

February 18, 2022

COVID-19 Update – Gathering and Events Update

February 18, 2022

As of 11:59PM on February 16, 2022 the restrictions on *Gatherings and events* have been lifted and we are moving to a full return and reopening of sport in BC. Events can now take place with full capacity pending any facility restrictions.

This means that tournaments for both adults and children and youth are permitted and are able to be hosted. This is great timing for ringette in BC as it will allow Provincial Championships for all age groups including 18+A and 18+B to go forward along with the U12 Year End Event and the U12 Competition Introduction Event.

There are still some restrictions in place for the time being and we should continue to practice the fundamentals of keeping ourselves and our community healthy with frequent hand washing and staying home if you are feeling sick.

Restrictions Still in Place:

- [Masks are required indoors](#) when not actively engaged in sport (on the field of play).
- [Proof of vaccination](#) is required for all spectators (12+) and all non-employees, coaches, volunteers, officials and adult sport participants.

viaSport has updated their [Return to Sport Chart](#) and [FAQ](#) document to reflect the changes that have come into place over the last couple of days. Ringette BC will be updating our resources on the COVID-19 Resource Hub to reflect the changes from the PHO.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Sincerely,

Nicole Robb
Executive Director,
Ringette BC

Cc: Ringette BC Board of Directors
Ringette BC Program Director

Relevant links:

[Province –wide Restrictions Government page](#)

[Ringette BC Message Board](#)

[viaSport Return to Sport Page](#)

[Ringette BC COVID-19 Resource Hub](#)