

## Tavistock Minor Hockey Half- Ice Boards

Step 2- 1: Locate & wheel to ice surface

Step 2- 2: Move the cart & set up on ice

Step 2- 3: Unload & install curved end pieces

Step 2- 4: Unload & install door/ length pieces

Step2- 5: Ensure boards & cart is in position

Step 2-6: move nets to position

Step 2- 7: Take down &move for flood

The following PPE equipment is required for any person setting up or assisting in setting up the half-ice boards. Each person must wear:

- **CSA always approved Helmet while on ice surface**
- **Appropriate footwear (no heels or dress shoes etc.) or can wear Ice skates**
- **Work gloves**



Step 2.1 : Half-ice boards to be stored at the back corner of the arena on a cart . Cart will be wheeled onto the ice surface by Arena staff (student on duty).

Step 2.2 : After the ice resurfacer has made the first two initial outside passes when flooding the rink, the cart will be moved onto the flooded surface . The ice resurfacer will continue to flood the ice while the boards are installed on the flooded surfaces. **Always keep clear of Zamboni and have eye contact with operator on Zamboni.** Coaches and volunteers with proper PPE equipment can enter the ice surface after the first two exterior ice resurfacer floods.



### **Step 2:3 Unload of Cart & install curved end pieces**

Unload off the cart and assemble the one curved end piece connecting the hooks on the back. Transition piece while the ice resurfacer is flooding the ice. Push the pieces into position against the boards on each side of the width of the rink crossing thru center ice.



### **Step 2:4 – unload and set up doorway & length pieces.**

Unload off cart. **put door piece near timekeepers' box after the corner piece.** Continue to assemble the boards on the clean piece of ice and once ice resurfacer is off push them into place.

### **Step 2:5 – Ensure boards are in position.**

Once the ice resurfacer has finished the ice surface connect both halves into position and connect the pieces at center ice redline to finish the install. Ensure the empty cart is removed from the ice once the boards are set-up for player safety.



**Step 2:6 Move nets to position:** Move the 2 or 4 small nets (depending on if 2 games). into position onto the ice surface. The first net will be positioned in normal position of crease. 2<sup>nd</sup> net will be eyed up near center ice about 6ft away from half-ice boards directly lined up with other net.

**Step 2:7 Take down / move for flood**

After completion of the game and flood is needed. Disconnect the middle of the boards and push to the neutral face off dot area, let the ice resurfacer do the first lap and when safe and clear push the half-ice boards against the arena boards and exit the ice till ice resurfacer is completed the flood.



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