



**City of Summerside  
Sports Banner Hanging Policy  
For Credit Union Place Main Arena & Ice Rink Facilities  
# P-CS-14  
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## **Policy**

### **Purpose**

Over the years the City of Summerside sport and recreation organizations have been successful in winning a variety of provincial, regional and national level championships.

City Council, staff and various organizations have expressed an interest to develop a policy around hanging these championship banners in the Credit Union Place around both ice surfaces.

### **Main Arena**

The main arena will be the primary focus for the Jr. A Western Capitals. The banners for any league, regional and national championships will be honored in this arena.

For each championship there will be a banner raising ceremony held during a regular season home game. The banner will be raised at centre ice and then moved to the appropriate location as planned by the Department of Community Services.

The only other banners to be considered for the main arena will be: national level championships in the non youth category.

For past championship banners in the non youth category (other than Western Capitals) any individual or organization may send a letter of application to the Director for consideration. The application will be considered and a recommendation will be made by the Department of Community Services.

### **Ice Rink**

The ice rink will be the primary location for all other championship banners to be raised in the Credit Union Place. The focus of banner recognition in the rink will be primarily related to youth sport and recreation.

Banners awarded for provincial and national level championships will be considered as presented by the appropriate organization.

This policy will consider regional and national level championship banners for tournaments. These banners will not require any particular ceremonial banner raising unless requested by the organization.

The banners will be placed in a location as determined by the Department of Community Services.



**General Conditions**

1. The Department of Community Services must approve the type and size of banner for the purpose of appropriateness and consistency in look.
2. The organization must be one recognized as representative of the City of Summerside.
3. The Department of Community Services will make the final decision on location of banner.
4. Only Regional and National level championship banners from previous years will be considered.
5. Dependant on the number of banners spaces available, the city has the right to take down old banners (10 years and back) and replace with new. Old banners will be handed over to the Heritage Committee for cataloguing and long term display or storage.
6. Retirement display for individual player jerseys or recognition to individual athletes that have gone on to successful careers in Professional sport will be considered in this policy. This recognition may be in the Main arena or other specified locations as determined by the Community Services Department.