

CODE OF CONDUCT – CANSKATE/CANPOWER

Skating is a sport which requires safe and courteous behaviour from all participants, on and off the ice. Skaters need to be aware of one another and react predictably to ensure their own and others' safety.

My participant(s) will be responsible to conform their behavior to the following code of conduct:

1. My participant(s) will be at their session on time and ready to learn.
2. My participant(s) will do their best to constantly keep moving.
3. My participant(s) will be courteous and mindful of other skaters on the ice.
4. My participant(s) promises to abide by the rules of ice etiquette and remember that foul language, eye rolling, slamming of objects, abusive or aggressive behaviour, including bullying and kicking holes in the ice, is prohibited and may result in session removal.
5. My participant(s) promises to get up quickly after a fall, unless they are injured or unable to do so, knowing it is unsafe to remain down.
6. My participant(s) promises to treat all members of the Okotoks Skating Club coaching staff, parents, skaters, guests and arena staff with courtesy and respect.
7. My participant(s) promise to follow the rules of the dressing rooms as outlined by the arena facility and OSC.

General Guidelines for Skating Sessions:

- No food, drink (other than water) or gum chewing is permitted on the ice.
- The doors along the rink-side must be kept closed during a session.
- Only registered Skate Canada members are permitted on the ice, with the exception of a medical emergency.
- All members shall demonstrate good sportsmanship, courtesy, consideration and respect towards others.
- All members are expected to behave in a safe manner at all times. Coaches will never ask skaters to perform any unsafe maneuvers.
- CanSkate participants in Stage 5 or lower are required to wear a CSA approved hockey helmet.
- All parents of skaters 12 and under are strongly encouraged to stay in the arena while their skater is on the ice.

If my participant(s) fails to conform to this Code of Conduct, they may be subject to disciplinary action including, but not limited to, being removed from the session. Continued behaviour against this code of conduct could result in removal from the season.