

2020 Bon Accord Arena COVID-19 Guidelines

All Arena Users

- Stay home if you are sick or displaying any symptoms of COVID-19.
- Physical barriers will be in place to direct patrons to designated areas.
- Hand sanitizer will be provided at entry and exit points. Patrons are encouraged to bring their own for periodic use while in the designated area.
- As always, verbal and/or physical abuse to staff will NOT be tolerated. Patrons who engage in this behaviour will be asked to leave immediately and may be banned from the facility.
- Patrons should wash or sanitize hands frequently – before leaving home, prior to entering the facility and after leaving the facility.
- Maintain 2-meter physical distancing between people where possible, except those who reside in the same household or who belong to an existing cohort.
- It is recommended anyone entering the facility wear a mask when physical distancing cannot be followed or in common areas. The mask can be removed once in the designated area and can practise physical distancing.
- Concessions are not available.
- No drop-in activities permitted.
- The facility will promote physical distancing by designating one-way traffic signage to reduce interactions between groups. Please follow the directional arrows and all other posted notices.
- All users are encouraged to use their own washrooms at home before and after an ice session to reduce touch points and transmission risk.
- There is a maximum of 100 people allowed in the facility at any given time as per AHS guidelines. Entrants will be counted to ensure compliance. Please limit exit and re-entry.

Organizations

- Individuals may enter the facility **15 minutes before their booking and must exit the facility 15 minutes after their booking.**
- Teams are responsible for ensuring no more than 50 participants/spectators per team are in attendance to adhere to the maximum capacity of 100 people.

All organizations must follow the *Alberta Return to Hockey Guidelines* including, but not limited to:

- Designating a communications person who is responsible to update and circulate all relevant information to everyone within their jurisdiction, including facility staff.
- Keeping track of all participants for each activity for the purpose of contact tracing in the event of an outbreak. A member of the team or organization must be designated to keep track of names and contact numbers of all individuals at each event. Please refer to the AHS Guidelines for *COVID-19 Relaunch Guidance for Sport, Physical Activity and Recreation - Stage 2* for more information.

Players

- Players are encouraged to **arrive with their required equipment on**, as dressing room space will be extremely limited to provide greater physical distancing between individuals and groups.
- Hockey Canada is encouraging athletes to not bring hockey bags inside the facility.
- Showers are not available.

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- Indoor warm-up space is not available.
- Players must not spit, blow their nose freely or release any bodily fluid anywhere in the facility due to an extremely high risk of virus transfer.
- For age groups where parents need to assist with equipment, limit the number of parents in the designated area to one per player. During this time, masks **MUST** be worn by parents and players.

Spectators

- Spectators are strongly encouraged to wear a mask in common areas until physical distancing is possible.
- Common area chairs and tables will not be available.
- Cheering and yelling is strongly discouraged as it presents a high risk of spreading droplets. It is strongly recommended that spectators wear masks if unable to refrain from cheering.

Please note: The Town of Bon Accord will continue to monitor the virus and its impacts to public health, in partnership with the [The Government of Alberta](#) and the [Government of Canada](#). As the COVID-19 situation changes, our guidelines for the Bon Accord Arena may change upon short notice.

I/We have read and understood the above guidelines and acknowledge that they may be amended from time to time.

I/We understand that these guidelines and any amendments thereto must be followed to gain entry to and/or participate in activities/events within the facility.

I/We understand the Town of Bon Accord and its staff and/or representatives reserve the right to deny entry or ask players and/or patrons to leave should they be in contravention of these guidelines, and will not be compensated for resulting lost ice time.

Printed Name

Signature

Date