## **LaHaye Ice Center**





original facility, 2005





expanded facility, 2015

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Size (SF) 2 story

83,015 sq ft

Contract Delivery Methoddesign-buildContract Time9 monthsProject completed on time and in budget

## **Project Narrative**

The original LaHaye Ice Center was constructed in 2005 as a design-build project by Coleman-Glass Inc. Darryl Glass was project manager and David Giles was the architect.

Due to the rapid growth and popularity of Liberty University's men's and women's ice hockey programs, the facility was renovated in 2015 in order to more than double its seating capacity and provide amenities to enhance the spectator experience, as well as provide auxiliary office space for staff members. The facility is the home base for three divisions of men's hockey and two divisions of women's hockey, as well as the figure skating team. Locker rooms and team spaces for coaches and players were added or reworked to accommodate each team, as well as locker rooms for visiting teams. The facility is also open to the public at times throughout the year for ice skating and private functions.

The project began as a construction manager at-risk project with Glass & Associates, Inc. teaming with a large sports facility architect/engineering firm, but was later converted to a design-build project due to an extremely aggressive schedule and the increased ability to control cost.