
13. **Please be aware of Sask Hockey's Return to Hockey Guidelines.** This is important for our kids to continue to play hockey. We are currently in Phase 3 as approved by the Ministry of Health. For more information: <https://sha.sk.ca/news/return-to-hockey>
14. Thank you for coming to Swift Current to play some hockey! Great to be back! See you soon!