



# Ice Skating on our Park Lagoons

Outdoor Ice Skating will be at Lincoln,  
Washington, and Southwind Parks

## Safety Tips

- Know the strength and thickness of ice before skating or walking on it
- Never venture out on ice alone...always bring a friend
- Avoid ice with air bubbles in it. This indicates it may be weak
- Don't walk near partially submerged stumps, limbs, or rocks, where ice is weak
- Avoid ice over moving water
- Slush is a warning sign that ice is deteriorating

- Ice may not be the same thickness all over
- Stay away from "stickups" like brush, logs, plants, or docks
- Ponds will be checked daily and monitored accordingly
- Snow cover on ponds hide cracks and open ice
- If a friend falls through the ice, try to reach him or her with a tree branch or rope. If you can't do this, go for help, don't become a victim yourself.

