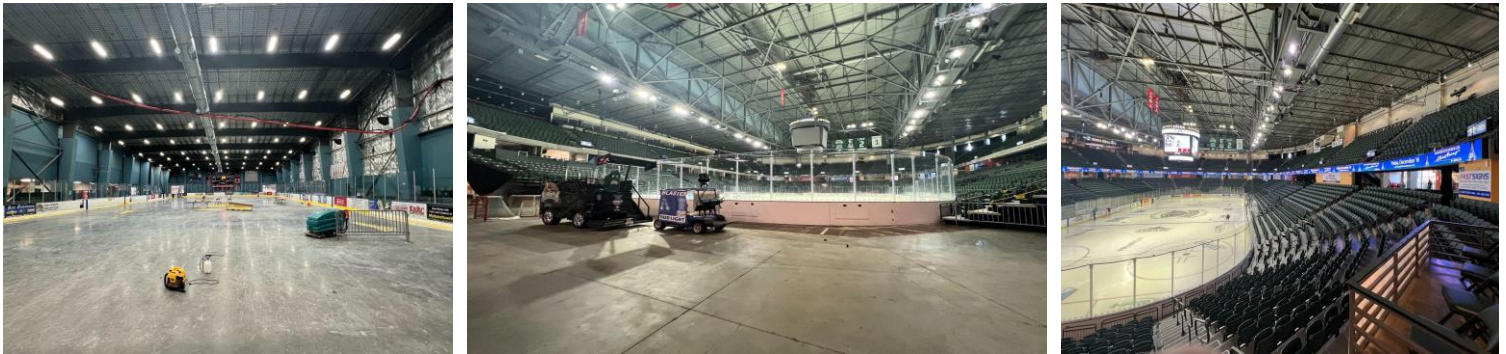


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Angel Of The Winds Arena Introduces \$2.5 Million in



Improvements In Anticipation of 20th Anniversary Season

Everett, WA – As the Everett Events Center prepares to celebrate its 20th Anniversary season as home to the Everett Silvertips of the Western Hockey League, and some of the world’s top-touring artists, the Everett Public Facilities District, and management company OVG360, are introducing \$2.50 million worth of improvements to the venue, as well as several new facility procedures to better serve the local community and partners, and improve the guest experience.

“Angel Of The Winds Arena, Everett Community Ice Rink, and the Edward D. Hansen Conference Center are a hub for youth and adult sports, major concerts and events and community gatherings. We believe the facilities deserve the kind of upgrades and attention fitting of other similar NHL-sized venues and representative of their community impact. We’re excited to make investments in bettering spaces that bring so many people together over a shared love of sports, entertainment, and experiences” said Mike Dutton, Board President of the Everett Public Facilities District.

These enhancements include:

- **Installation of a new 360-degree LED ribbon board**; the highest resolution ribbon board that Daktronics has installed to date, with new technology used in our installation, making it one of only two total LED ribbons of its kind installed in any venue across the United States. The arena’s partners and promoters will be able to share information and promotions in a cutting-edge way, as static spaces have been replaced with state-of-the-art surround digital imaging.

- **A new ice plant refrigeration system** and upgrade, as well as new walls in the Everett Community Ice Rink with an upcoming re-insulation and finishing project to keep the space in top condition for hundreds of thousands of annual users for years to come.
- **Installation of Patriot One's SmartGateway system**, a new cutting-edge security and weapons detection system to provide fast, convenient and modern entry experiences.

OVG360 is also introducing a new Entry and Clear Bag policy to expedite the entrance of each guest. Only the following will be permitted inside Angel Of The Winds Arena:

- Clear plastic or vinyl bags no larger than 12" x 6" x 12".
- Small clutch bags no larger than 4.5" x 6.5".

“These upgrades internally within the facility, and externally with our security solutions are an example of how we’re evolving and improving the facility and guest experience as we enter our 20th year,” said Corey Margolis, OVG360 General Manager of Angel Of The Winds Arena. “We are thrilled with these updates and are continuing to plan for further improvements to keep the facility state-of-the-art well past its 20th year. We look forward to hosting our community and having our guests enjoy these updates with us!”

For more information on Angel Of The Winds Arena, the upcoming events for 2022-2023, and updates to our facility and policies, visit angelofthewindsarena.com.

About Everett Public Facilities District and Angel Of The Winds Arena

Angel Of The Winds Arena was developed and is owned by the Everett Public Facilities District, a municipal corporation managed by a five-member Board of Directors, providing oversight and direction to the provision of services in Angel Of The Winds Arena, Everett Community Ice Rink and the Edward D. Hansen Conference Center. Angel Of The Winds Arena is a three venue, state-of-the-art multi-purpose complex located in the heart of downtown Everett, WA. The complex is managed by OVG360, a division of Oak View Group. For more information, visit www.angelofthewindsarena.com.

About OVG360

OVG360, a division of Oak View Group, is a full-service venue management and hospitality company that helps client-partners reimagine the sports, live entertainment, and convention industries for the betterment of the venue, employees, artists, athletes, and surrounding communities. With a portfolio of more than 200 client-partners spanning arenas, stadiums, convention centers, performing arts centers, cultural institutions, and state fairs around the globe, OVG360 provides a set of services, resources and expertise designed to elevate every aspect of business that matters to venue operators. Service-oriented and driven by social responsibility, OVG360 helps facilities drive value through excellence and innovation in food services, booking and content development, sustainable operations, public health and public safety and more.

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