

Sport Manitoba – Interlake Region

PORTABLE BLEACHERS

BLEACHER FEATURES AND POLICY AND PROCEDURES GUIDELINES

1) How many bleacher units can be booked for an event?

There are a total of six units. There isn't a limit on the number of units that can be booked. Three units will be stored in South Interlake and three units will be stored in North Interlake. The number of units booked will depend on availability. Contracts with communities storing units will be reviewed annually.

2) What mechanism is used to set up the units?

All of the units have a steel substructure with pressure treated walkways and seats. The walkways and seats are removable and stackable, which lessens the weight of the substructure. Each unit takes approximately fifteen minutes to assemble.

3) What is the seating capacity?

The bleachers have four rows of seating at 12' feet per row. Based upon 18" per seat, each unit could accommodate 32.

4) How are these units transported?

A half-ton truck with an 8' box with tail gate could be used to transport one, possibly two units.

5) What type of location is required?

The portable bleachers are ideal for any park, parking lot setting, or indoors. The bleachers should be positioned on a firm, reasonably level surface. If used indoors, bleachers can be transported through a single door.

6) How many people are required for set up?

The unit is very easy to assemble needing only a ¾" wrench. Two people can set up one unit in less than fifteen minutes.

7) Is there a requirement for insurance to use the bleachers?

Yes. A general liability insurance policy must be held by the user group or facility using the bleachers.

8) Are there other conditions the user must agree to?

Yes. Users must enter into a user Agreement with the Interlake Sport Development Association.

9) Is a damage deposit required?

Yes. A \$50.00 damage deposit is required for each unit used. The deposit is required at the time of pickup and will be returned if the bleachers are returned in a condition satisfactory to the Interlake Sport Development Association. If damage is structural and costs are in excess of the damage deposit, the user group will be responsible for any additional costs.

10) What other costs are associated with the rental?

a) Bleacher Rental

Each unit costs \$50 for 1 – 4 day use; 5 – 9 days is \$100.00. GST is applicable to all rentals.

b) Transportation Costs

Transportation, assembly and take-down of the units are the responsibility of the user group.

11) Who can book the bleachers?

Priority # 1:

Sport Manitoba Events held in Region ie. Manitoba Games, Western Canada Games, Canada Games

Priority # 2:

Inter-National, National and Provincial Sport Events in Region

Priority # 3:

Regional Sport Events held in Region

Priority # 4:

Community Events held in Region

Priority # 5:

Events held outside the Region

The intended use for these bleachers is for any sporting event. Sport takes priority. However, on occasion, the bleachers could be used for an event within the region with prior approval of the ISDA.

12) What is the booking procedure?

To book a bleacher unit(s), a letter of request should be forwarded to:

Sport Manitoba - Interlake Region

Box 1519

Gimli, MB

ROC 1B0

The letter should include the following information:

- a) Nature of event
- b) Dates required, specifying pickup and return dates
- c) Event location
- d) Type of user group and event

Additional information can be obtained by calling 204-642-6015.