

OUTDOOR ICE SKATING

The Glen Ellyn Park District maintains ice for skating at Lake Ellyn, Foxcroft and Newton parks from approximately mid-December through Sunday, February 27. Several days of subzero temperatures and an 8" ice base at Lake Ellyn and at Lake Foxcroft are needed for conditions to be safe for skating. Snow cannot be cleared until the 8" base covers the lake, including inlets. Ice conditions are updated daily at 630-858-0920. [JR]



Lake Ellyn

Weather permitting, the warming house and washrooms are available from mid-December through Sunday, February 27 at the following times:

Warming House Hours

Monday through Friday 4pm-9pm
 Saturday 11am-9pm
 Sunday Noon-7pm

Boathouse Rooftop Ice Condition Lights

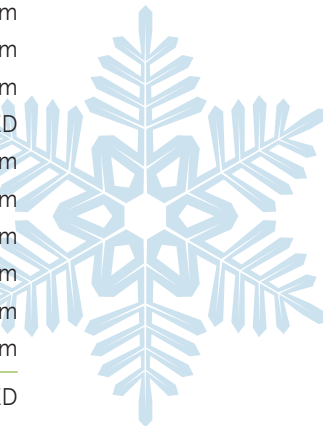
What do the Lights on the Boathouse mean?

- **Green Light:** Safe to skate (warming house open & skate guards on duty)
- **Yellow Light:** Safe to skate (warming house NOT open & NO skate guards on duty)
- **Red Light:** No Skating (unsafe ice conditions)

Please check the lights before going on the ice. Teach your children well!
 Hockey is allowed in designated areas only.

Lake Ellyn Holiday Hours

Monday, December 20 10am-9pm
 Tuesday, December 21. 10am-9pm
 Wednesday, December 22 10am-9pm
 Thursday, December 23 10am-9pm
 Friday, December 24 10am-3pm
 Saturday, December 25 CLOSED
 Sunday, December 26 Noon-7pm
 Monday, December 27. 10am-9pm
 Tuesday, December 28 10pm-9pm
 Wednesday, December 29 10am-9pm
 Thursday, December 30 10am-9pm
 Friday, December 31. 10am-3pm
 Saturday, January 1. CLOSED
 Sunday, January 2. Noon-7pm
 Monday, January 17 10am-9pm
 Tuesday, January 18 10am-9pm
 Monday, February 21 10am-9pm
 Friday, February 25 10am-9pm



Novice Ice Skating Races

Age: 4-12

Be a part of a 70+ year tradition: novice ice skating races on Lake Ellyn! All children are welcome to participate in this enjoyable, instructive activity. We require written parental consent prior to participation. Consent/waiver forms are available at the Lake Ellyn Boathouse prior to races. Races are held every Saturday when weather and ice conditions provide adequate ice. Any type of skates may be worn. We present ribbons for first, second, third and fourth place in each age group. Park district policy on ice conditions, safety and weather conditions applies. For additional information, call novice skating coordinators, Judy or Le Marks at 630-858-1568. [JR]

Day: Saturday
Registration: 10am
Races begin: 10:30am
Fee: FREE

Newton Park

Skating is not supervised and is at your own risk. Public bathrooms are provided.

- Lights are on from dusk until 9 pm Sunday-Saturday
- No lights on the east rink December 24, 25, 31 and January 1
- West rink is open for skating (no hockey allowed)
- Hockey is allowed on the east rink only

Newton Park Sled Hill

The Park District has a designated sled hill located at Newton Park. No other hills are maintained for sledding. Sledding is allowed only during daylight hours from dawn until dusk. The hill is not supervised and the user is responsible for determining if the conditions are appropriate for sledding.

Lake Foxcroft

Skating is not supervised and is at your own risk. This park has no warming facilities. Ice conditions are updated daily at 630-858-0920. [JR]