



# The Skating Academy

## SUMMER CAMP AT THE SKATING CLUB OF BOSTON 750 UNIVERSITY AVENUE SAFETY PROTOCOLS AND FACILITY OPERATIONS

### Introduction

Given the current global pandemic and the newly-established state and city restrictions for the operation of non-essential businesses, the Club has established new protocols for the operations of the Club's facility at 750 University Avenue. These procedures are intended to offer an increased level of safety, and are based on all currently available information from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Town of Norwood, and the new operating guidelines from U.S. Figure Skating and the U.S. Ice Rinks Association.

Please read all the ensuing information. Everyone using the facility will be expected to know these procedures, and to follow them.

### General Practices

- The rink has been sanitized and cleaned and is following all safety protocols mandated by the State guidelines.
- Please do not come to the Club if you suspect or are experiencing any of the published COVID-19 symptoms associated with infection.
- A mask/face covering must be worn upon entering the facility and remain on at all times, covering the nose and mouth. No gaiters or masks with vents will be permitted per The Skating Club of Boston Covid-19 protocols.
- Each day, upon arrival to summer camp every family will need to complete the COVID-19 Self-Certification Health Questionnaire and Voluntary Waiver and Release of Liability. Temperature check, using a contact-less infrared thermometer and the liability waiver **must** be completed before entering the facility **each day** prior to entering the facility.
- Spectators may not enter the rink area, except for during the Friday afternoon Show event. At that time temperature checks will be taken, masks must be worn correctly, maintain 6-foot social distancing, and sit in designated areas.
- Skaters are asked to arrive no more than 15 minutes before the start of camp – extended day arrival time 7:45 am and regular day arrival time 8:45 am.
- Upon entering The Skating Club Boston parking lot from University Ave, please drive straight and go around the back of the building toward to East rink to the designated waiting area for check in. Please remain in your cars until it is your turn. Once it is your turn, please maintain the 6 ft. social distancing.
- Any individual with a body temperature of more than 100 degrees Fahrenheit will be required to return home with the recommendation to call their health-care provider. They will not be allowed in the facility for any reason, including access to the restrooms.
- No food is allowed to be brought from home with the exception of a water bottle, and a pre-packaged nut free snack. The Skating Club of Boston has water filtration stations. All bubblers will remain closed at this time.

### Camper Information



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- Upon arrival campers will be asked to wash their hands with Skating Academy provided hand sanitizer with 60% alcohol. This hand sanitizer is for the camper to use throughout the day and will have their names on them. Upon checkout hand sanitizers will be returned to a name labeled Ziploc bag for safe keeping overnight.
- Campers must observe proper hand hygiene practices including but not limited to: arrival at camp, before and after meals, after bathroom use, after coughing/sneezing, and after contact with bodily fluids or surfaces that may be contaminated.
- Masks must be worn covering the nose and mouth at all times. It is strongly suggested that all campers bring 3 facemasks each day to camp – one to wear and 2 for backup in a clean Ziploc baggie. Also include a Ziploc bag for disposal of or dirty cloth masks. Bandana type, masks with a vent, or gaiters are not permitted per The Skating Club of Boston protocols.
- All campers will be assigned a seat of their own, labeled with their name – campers must use this seat for entire day for skating tying and a safe place to leave their belongings. All seats remain at a 6ft distanced and must not be moved.
- Campers will be divided into cohorts with a coach/councilor. All cohorts must not intermingle. Campers must not share any personal supplies (e.g. Hats, brushes, hair ties, gloves, towels or water bottles).
- While at lunch, campers will eat their individually prepared food selections for the day at tables 6 ft. distanced. Campers must remain in their seats while eating, mask can be allowed to removed at this time.
- Skaters must have their own hard rubber/plastic guards labeled with their name.
- Check in/drop off is as follows: camper families will be asked when entering The Club parking lot to drive around the back of the building to the East parking lot to a designated waiting area. Families are asked to remain in their cars until it is their turn. Once it is their turn 6-foot distancing will be observed. At check in camper families will receive a visor label with the camper name on for pick up purposes.
- Check out/pick up is as follows: camper families will follow the same procedure as check in the designated waiting area. Families are asked to place the camper visor label on their visor so it is visible, allowing camper release back to the families.
- Campers and staff will complete a daily health screening upon arrival to camp. Any camper or staff member who develops symptoms of Covid-19 will immediately be separated in an isolation area away from all camp activities under the guidance of the designated healthcare supervisor. The Covid-19 safety officer will be notified. The isolation area will be in locker room 4, this room can safely accommodate 4-6 individuals while observing 6 ft distancing. Masks will be worn, and supervision will be provided by the designated healthcare supervisor wearing PPE.
- Parents or emergency guardians will be notified and instructed to pick-up the camper or staff member within 1 hour.



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- All campers and staff must provide emergency contact information for an alternative person for pickup if the parent is unable to arrive within 1 hour. Campers and staff members will not return until they are asymptomatic and provide a negative Covid-19 test. The isolation area will be cleaned immediately after use by a symptomatic camper or staff member. A separate bathroom and exit route have been established providing no contact with any other camper, staff member or Club employee. Sick camper/staff will leave through the East rink south exit.
- In case of emergent symptoms such as shortness of breath, 911 will be notified for transport to the nearest hospital.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation, and your ongoing support of

The Skating Club of Boston Skating Academy.