

Didsbury Skating Club Ice Rules and Code of Conduct

1. Skaters are expected to be on time and to skate the duration of their session. If you must leave a session, permission must be obtained from a coach (***this includes bathroom and warm up breaks***).
2. Skaters must respect themselves, all coaches, volunteers and peers. All skaters are to display good sportsmanship and encourage all skaters' enjoyment of skating. DFSC strives to ensure a positive environment for skaters/parents and coaches.
3. Water is the only beverage allowed at the ice surface.
4. Skaters must be dressed in appropriate, properly fitting skating attire according to their program.
5. **No:**
 - Gum, food or candy is allowed on the ice surface. If you must snack, please do so in the lobby or dressing room. Dispose of your garbage in the receptacles provided.
 - Smoking in the vicinity of the rink
 - Drug or alcohol use is prohibited and may result in immediate expulsion
 - Standing at boards, sitting on the boards, ice or benches.
 - Foul language on or off the ice
 - Disrespectful / inappropriate behavior, or bullying
 - Walkman radio/tape/CD/MP3 players or cell phones on the ice surface unless approved by a coach
 - Graffiti in dressing room or facility (skaters will be financially responsible for any damage or abuse).

Disruptive, disrespectful, disorderly behaviour will not be tolerated. Situations will be dealt with by skater, parent, coach and or executive. **Disciplinary action may include suspension or expulsion.**

STARSkate Ice Rules

Right of way should be given to the skaters who are (1) in a lesson, (2) doing their solo with music (3) doing dance or skating skills to the music being played.

Stroking sessions are for the skaters' benefit and therefore are compulsory.

The dressing room is a privilege. Please keep your belongings and space clean and orderly. Valuables should be given to your parent or coach for safe keeping. All parents must knock before entering the dressing room as skaters could be changing.

Skaters must get up and move out of the way of oncoming skaters immediately after they fall unless they are unable to do so.

I understand that I am to represent the DFSC in a respectful and courteous manner both on ice, and in the vicinity of the rink. I agree to abide by the DFSC code of conduct (including when I am attending Skate Canada events: test days, workshops, competitions etc) and acknowledge that failure to do so may result in disciplinary action.

Skater: _____ Parent: _____

Received by the DFSC Board: _____