

- **Safety and Ice Etiquette**

- Skaters are responsible for looking in the direction they are skating, at all times
- Skaters must be aware of other skaters on the ice at all times, activities that distract a skater's attention, such as the use of headphones or cell phones are not permitted.
- Skaters should keep moving and use the entire rink. Skaters should not stop in the center of the rink to talk or rest.
- Skaters are expected to skate with the flow of other skaters and be aware of the commonly accepted jumping and spinning zones.
- Do not cut across the ice to enter or exit. Always skate around the rink to reach the door
- A skater practicing a competitive or exhibition program with music playing, or a skater in an active lesson, has the right of way.
- The ice monitor has the final say, when it comes to music volume.
- There will be no bullying on the ice. No skater has the authority to discipline another skater.
- It is important for everyone's safety that all skaters stay aware of other skaters on the ice.
- Try to anticipate their patterns as you decide your own pattern.
- If you are a less experienced skater, please be extra careful to stay aware of other skaters and to look ahead of where you are skating to see what others are doing or are about to do.
- If you are an experienced skater, please be patient with the less experienced skaters.
- Remember – you were new to freestyles at one time, too. Please be understanding if someone gets in your way.

The ice monitor reserves the right to remove any skater for inappropriate behavior or safety concerns!