

Zorra Arena COVID-19 Protocols Effective November 16, 2020



The Township of Zorra remains committed to providing a safe and positive experience for user groups. Staff will continue to follow guidance issued by Southwestern Public Health and orders from the Province of Ontario. Renters and organizations are responsible for adhering to this policy. Deliberately non-compliance with this policy may result in cancellation of ice time(s).

As of November 16, at 12:01 a.m., Zorra Township along with the Southwestern Public Health Unit are moving into “Protect - strengthened measures” by the Province of Ontario. The provincial framework document be accessed through the link below:

[Ontario COVID-19 News Release - November 13, 2020](#)

[COVID-19 Response Framework - November 3, 2020](#)

The Township of Zorra’s recreation facilities will remain open with the following precautions:

General Precautions:

- Participants and recreation programs are limited to groups of 10
 - 2 groups of 10 participants may use the ice surface if separated by a physical barrier
 - Groups will enter the facility separately and cross over between groups of 10 is not permitted
- Up to 20 spectators will be permitted per ice rental
 - Sports organizations may further restrict access of spectators at their discretion
- Maintain 2 metres physical distance from members of other households.
 - Or 3 metres when participating in physical activities
- All visitors over the age of 2 are required to wear a face covering unless engaged in on-ice physical activities or are exempt for medical reasons.
- If possible, limit use of washrooms to participants only.
- Read and follow posted signs or directions from facility staff.
- Facility bookings will not be processed in-person. Bookings will be coordinated via phone or email only. (519-485-2793 ext. 7223 or booking@zorra.ca)
- Wash hands or use alcohol-based hand sanitizer frequently.
- Do not enter the facility if you have:
 - Travelled outside Canada in the last 14 days.
 - You have symptoms of COVID-19 or are feeling unwell.
 - Had close contact with a confirm COVID-19 case in the past 14 days.
- For contact tracing, groups must record all participants in their group on a provided form. Completed forms will be placed in a secured drop box and kept at the facility.

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Arriving and Departing the Arena:

- The arena doors will be locked until 20 minutes before ice times
- On-ice participants will enter the facility first proceeding directly to their assigned dressing room(s)
 - Dressing rooms will have a capacity of 10 people
 - The dressing room hallway must be kept clear at all times
- Spectators will enter the facility separately from on-ice participants once directed by staff
 - Staff will permit spectators to enter the building only after the viewing area is cleared by the previous rental
 - Spectators will proceed directly to the viewing area and will remain there until the end of the ice time
- The lobby will be cleared of participants, coaches, spectators and belongings to allow for cleaning by arena staff.
- At the end of the ice time, on-ice participants will move directly to their assigned dressing room(s).
- When the dressing room hallway is clear of on-ice participants, spectators will leave through the marked exit and proceed directly out of the building.
- Participants will have 15 minutes from the end of their ice time to change and exit the facility through the designated exit. Showers will not be available following rentals.
- Please remain physically distanced (2 metres) from members of other households, including in the parking lot while departing.

Sports Restrictions:

- Prolonged or deliberate contact while playing sports is not permitted.
- Leagues must contain no more than 50 participants. If participants in a league exceed 50, the league may divide into smaller groups of no more than 50. Players are not yet permitted to play against players outside of their league or group.
- Groups or Organizations with storage at the facility must arrange to distribute equipment and uniforms prior to the start of their season. Access to on-site storage will not be available during ice rentals.

Thank you for your cooperation,

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Participant Contact Tracing Sheet

Please record information of all persons who enter the facility during your rental, including minors. The capacity shall not exceed 10 participants.

Rental Date: _____	Group/Renter Name: _____
Rental Time: _____	Facility: _____
Name of Participant	Phone Number
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Spectator Contact Tracing Sheet

Please record information of all persons who enter the facility during your rental, including minors. The capacity shall not exceed 20 spectators.

Rental Date: _____	Group/Renter Name: _____
Rental Time: _____	Facility: _____
Name of Participant <i>(continued)</i>	Phone Number
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References

COVID-19 Response Framework: Keeping Ontario Safe and Open (November 3, 2020)

<https://files.ontario.ca/moh-covid-19-response-framework-keeping-ontario-safe-and-open-en-2020-11-10.pdf>

Ontario Updating COVID-19 Response Framework to Help Stop the Spread of COVID-19 (November 13, 2020)

<https://news.ontario.ca/en/release/59205/ontario-updating-covid-19-response-framework-to-help-stop-the-spread-of-covid-19>

SWPH – Letter of Instruction for Face Coverings

https://www.swpublichealth.ca/sites/default/files/ltr_swph_moh_letter_of_instruction_regarding_face_coverings_-_20200730.pdf