

Siouxland Ice Arena plans public opening

Ribbon-cutting ceremonies at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon will mark the opening of the Siouxland Ice Arena to the public.

Sioux City Mayor Pro Tem George Cole and South Sioux City Mayor Vern Larson will cut the ribbon opening the facility which is affectionately known as the "bubble." It is located at 510 E. Fifth St. in South Sioux City.

A complimentary skating session will follow the ribbon-cutting ceremonies. Rental skates will be

available, it was announced.

Public skating sessions will be scheduled on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. Friday sessions will be from 7:15 p.m. until 9:15 p.m. and 9:15 p.m. until 11 p.m. Saturday sessions will be from 1 to 3 p.m. with two two-hour sessions from 8 p.m. until midnight. On Sunday there will be a session from 2 to 4 p.m. and a prime time session from 7 until 9 p.m. No skaters under the age of 18 will be permitted to skate during the prime time session.