



City of Welland

Public Skating Admission Standards

Effective October 2010

Skating Admission and Supervision Criteria

12 years of age and under

- must wear a CSA approved helmet and a face cage is recommended
 - Bicycle helmets are not permitted.
- must be accompanied to the skate by a responsible person 16yrs or older who must maintain visual contact throughout the skate
- Assistive devices (eq. chairs, pylons, strollers etc.) are not permitted, except for persons with physical challenges.

Adults

- are encouraged (but not required) to wear a CSA approved helmet to maintain safety on the ice

Individuals with serious medical conditions

- are at greater risk while skating
- should be accompanied by another individual knowledgeable about their condition(s) and responsible for their direct supervision

Maximum Capacity

- for all recreational skating programs is 119 skaters



Helmet Safety Recommendations (according to the Canadian Standards Association)

- 1) Choose a helmet that fits snugly to prevent any shifting.
- 2) Follow the manufacturer's instructions to make sure your helmet fits comfortably.
- 3) Helmets should have the manufacturer's identification number, model, size and a permanent warning on the outside of the helmet, detailing the limits of its protection.
- 4) Try your helmet on and make sure the chin strap gently makes contact under your chin.
- 5) Always look for the CSA International certification mark.