

Circle Paint System

Tru Line Marker

Commercial product available from arena supply stores.



Tru Line Marker Tool is a commercial method of quickly and accurately putting down the circles for curling and hockey - although this takes practice to do “neatly”.



Tool is a metal box with thin slot inside where a brush assembly is attached allowing paint to seep down brush bristles and make a 2” wide line. Box sits on wire runners.



Box is easily cleaned to enable color changes.



Fill reservoir with ice paint. Plunger system in handle allows control of paint flow. A plastic lid or basin is handy to control spills or for moving Tru Line Marker into start position for each new circle.



For curling circles, a bolt is frozen into the center of the circle (house) during installation of first layer of new arena ice. A small metal plate with raised hollow center fits over the bolt.



Metal Rods, specially measured to fit for 12 foot, 8 foot and 4 foot circles, are made. A wood or firm plastic 1 foot circle is used as a template to draw the button using a felt pen. The button can be painted in later.



Houses may be left as is or rings may be painted as per agreement with ice arena.

After painting is complete, paint is sealed with fine sprays of water using a typical garden supply pump spray can. Repeat sealing two or three times to ensure paint is not affected by flooding. Ice arena personnel will perform a series of floods to get ice to desired thickness.

