

Public to get a sneak peek of Rogers Place on January 16

On Saturday, January 16, it's everyone's chance to get a first-hand look at one of Edmonton's largest and most talked-about construction projects. This "sneak peek" gives people the opportunity to get a rink-side view of the entire bowl of Rogers Place, and a chance to see the Downtown Community Arena. As the building is under construction, access is limited to these two viewing points to ensure everyone's safety.

- Date: Saturday, January 16, 2016
- Time: 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. (be in line no later than 2 p.m. to enter the facilities)
- Location: Rogers Place, entrance at 101 Street 104 Avenue

Access to the line-up area opens at 10:30 a.m. Dress for the weather as individuals may be in line for some time depending on interest. Please do not show up early as we have no warm-up facilities on site. Wear sturdy and warm shoes/boots for walking on dirt paths and uneven terrain. Safety equipment is not required.

Visitors are encouraged to take public transit. There are several ETS routes, including the LRT, within a short walk of Rogers Place. Regular rates apply.

There is no drop off zone, so please park and walk to the site. Information on parking Downtown Edmonton can be found here. Please do not park in residential areas surrounding Rogers Place.

104 Avenue is closed between 101 - 103 Street for this event. Detour using Jasper Avenue, 102 Avenue or 107 Avenue

Please remember:

The day is expected to be busy. For the safety of all guests, please follow these rules:

- No food or drinks permitted inside the building.
 Bags larger than 8.5x11" are not permitted. Diaper bags are allowed but may be subject to search.
- Minors must be accompanied by an adult and strollers are discouraged due to minimal storage space and uneven terrain
- Cameras are welcome, but professional cameras with detachable long lenses are not permitted.
- Pets (except for service animals) are not permitted
 Promotional photos will be taken at this event. Attending the event signifies an attendee's agreement to be in the photos. Local media will also be attending and taking pictures and/or filming.
- Any other items deemed a safety concern or risk may not be permitted.
- Guests who need assistance with mobility or are deaf/hard of hearing are asked to contact Lesli at 780-442-2102 by Wednesday, January 13, 2016 to make any necessary arrangements

For more information:

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