

Montgomery Parks Ice Arena Entry Directives

Given these unprecedented times, Montgomery County Parks must add additional directives for all those choosing to enter park facilities based on current County Executive Orders. All those participating as well as spectating must adhere to the following conditions. These conditions may be updated due to further executive orders.

- Skaters must come into the facility fully dressed (this includes hockey equipment) apart from their skates; hockey goaltenders excluded.
- Skaters will only be allowed to enter the facility 10 minutes prior to the start of their skating session; hockey goaltenders excluded.
- All Skaters must sign in at the front desk upon arrival and complete a waiver and consent form.
- Capacity limitations will fluctuate as re-opening phases continue. As of September 9th, NHL and Olympic rink capacities are set at 50, Studio Rinks are set at 15 and the Dance Studio is limited to 2.

This capacity includes skaters, coaches, and spectators which means that spectators may not always be able to enter the facility depending on organizations scheduled training sessions.

- Until further notice, locker rooms will not be available due to Covid-19. However, Goaltenders will be permitted to dress in the facility upon request at the front desk.
- All are required to wear a mask/face covering while in the facility, this includes while on the ice, in accordance with the County Executive Order.
- All rentals will be limited to instruction only. Hockey rentals are strictly limited to skating, stickhandling, passing and shooting drills. Until further notice, no small games, scrimmaging or contact drills are permitted.
- Players and coaches should stay physically distant (6 feet).
- Players benches will be closed until further notice
- Water bottles must be labeled and may be left on top of the boards at the player benches.
- Water fountains are disabled, and customers may use the water bottle filling station located near the restrooms.
- Skaters will need to leave the facility immediately after exiting the ice; they will not be permitted to congregate in the lobby area