

CANSkate/CANPowerSkate COVID-19 Protocols: Updated August 23, 2021

Ancaster Skating Club COVID-19 SESSION PROTOCOLS

PreCANSkate, CANSkate, AdvancedCANSkate & CanPOWERSkate Programs

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These protocols have been established to comply with Provincial, City of Hamilton and Skate Ontario COVID-19 requirements, and may need to be updated from time to time. In order to participate in programs at the Ancaster Skating Club, parents/guardians and skaters are required to adhere to the following COVID-19 Protocols. A copy of these protocols can be found on the ASC website. Parents/guardians are also asked to review the ASC COVID Response Plan, also found on the ASC website.

PREPARING FOR YOUR FIRST SESSION:

1. Parents/skaters must acknowledge the Skate Ontario COVID-19 Waiver through the on-line registration system, and prior to their skater starting their their first session.
2. At home and prior to coming to each and every skating session, **Parents AND Skaters** must conduct COVID-19 self-screening using the appropriate Ministry of Health Screening Questionnaire (links to these forms are available on the Club's website):
- DO NOT COME TO THE RINK IF THE ANSWER TO ANY OF THE QUESTIONS IS YES;
- DO NOT BRING THESE FORMS TO THE RINK.
3. On-site COVID-19 active screening will NOT be conducted; parents are responsible to ensure that self-screening takes place before coming to the rink.

WHEN AT THE RINK:

4. Parents (and siblings) may accompany skaters into the rink facility; parents (and siblings) are considered to be Spectators, and must adhere to all requirements outlined in this policy.
5. Skaters and parent(s)/guardian(s) may enter the rink about 15 minutes prior to their session, and proceed to the designated rink and change room.
6. Skaters can use change rooms to put skates on.
7. Masks must be worn by everyone (parents/guardians, skaters, children more than 2 years of age, and coaches) when inside the rink facility, in change rooms, and when NOT on the ice surface. Skaters may remove their masks when on the ice.
8. During the session, parents/guardians/siblings may stay and watch the session, while practicing social distancing. Because of facility limits on the numbers of people in the building and individual rinks, parents are asked to refrain from going into the other rink (and any closed-off areas) at the facility), and are asked to ensure that any siblings are supervised.
9. Failure to follow COVID-19 protocols can result in the facility being fined, spectators not being allowed in the facility, and/or other consequences; the ASC also reserves the right to suspend or terminate a skater's privileges for failure to adhere to these protocols.
10. Please direct any questions and/or concerns to the club via email: info@ancasterskatingclub.ca.