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Rady Children's Ice Rink at Liberty Station Returns for the Holiday Season, Opening Thursday, Nov. 16

- Rady Children's Hospital and Liberty Station welcomes family and friends to skate their way through the holiday season at the Rady Children's Ice Rink through Jan. 7-

SAN DIEGO (August XX, 2023) – Make your spirits bright with thrilling delights this holiday season at Liberty Station! After great anticipation, [Rady Children's Hospital Auxiliary](#) and [NTC Foundation](#) welcome the community to kick off the holiday season with outdoor ice skating at the Rady Children's Ice Rink in ARTS DISTRICT Liberty Station beginning Thursday, November 16, and closing Sunday, January 7. Join in the festive tradition of ice skating with your friends and family at one of San Diego's picturesque locations. Net proceeds from the rink will benefit the Thriving After Cancer program in the Rady Children's Hospital's Peckham Center for Cancer and Blood Disorders.



“Rady Children's Ice Rink has become a staple in Liberty Station's holiday traditions and we are thrilled to bring it back once again,” said Lisa Johnson, President and CEO of NTC Foundation. “Each year thousands of San Diegans and visitors come together to celebrate this special time of year, all while supporting San Diego families dealing with childhood cancer. The holiday season is about giving back to

those who might not be as fortunate, and through the return of the Rady Children's Ice Rink, the community will be able to help support those who need it most."

Now in its 27th season, the ice rink will be open seven days a week from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Thursday, November, 16 through Sunday, January 7. The Rady Children's Ice Rink will be located in the Central Promenade at ARTS DISTRICT Liberty Station.

"The Rady Children's Auxiliary is once again committed to supporting the annual Rady Children's Ice Rink, a staple event in our community that benefits the Thriving After Cancer Program at the hospital," said Michele Fisher, President, Rady Children's Auxiliary. "The program focuses on providing patients, who have completed their cancer treatments and their families the tools and education they need to advocate for physical, emotional, nutritional, and practical needs. I hope you can join us at the Ice Rink this holiday season, because your support will help hundreds of families in our region."

Rady Children's Hospital and ARTS DISTRICT Liberty Station invite family and friends to join in on the wholesome tradition. Tickets can be purchased on-site or online. All tickets will include skate rental and helmets. Adult tickets are \$20 and children's tickets are \$15. Discounted tickets for members of the military are \$15 with the presence of a valid ID. If you'd like to purchase tickets for a group of 20 or more, tickets will be \$15 each and you should email rchicerink@gmail.com or call 619-221-1970.

Special happenings at the ice rink include sponsor activations, Liberty Station's Tree Lighting, and other holiday festivities taking place throughout Liberty Station's Salute the Season.

For more information, visit www.rchicerink.org.

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About NTC Foundation

NTC Foundation was established in 2000 as a 501(c)(3) nonprofit to enrich the lives of San Diegans by renovating this signature community asset and creating, facilitating, and operating ARTS DISTRICT as a 100-acre creative district. Visitors experience the arts, culture, creativity, and cuisine that are the hallmarks of the San Diego region and enjoy innovative experiences in a historic setting at Liberty Station that inspire lives for generations to come. www.ntcfoundation.org

About ARTS DISTRICT Liberty Station

ARTS DISTRICT Liberty Station is San Diego's largest Arts & Cultural District located in historic buildings at the former Naval Training Center in the Liberty Station neighborhood, near Downtown on San Diego Bay. With 100 park-like acres, the ARTS DISTRICT is home to over 100 museums and galleries, artist studios, dance companies, fine dining, creative retail and other organizations that showcase San Diego's creative community and provide innovative experiences for the public. www.artsdistrictlibertystation.com

About Rady Children's Hospital-San Diego

[Rady Children's Hospital-San Diego](http://www.radychildrens.org) is the largest children's hospital on the West Coast and one of the nation's top pediatric health care systems. Ranked as one of the 10 best children's hospitals in the nation by U.S. News and World Report in 2023, Rady Children's includes a 511-bed pediatric hospital

that serves as the largest provider of comprehensive pediatric medical services in San Diego, southern Riverside and Imperial counties. With more than 40 locations, Rady Children's is the only health system in the San Diego area dedicated exclusively to pediatric health care and is the regions only designated pediatric trauma center. Rady Children's is a nonprofit organization that relies on donations to support its mission.