

Skating for Skills

March 5-7, 2021

Athletes

- All athletes are expected to arrive to the arena ready (costumes, hair, makeup, etc.). Athletes will be provided with an area to put skates on but will not be permitted to change in public restrooms. Locker rooms will not be available. Athletes will be required to wear their masks at all times including when on the ice for practice ice and warm up. Athletes may remove their masks for their performance when the only one on the ice.
- Athletes will need to check in twice.
 - Check in at the check in desk one hour prior to their event time.
 - Check to see if competition is running on time.
 - Competition will run no more than 15 minutes ahead.
 - Check in at the check in desk 30 mins prior to their event time.
 - If athletes are in need of warming up in the rink, then you may enter 40 mins prior.
 - Warm up outside weather permitting.
 - Warm up on Friday and Saturday will be upstairs on the soccer field.
 - Warm up on Sunday will be at the Zamboni end of the rink.
 - Show screen shot of USFS waivers signed.
 - Temperatures will be taken.
 - Credentials will be distributed to the parent/spectator.
- After entering the building go to Party room A or B to put skates on.
 - Room A is for the Zamboni end events.
 - Room B is for the Lobby end events.
 - Please do not leave any belongings in the rooms.
- 15 mins prior to the event, athletes will be ushered to the holding area and to meet up with their coach.
 - Zamboni end holding area is the hallway to the locker rooms.
 - Lobby end holding area is next to the bleachers.
 - Back up CDs should be rink side in case of technical difficulties with the downloaded music.
- Athletes will then go rink side to get on the ice for warm up.
- Once the event is over, the athlete can return to the lobby to take skates off.
- Athletes are asked to exit the building within 30 mins of their event ending.
- Results will be posted online.
- Awards will be distributed in the exercise room which has a separate entrance. Awards will be distributed immediately after results are posted.

Spectators/Chaperones

- All attendees must wear a mask at all times.
- Athletes are permitted one spectator/chaperone.

- Spectator/Chaperone will check in twice
 - Check in at the check in desk with athlete one hour prior to the athletes' event.
 - Check if running on time
 - Check in at the check in desk with the athlete 30 mins prior to the event.
 - Spectators/Chaperones must enter with their skater.
 - No spectators/chaperones will be able to enter without their skater.
 - Temperatures will be taken.
 - Credential will be distributed.
- If the athlete needs assistance with putting on skates, then the spectator/chaperone may enter party room A or B with the athlete.
- Spectators/Chaperones will be directed in to the rink and to the bleachers.
 - Sitting socially distanced.
- Spectators/Chaperones are asked to leave the building within 15 mins of the event ending.
 - If the athlete needs assistance taking their skates off, then meet them back in party room A or B for taking skates off.
- Siblings are not permitted in the building.
 - Only exception is if a sibling is also an athlete competing in the competition and has events on the same day.

Safety

- Masks are required in the building at all times
 - Skaters are required to skate with their masks on.
 - Attendees are required to provide their own masks.
 - Masks will be available at the check in desk for emergencies
- Social distancing
 - Signs and marks on the floor and walls will be available to encourage social distancing, especially at the following places:
 - Check in desk
 - Party rooms A & B for skaters to put their skates on
 - Skater/Coach Holding areas
 - Monitor/ice entrance
 - On the walls on the ice for the basic skills elements events
 - Demonstrators will be on the ice as well to encourage social distancing
- Hand Sanitizing Stations will be available
 - Check in Desk
 - Officials hospitality
 - Monitor areas
 - Officials stand
- Disinfecting of officials stand, monitor areas, etc. during every ice cut
 - Disinfecting wipes available to wipe officials stand during officials changing
- Disinfecting wipes available at Officials stand, monitor areas, Officials hospitality, and Check in desk
- Zoom meeting will be offered for attendees to understand safety protocols

