



SKATING RULES AND GUIDELINES

FREESTYLE SESSIONS

1. There are two ways to pay for freestyle sessions: Auto-pay: \$7 in County, \$8.75 out of County or the daily session fee of: \$8 in County, \$10 out of County. All sales are plus tax.
2. All skaters are to check-in at the front desk, prior to entering the ice, by presenting their Auto-pay card or paying the daily session fee, signing the sign-in sheet, and receiving a wristband.
3. Freestyle sessions are for skill levels Basic 3 and up.
 - a. Lessons are Private and Semi-Private (up to 3 students at a time), more than 3 is considered a group and must be scheduled by Facility Management.
4. Eating, drinking, or chewing gum on the ice is not allowed.
5. Do not enter the ice surface until the Zamboni doors are closed.
6. Respect professionals, parents, team members, and other skaters.
7. Do not interrupt lessons.
8. Skaters in a lesson have 1st right of way which also includes the coach and the student using the harness.
9. Skaters in a program have 2nd right of way.
10. All skaters must wear freestyle sash during their program.
11. Right of way or not, skaters of a higher level have the responsibility to skate with caution when lower level skaters are present.
12. Back Spirals are not allowed when there are 6 or more skaters on the ice, except when in a lesson with a coach's assistance.
13. Proper skating attire must be modest, dignified and appropriate for athletic skating.
14. When Zamboni doors are opened, it is time to get off the ice.

MUSIC

1. There are two lines for music to be played, one for coaches in a lesson and one for students not in a lesson. Skaters can only play their program 4 times per session.
2. Coach's line has 1st priority, but must alternate when a student's music is in line.
3. Students out of a lesson have 2nd priority.
4. Students may not have more than one program in line at a time, unless it is at the back of the line.
5. After playing your student's program, the student's music must be put at the back of the line, not left in front.
6. As long as there is music in line, music cannot be restarted or rewound.

Public Skating Lesson Rules

- No food or beverages are allowed on the ice.
- No walking through the Zamboni bay.
- Fast skating and fast stopping are both very dangerous. Those stopping quickly to scare or spray snow on another skater will be removed from the ice for the entire session.
- No backward skating is permitted during public sessions, except while in a lesson.
- Skaters are not allowed on the ice while the Zamboni is resurfacing.
- No hockey sticks or pucks are permitted on the ice during public skating sessions.
- Shoes are not allowed on the ice. All persons on the ice must be wearing ice skates.
- For safety reasons, skaters are not allowed in the penalty boxes or players' benches during public sessions.
- Figure skating coaches and their students are the only ones allowed to skate at center ice, however, for safety reasons only bunny hops and forward spirals on a straight leg are permitted.
- Sirius channel 16 is the only approved music to be played during any Public Session.
- Alcohol consumption and tobacco products are not permitted at any GCPRT facilities.

Rules may be amended as managers on duty evaluate conditions and make necessary changes for safety.

PAVILION SKATE SCHOOL

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I have read and agree to abide by all rules and guidelines while skating at the Pavilion. I understand that if I am in violation of these Rules and Guidelines I may be subject to disciplinary action up to and including permanent expulsion from the Skate School activities.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent or Guardian _____ Date _____

***Skating Rules and Guidelines must be signed and turned in to Pavilion Management prior to skating on any freestyle session.**