

**Client:** Ozone Rink

**Location:** Berkshire

**Sectors:** Sports and Leisure

**Services:** Transport and Travel

**Planning** 

**Project overview:** Careful

analysis and astute understanding of client's

operating model to demonstrate impact on

traffic volumes and parking

## Added value:

- Supporting next generation of young athletes
- Amenity for local children to try ice sports
- Parking spaces available for alternative use

## Ozone Ice Rink, Bracknell

An ice rink recently opened its doors in Bracknell following planning consent in early 2021. The facility will focus its offering on figure skating and elite ice hockey training for small groups, or games for up to eight players per match. Local parking standards were tested in the project, in which Motion had to quickly grasp the specific operating context of the planning applicant, to demonstrate the resulting likely impact on traffic volumes and demand for parking space.

Studies concluded that the planning proposals would not result in a material increase in vehicular movements compared to the previous use, or impact on the adjoining highway network. Based on the operating requirements of the site, fewer parking spaces are required than for a public ice rink. All skaters and athletes will need to book in advance and there will be no walk-in sessions.

By careful analysis of maximum capacity levels for each activity, including school lessons and non-member skating sessions, Motion was able to determine that suitable and appropriate access was achievable, and appropriate provision for parking could be made on the site, which is on a light industrial park.



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