

ARENA RETURN TO PLAY PROTOCOL *amended December 30, 2021*

In response to Manitoba's RESTORING SAFE SERVICES – amended Public Health Orders 27 Dec 2021

Southdale Community Centre continues to adapt to a phased reopening. All users are responsible to follow these guidelines as outlined based on public health orders/recommendations. Operations will be continually reviewed in conjunction with current and future provincial mandates.

HEALTH SCREENING BEFORE ENTERING FACILITY

Anyone attending Southdale must use the provincial self-screening tool prior to arrival. <https://sharedhealthmb.ca/covid19/screening-tool/>. Staff who are sick will not attend work. Users that do not pass the screening are not to attend. Individuals at higher risk of illness should not attend.

FACILITY MAINTENANCE AND SANITIZATION

Southdale Community Centre is dedicated to the safety of our users and staff. Protocols and procedures remain in place to maintain provincial standards to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

ENTRY INTO THE FACILITY

Admission into the facility is restricted as follows. Those unable to provide proof as outlined will be ineligible for entry. Attendees must provide a hard copy of government-issued photo ID. Youth may utilize student ID. Documents are to be ready to present upon entry.

- Persons who provide proof of full vaccination or medical exemption with provincial or federal QR code. Full immunization is required for 12+ attending any ticketed event, ie. U18 AAA or MMJHL.
- Youth aged 12-18 who provide proof of one mRNA dose for COVID-19 or proof of a negative rapid COVID-19 test result from within the previous 72 hours, confirmed by a pharmacist.
- Youth under the age of 12 attending into the facility accompanied by a fully-vaccinated guardian.
- Groups utilizing the hall with no access to the main facility, attending for a booking not related to sport, recreation, BINGO or licensed event with appropriate capacity limitations.

ARRIVAL/DEPARTURE

- Participants and coaches are not to attend earlier than 30 minutes prior to scheduled ice time or 5 minutes prior to fitness centre use. Teams that must provide proof of vaccination or negative test (U13+) may attend 45 minutes prior to scheduled ice time for sanctioned games. Coach/instructor must be present prior to team entry.
- Users must vacate dressing rooms no later than 30 minutes after ice time. One coach/instructor must wait until the last player has departed.

GENERAL RULES

- Face masks are required in the facility and must cover the mouth and nose. Participants may remove masks while engaged in athletic activity but masks must remain on in the change rooms. Spectators may only remove masks if *actively* eating/drinking *while seated*.
- Absolutely NO Spitting at any time. No horseplay. No food in dressing rooms. No sharing supplies. Microphones will not be provided. Showers discouraged.
- Physical distancing is recommended for members of the public. No congregating in the facility. Lobby areas are to remain clear for traffic flow.
- Off-ice warm-up can be done on the dressing room side of the west rink, wearing face masks.
- Participants should yield to user groups going to/coming from scheduled ice times.
- Parking lot remains one-way with access via north entrance. Entrance is drop off only. Vehicles are to be parked in designated parking spots while waiting for participants.

IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN 50% CAPACITY, MAX. 250 PEOPLE

- Recommendation of no more than 2 spectators per participant. Maximum 110 spectators in West Rink, 90 spectators in East Rink. The facility will monitor overall numbers and deny further entry for either rink if capacity is reached.
- Spectators can attend no earlier than 10 minutes prior to scheduled ice time and leave immediately in order to allow the next spectator group access. No waiting or congregating in lobby areas.
- No spectators are to attend into dressing room area. Players and coaches only, unless essential. Only one guardian is to attend the dressing room or wait for younger players.
- Participants should remain in the dressing room areas and off-ice warm up area (west rink under stands) and avoid spectator areas unless necessary.