

# Hartford Parks & Recreation

## Wendell A. Barwood Area

### Rink Guidance for 2021/2022 Season

Dated: November 3, 2021

- Patrons are asked to come ready to skate to limit locker room usage and time spent in the locker rooms.
- Masks are required in the building at all times.
- Locker rooms for scheduled ice times will not be available until 15 minutes prior to ice time usage.
- The lobby will not be allowed for gatherings.
- Patrons are to arrive and go directly to locker rooms to change skates and prepare for ice time.
- Parents and spectators should immediately go to the bleachers upon arrival. No congregating in the lobby or locker room.
- For private facility rentals, Applicant will provide locker room oversight to assure gathering is limited and patrons arrive and depart timely.
- Groups, leagues, and private rentals may mandate mask requirements while participating on the ice.
- These restrictions are subject to change at any given time without notice.
- For Youth Leagues, practices and game: All coaches, players, managers, game staff, athletic trainers, etc. will be required to wear a face covering at all times with the exception of players who are actively engaged in competition. During practices, players will wear a face covering when sitting and talking (team meetings), but may remove them when actively engaged in a drill. Facility use rules also require players to wear a mask at all times until they enter the ice/bench area (basically once they put their helmet on). Since hockey substitutions take place “on the fly,” we cannot expect the players to wear a mask while on the bench unless they are unlikely to play without advance warning (4<sup>th</sup> line skater or back-up goalies, for example).

## Mandatory Health & Safety Requirements

Employees and patrons are not to enter the building if sick or symptomatic with any one or combination of the below symptoms:

Fever  
Cough  
Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing  
Chills  
Repeated shaking with chills  
Muscle pain  
Headache  
Sore throat  
New loss of taste or smell

