

GFL Centre

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Newport, NS
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GFL Centre Guidelines for re-opening- Phase 1 Statement-

The GFL Centre will be reopening to get the community Back on the Ice. Although there are many opinions on the Covid-19 Pandemic, we have studied all NS Health Authority guidelines and will be opening with the following rules and procedures that best fit our facility while staying within those guidelines. As we navigate through the New Normal, changes will be made as NSHA guidelines change and/or we find that we change things within the facility as we all find a new routine once we get going.

The GFL Centre will be implementing upgraded cleaning with Covid approved dis-infectants and proper PPE will be worn at all times-

- Continuous wiping of Entrance / Exit doors to the facility.
- Continuous wiping of ice pad gates and gate door handles.
- Full dis-infecting of dressing rooms after each use.
- Frequent cleaning of available washroom facilities.
- Employees will Document and journalize All Cleaning and dis-infecting on a strict schedule basis.

Face coverings are Mandatory to be worn at all times. Hand sanitizing stations are available for use and Frequent and proper hand washing is highly recommended.

Booking-

- Ice booking needs to be done by phone, email or through the Facebook Page messenger.
- Payment MUST be made before your group enters the building, preferred payment is E-transfer (info@newportarena.com), we will accept cash and cheques at the facility by way of the facilities procedure.
- All payments are Non-refundable unless closed due to Covid, early payment guarantees your spot and takes away the possibility of close contact.
- The Renter Must sign a Facility Waiver before your group Enters the building, It is up to the Renter to ensure all persons in your group, Parents/Guardians are given the contents of the waiver form.

Please utilize the Electronic world to have all the above completed before your group arrives.

GFL Centre Community Strong!

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GFL Centre- Rules & Procedures

Note;

Renter- Name on Invoice, Payer, Facility Waiver signee!

Coach(s)- On Ice Instructor!

Supervisor- ONE person designated by the Renter to assist with screening, flow and help with injury / sickness if needed.

Group- 10 skaters plus one coach.

- Masks Must be Worn at ALL times Inside the building! A Doctors note of Exemption Must be provided to Enter without one!
- Bookings can be done by way of 1 group over the full ice or 2 groups with each having half the ice. Groups can NOT inter mix.
- There can be a group of up to 20 over the whole ice, but with 11 or more, the facility manager must be notified and has the right to ask for your practice plan which requires strict social distancing at all times.
- Screening questions must be filled asked to each person entering that is involved with your group having date, contact name, phone #. The facility must receive this.
- There is NO off ice warmup inside the building.
- One of Renter, Coach or supervisor should be outside main entrance 30min prior to ice time, group should be there 20min prior to ice time. Be "on time" as Access to building will be limited!
- Players Must be out of building within 20min of leaving the ice.

- There is No Showering at this time.
- Any sign or sight of person(s) caught Spitting, gathering or displaying horseplay of any kind will be removed from the building and future Entry can be affected!

GFL Centre Rules & Procedures- Group

- All Groups are encouraged to come Ice Ready, This is Mandatory for U9!
- 1 Parent / Guardian per player for U9 & U11. No Spectators for any other Age Groups.
- Maximum of 10 persons in dressing room plus coach, chairs will be in dressing room hallway for U9 & U11 to help with dressing room congestion.
- Masks Must stay on until Coach permits helmet to be placed.
- Players should bring their own Water bottle filled from home.
- Players benches are Not to be used unless an emergency situation.
- U9 & U11 Parent Must stand at a social distance marker on the outside of the rink boards, there is NO Warm room or stands access at this time! There is NO Re-Entry if you leave the building!