

WCS 2021/2022 SEASON GUIDELINES

These guidelines were prepared based on the United States Figure Skating Association and Learn to Skate. In order to maintain our memberships with both we MUST adhere to the rules they have in place.

Skaters must have their own skates, we will not be using the rental ones this season, if you are looking for a specific size post on our FB page the size you are looking for and see if anyone is selling and or trading used skates. Otherwise Play it Again has a large variety very reasonably priced.

Only one parent with the skater is permitted to be in the building NO SIBLINGS, we are limited to the amount of people allowed in the area and we need to keep the numbers for our skaters and coaches. If a parent must bring siblings a board member will meet you at the door to take your skater into the building.

Please only arrive 15 mins before your lesson and depart within 15 mins of the end of the lesson. We are going to be running groups to make this an easy transition and in order to do so the 15 mins must be enforced. Also, if possible please have the skater in his/her skates prior to arriving at the rink. If you are able you can put them on before you leave home, in the car, or outside the rink. We understand this isn't an option for all skaters, this is more of a suggestion.

With the recent rink remodel there will be plenty of space to watch from outside, the view box may be open, but we are not sure at this time.

CLASSES WILL BE LIMITED – we will have only so many allotted spots for each class, we must maintain the numbers each coach can teach. We will be enforcing the pay before you skate, this way we can guarantee your child a spot. If payment isn't made by the deadline, we will go to our waitlist to register the next skater.

MASKS- Masks must be worn in the building and up to the ice, once the skater is on the ice, they may remove their mask. The board is working on obtaining lanyards made for masks so the child will only have to remove the mask and wear it on the lanyard until they leave the ice. We will also be selling masks with your child's name on it if you are interested.

Name Tags- The coaches will still need the skaters to wear name tags, the board will print out a sheet of name tags for each child. We will give them out at the parent meeting, please make sure your child has his/her name tag on each lesson.

YATES- WCS has nothing to do with the Yates Scholarship application procedure, this is handled 100% by Wheeling Park Commission. To apply please contact them directly, the sooner the better to ensure the

funds are still available. Like in the past if you apply for the Yates you will still be asked to pay \$100 to the WSC to ensure your child's spot is saved.

MADATORY PARENT MEETING

We will be having a mandatory parent meeting before the season begins. At least one parent/guardian MUST attend. We will also be doing in person sign up that day as well. Once the date is decided it will be posted.