## **Public Skate Rules**

Ice Skating is for fun and enjoyment for everyone. Skating can be enjoyed in many ways. Regardless of your skill level, there are elements of risk in ice skating. Use common sense, show courtesy to others, and anticipate dangerous situations before they arise. The following guidelines are some basic elements of common sense and courtesy:

- 1. All children under the age of 16 MUST be accompanied by a guardian for the <u>duration</u> of the skate.
- 2. No pushing/shoving/fighting
- 3. Games such as tag are not allowed.
- 4. One person per walker allowed, the only exception is the Bobby The Seal walker
- 5. No snowball making/throwing.
- 6. No carrying children/others
- 7. You MUST wear skates to be on the ice surface, this includes children on walkers.
- 8. No jumping/tricks that endanger others, this include both figure and hockey skaters.
- 9. The boxes are not to be used/opened.
- 10. No strollers are allowed on the ice surface.
- 11. Kicking, digging holes, scraping, or stomping the ice with your blades and kicking the railings are NOT allowed.
- 12. Persons who appear under the influence of alcohol or other substances will be asked to leave he facility. Alcohol, vaping, tobacco, etc. are prohibited and MP's will be called.
- 13. No more than two people may link hands.
- 14. Keep all exits clear.
- 15. Before entering the ice check for oncoming skaters
- 16. Do not sit in the dasher boards.
- 17. No eating, chewing gum, drinking, etc. is to take place on the ice surface.
- 18. Stay off the ice while resurfacing is in progress, skaters may not enter until the Zamboni doors are closed and staff has given the okay.

Use caution and skate in control within your skill level. Respect other skaters. The rink cannot guarantee your safety and will not protect you from injury. It is YOUR responsibility to avoid other skaters and hazards. Failure to use good judgement, skate responsibly, or follow the public skating rules will result in loss of skating privileges.