



The Mount Pleasant Ice Arena

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Stick & Puck Sessions

These sessions have been created for the hockey player to get ice time on the rink with their stick. Unlike the public skate sessions, The Stick & Puck sessions will allow skaters, with proper equipment, to take the ice for practice time to hone skills.

Stick & Puck sessions are not a time for scrimmaging. It is strictly for the individual skater to practice on ice with their stick; pucks will be provided. Any skater or group of skaters seen as participating in any sort of scrimmage will be removed from the ice.

During Stick & Puck sessions, participants **are required to wear** the following equipment:

- **Under the age of 18 must wear:**
 - an ice hockey helmet with cage
 - ice hockey gloves
 - ice hockey shin pads
 - skates
- **Over the age of 18 must wear:**
 - ice hockey helmet
 - ice hockey gloves
 - skates
- These mandated pieces of equipment must be worn at all times during the session, when on ice. Participants that fail to comply with these rules will be asked to leave the ice.

Goalie practice during Stick & Puck is not allowed. Goalies may skate in their equipment but may not take shots or take part in any type of shooting drill.

To participate in Mt. Pleasant's Stick & Puck Sessions, participants are required to sign the release on the back side of this paper, each time they attend a session; failure to do so will result in denial of admission.

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STICK & PUCK RELEASE AND AUTHORIZATION



Signature required for the waiver on the back of this page for participation.

I, _____ (name of Adult Participant or Parent/Legal Guardian of Minor Participant, if applicable), DO HEREBY INDEMNIFY, SAVE, DEFEND, HOLD HARMLESS, RELEASE, AND FOREVER DISCHARGE THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE (THE "CITY"), ITS ELECTED/APPOINTED OFFICIALS, ITS MUNICIPAL AGENCIES AND DEPARTMENTS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES, INSTRUCTORS, AND VOLUNTEERS, FROM ANY AND ALL, PRESENT AND FUTURE LIABILITY, DEMANDS, SUITS, ACTIONS, OR CLAIMS FOR LOSSES, DAMAGES, AND/OR PERSONAL INJURIES, INCLUDING DEATH, SUSTAINED BY _____ (NAME OF PARTICIPANT (THE "PARTICIPANT")) ARISING FROM THE PARTICIPANT'S PARTICIPATION IN THE CITY'S LEARN TO SKATE PROGRAM LOCATED AT THE MT. PLEASANT ICE ARENA (THE "PROGRAM"), REGARDLESS OF WHETHER SUCH CLAIMS, LOSSES, DAMAGES, OR INJURIES RESULT, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE CITY, ITS ELECTED/APPOINTED OFFICIALS, ITS MUNICIPAL AGENCIES AND DEPARTMENTS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES, INSTRUCTORS, AND VOLUNTEERS.

I ACCEPT AND ASSUME FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY AND ALL INJURIES, DAMAGES (BOTH ECONOMIC AND NON-ECONOMIC), AND LOSSES OF ANY TYPE, WHICH MAY OCCUR TO THE PARTICIPANT, AND I HEREBY FULLY AND FOREVER RELEASE AND DISCHARGE THE CITY, ITS ELECTED/APPOINTED OFFICIALS, ITS MUNICIPAL AGENCIES AND DEPARTMENTS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES, INSTRUCTORS, AND VOLUNTEERS, FROM ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, DEMANDS, DAMAGES, RIGHTS OF ACTION, OR CAUSES OF ACTION, PRESENT OR FUTURE, WHETHER THE SAME BE KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, ANTICIPATED, OR UNANTICIPATED, RESULTING FROM OR ARISING OUT THE PARTICIPANT'S PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM.

I agree to comply with all rules imposed by the City regarding participation in the Program. I agree to conduct myself or the Participant in a controlled and reasonable manner at all times, and to refrain from using any equipment in a manner inconsistent with its intended design and purpose.

I understand that there are potential dangers, hazards, and risks of serious injury, including permanent disability and death, associated with participating in the Program and ice skating in general, and with sufficient knowledge of the Participant's physical condition and limitations, if any, I voluntarily assume all responsibility and risk of loss, damage, illness and/or injury to person or property in any way associated with the Participant's participation in the Program.

I understand and agree that the City is not responsible for property that is lost, stolen, or damaged while in, on, or about the Mt. Pleasant Ice Arena.

I hereby authorize City personnel to take the Participant to an emergency room of a hospital should, for any reason, while the Participant is participating in the Program, the Participant requires any necessary x-ray examination, anesthetic, medical or surgical diagnosis or treatment or hospital care. I further authorize the hospital and its medical staff to administer treatment as deemed necessary by them for the Participant's well-being and to request and receive any necessary information that may be protected health information under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).

I hereby agree that I am solely liable for all costs of any necessary medical care and treatment provided to the Participant. I hereby affirm that the Participant has current medical insurance coverage. I understand that the City does not provide health insurance to Participants.

I do hereby voluntarily and without compensation authorize photograph(s) and video recording(s) to be taken of the Participant by an agent of the City while the Participant participates in the Program. I give the City the right to own such photograph(s) and video recording(s) and use such photograph(s) and video recording(s) for any and all purposes without further approval from me. I release all rights to such photograph(s) and video recording(s).

I especially intend to and so include in this release and authorization and all respects and in every manner as set forth above, all other persons living in my household, including myself, who might from time to time accompany the Participant to the Mt. Pleasant Ice Arena, whether they are related to the Participant or not.

This release and authorization shall remain valid and in full force and effect for one (1) year from the date it is signed below, unless earlier revoked by me in writing.

Each provision of this release and authorization shall be deemed to be a separate, severable, and independently enforceable provision. The invalidity or breach of any provision shall not cause the invalidity or breach of the remaining provisions or of the release and authorization, which shall remain in full force and effect.

This release and authorization shall be construed according to Maryland law and subject to the jurisdiction of its Courts. Furthermore, the parties agree that any suits or actions brought by either party against the other shall be filed in a court of competent jurisdiction in Baltimore City.

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ THE FOREGOING RELEASE AND AUTHORIZATION, THAT I UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS AND THAT I HAVE SIGNED VOLUNTARILY. I UNDERSTAND THAT I AM WAIVING CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS WHICH I, MY HEIRS, NEXT OF KIN, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS AND ASSIGNS MAY HAVE AGAINST THE CITY, ITS ELECTED/APPOINTED OFFICIALS, ITS MUNICIPAL AGENCIES AND DEPARTMENTS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES, INSTRUCTORS AND VOLUNTEERS.

Signature of Adult Participant

Date

Signature of Parent / Legal Guardian of Minor Participant (if applicable)

Date