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### Centennial Outdoor Rink set to open for the season

An outdoor recreation favourite will return this week for another season of winter fun. Vernon Recreation Services is pleased to announce the Centennial Outdoor Rink will officially open Friday, December 1 (tomorrow).

The outdoor rink provides opportunities for free public skating and shinny for citizens of all ages, and allows them to spend time being active outside with family and friends.

While helmets are strongly recommended for all skaters, users are reminded that helmets are **mandatory** for skaters 10 years and under, as well as for **ALL** shinny players. All shinny players under 18 years of age also need to have a parent or guardian agree to the waiver, either online or at the front desk of the Vernon Recreation Centre.

While the outdoor rink is a refrigerated system, its operation is still very much weather dependent and may be closed due to weather conditions and holiday schedules.

Members of the public are encouraged to check Vernon Recreation Services' social media channels on Facebook or X (formerly Twitter), or its [website](#), for daily updates before visiting the rink.

To learn more about skating in Vernon and to see the updated schedule for the Centennial Outdoor Rink, please visit [www.gvrec.ca](http://www.gvrec.ca)