



COVID 19 PROTOCOLS – October 1st, 2021

Effective **October 4th, 2021** the province will be moving into a modified Phase 5. For full details on how this applies to SMC's facilities please read below. The Province has announced the introduction of a **Proof of Vaccination** policy beginning **October 4th, 2021**. This policy will be in place at St. Margaret's Centre as proof of full vaccination is required for people attending and participating in sport, recreation and arts and culture programs and activities - that includes games, practices, programs, tournaments and competitions. For more details on proof of vaccination see below.

Staying Healthy

- Masks remain mandatory while inside our building. They can be removed once on the 'field of play'.
- Dressing rooms will be available 30 minutes prior to each rental. We will only distribute dressing room keys if requested. Do not leave valuables in dressing rooms. SMC staff will not accept responsibility for stolen/missing items. The **Renter is responsible** for ensuring that all garbage, etc., is in the proper receptacles.
- Please exit the facility within 15 minutes to allow our staff to clean and sanitize between groups.
- Spitting will **NOT** be tolerated and may result in cancellation of future rentals.
- No food or drink is permitted.

Be kind, wash your hands and stay home when you are sick – help us all stay safe and healthy.



Proof of Vaccination

- All users 12 years old and older will be required to show proof of vaccination at the door before entering.
- Proof can be provided with a picture of your vaccination record or a physical card.
- In addition to Proof of Vaccination you will also need to show Photo ID (passport, government issued ID card, health card, birth certificate, student card, Secure Certificate of Indian Status)
- Users who are younger than 12 years old and cannot be vaccinated do not need to show proof of vaccination. However, when escorted to one of our facilities (example- arenas, gymnasium, dance studio) by a parent or guardian, those over the age of 12 years old will need to show their proof of full vaccination.
- Youth who are 13 to 18 years old and have proof that they have received one dose of vaccine can participate in sport, recreation, arts and culture programming and have until October 26th, 2021 to get their second dose.
- Youth who turned 12 between January 1st and October 4th, 2021 will have until Dec.31st, 2021 to attend events and activities while they get vaccinated. Children who turn 12 after October 4th will have 3 months from their birthday to get vaccinated.
- People with a valid medical reason that prevents vaccination, or if they participated in a clinical trial, can present an exception letter from their physician or nurse practitioner, or from the clinical trial – as accepted proof of vaccination.