

PEBBLING OF CURLING ICE

1. Fill one of the coffee pots with Jet Ice water from the tanks just outside the first aide room by turning on the tap to the left of the tanks and making sure the red shutoff on the exit hose is off and turned at 90 degrees to the hose. Place pot under hose and fill pot by turning red valve on.
2. Plug pot in and heat water completely in pot. (Approximately 15 minutes)
3. Place pebble can under coffee pot tap and drain about $\frac{3}{4}$ of the water from the pot into the pebble can.
4. Fill the old pebble can or water jug with jet ice water from the tanks as above and use that to fill the pebble can to the desired temperature of around **90 degrees.**
5. Check temperature of water with the cooking thermometer frequently and add more hot water if required to get the 90 degrees.
6. Make sure pebble head is secure on hose so that fittings do not drip while pebbling.
7. Place full backpack on back by setting the pack on the gurney and backing into it. Start at far end of rink, sheet 1 if being used. (Make sure shoes are clean!!!)
8. Pressure up tank slightly by pumping pressure lever with left hand about 3 times.
9. Hold pebble hose and pipe in right hand so that you can easily press water release lever. Make sure holes in pebble head are facing up and head will be parallel to ice.
10. Start at back of sheet behind the hacks and use a consistent wrist swing motion at your waste level and try to keep the water height just above your head by using the tank pressure lever in left hand to regulate the pressure and height.

11. When you reach the far end, be sure to move slightly to the right to avoid tripping over hacks and make sure to pebble behind hacks and release water release lever when off of sheet.