



POLICY NAME:

Rush Ice Policy

POLICY AREA: Recreation and Parks

POLICY NO: RP25-04

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Policy Statement

1. The Town of Tisdale is committed to promoting fairness and equity in the allocation of ice time. The Rush Ice program ensures that all members of the community have an equal opportunity to enjoy recreational skating or practice time, regardless of their affiliation with an organized group. This policy also supports the Town's goal of generating modest revenue from otherwise unused ice time, contributing to the ongoing maintenance and sustainability of the RECplex Arena.

Purpose

2. The purpose of this policy is to provide opportunities for individuals, families, and groups to access additional ice time at the RECplex Arena at an affordable rate. This initiative encourages the recreational use of available ice while ensuring that unused facility time is effectively utilized for the benefit of the community.

Availability

3. Rush Ice bookings are available when there is unreserved ice time within the schedule. Ice time may be booked up to 24 hours in advance, subject to availability.

Duration

4. Each Rush Ice booking must be a minimum of 30 minutes and may extend up to a maximum of 150 minutes (2.5 hours) per session.

Eligibility and Conditions

5. Rush Ice is open to anyone, including individuals, families, or groups.
6. A maximum of 20 skaters is permitted on the ice at one time to ensure safety and comfort.
7. Bookings are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis to maintain fairness.
8. All users must adhere to arena rules, including appropriate equipment use, respectful conduct, and safety guidelines.

Cost

9. The cost for Rush Ice is \$50.00 per hour (plus GST). Payment must be made at upon invoicing through the Town Office or designated online booking system.

Booking Procedure

10. Bookings may be made no earlier than 24 hours before the desired ice time by sending an email to recreation@tisdale.ca.
11. Confirmation will be provided once scheduling is verified. Cancellations must be made at least 4 hours prior to the scheduled session to avoid charges.

Mayor

Chief Administrative Officer