KLICK LEWIS ARENA

Freestyle & Rink Programs — Overall Safety & Code of Conduct

SAFETY FIRST
FACILITY RULES

1 OVERALL ICE SAFETY & TRAFFIC AWARENESS

General Practice Protocols

- **Active Spatial Awareness:** All skaters must actively remain aware of other skaters on the ice at all times to prevent collisions.
- **Senior Skater Responsibility:** Older and more experienced skaters are expected to actively watch out for younger and beginner skaters.
- **Beginner Protocol:** New and beginner skaters are required to strictly adhere to all safe practice protocols outlined in these official facility rules.

2 PRIVATE LESSONS & RIGHT OF WAY

Priority & Lesson Rules

- **Program Priority:** Skaters currently taking a private lesson or performing their program music have the primary right of way. All other skaters must make every effort to stay clear of their path.
- **Program Awareness:** Private lesson students must recognize and anticipate potential interruptions during their program skate due to other skaters on the ice.
- **Mandatory Program Sashes:** Sashes must be worn at all times to clearly identify skaters performing their program, regardless of whether they are in an active lesson or on open practice.
- **Lesson Integrity:** Skaters may not interrupt or interfere with another skater's private lesson under any circumstances.

SASH REQUIRED
FOR ALL PROGRAM SKATERS

RIGHT OF WAY
MUSIC & PRIVATE LESSONS FIRST

3 PARENT & SPECTATOR GUIDELINES

Spectator Conduct & Seating Policy

- **Non-Interference:** Parents and spectators may not interrupt any active skating lesson or offer coaching instructions to skaters on or off the ice.
- **Designated Seating:** Parents and spectators must remain seated in the stands only. Standing along the glass or sitting on the players' benches is strictly prohibited.
- **Medical Exceptions:** Any medical or accessibility exceptions to spectator seating rules can only be granted directly by rink management.

4 SKATER RULES & PROHIBITED ITEMS

Strictly Prohibited on Ice

- **Electronic & Visual Devices:** No portable audio/visual devices, cell phones, or earbuds are permitted on the ice surface at any time.
- **Food & Beverages:** No food, beverages, or glass containers are allowed on the ice or along the rink wall.
- **Loitering:** No loitering on the ice surface. Skaters must exit the ice entirely for social conversations or resting.
- **Unsafe & Disruptive Behaviors:** Absolutely no kicking, stomping, toe dragging, standing/sitting/lying on the ice, sitting on boards, playing tag, or throwing objects during any session.
- **Conduct:** Inappropriate language, chewing gum, and unsportsmanlike behavior will not be tolerated.

5 LOCKER ROOM POLICY

Locker Room Assignment & Privacy

- **Assigned Rooms:** Skaters must utilize the specific locker rooms assigned per the daily facility schedule posted in the main lobby.
- **SafeSport Compliance:** Full SafeSport guidelines are active and strictly enforced upon entering all locker room areas. No videos or pictures in the locker rooms.
- **Changing Etiquette:** If a skater needs to change clothes, please utilize the designated restroom facilities rather than open locker spaces when required by policy.

6 SPORT TRAINING & ATHLETE DEVELOPMENT

Fostering Independent Athletes

For the best use of ice time and optimal skater development, please recognize that once a skater steps onto the ice, they are in a dedicated training environment and are expected to practice independently.

We encourage parents and coaches to teach skaters to be independent thinkers and self-sufficient athletes. Developing keen spatial awareness in relation to fellow skaters will keep all ice sessions productive, structured, and safe here at Klick Lewis Arena.

7 SAFESPORT / SAFE SKATE COMMITMENT

Protecting Every Athlete

Klick Lewis Arena strictly adheres to official U.S. Figure Skating and USA Hockey SafeSport Guidelines (www.safesport.org) for the physical protection, emotional safety, and overall well-being of all participants.

By entering the facility and participating in ice sessions, all parents, skaters, and coaches agree to fully adhere to all SafeSport Guidelines.