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Welcome Back!



Curling starts soon. Are you registered? Look for your application in the regular mail, or download one from the website at www.kelownacurling.com. Afternoon and Evening leagues start Thursday, October 10, 2013.

Some draw times have changed this year, so check the information on the next page for details and get your team together!

There are more changes at the club. We are so excited to now be offering pro shop sales! After decades of supplying curling and golf supplies to the Interior, Rick and Liz folk are retired and heading to the sunny south for part of the winter. The opportunity gives our members a pro shop that will not only offer curling supplies year round and out of the club's office, but also profits, like the food and beverage, will go to keeping our curling fees down. The staff is looking forward to serving you and showing you the pro shop's new home.

We also welcome Office Manager Cathy Backmeyer. Stop by and say hello!

There's a new menu at the club, too, featuring Dale's famous pulled pork sandwich and smoked chicken wings plus much, much more.

GET READY TO CURL!



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League Information

EVENING LEAGUES

Monday:

Commercial Open League - 5:30 Men's League - 7:30

Tuesday:

Ladies League - Most 6:15/Some 8:15 Men's League - Most 6:15/Some 8:15 Novice Fun League (6 Ends) - 8:15

Wednesday:

Ladies Superleague - 6:15 Mixed - 6:15 Novice Fun League (6 Ends) - 8:15

Thursday:

Open League - 6:15/8:15 Men's Superleague - 8:15

Friday:

Fun Mixed Open - 6:30 Novice Fun - (6 Ends) - 8:30

The Kelowna Senior Men's (50+) Curling League

welcomes all returning and new members to another season beginning in October. Two leagues (Tuesday/Thursday and Wednesday/Friday) are offered with games beginning at 9:30 AM.

The season is broken into four squares, and mem-

DAY LEAGUES

Monday:

Stick League (2-Person Teams) - 12:30

Tuesday & Thursday
Senior Men - 9:30
Afternoon Ladies - 1:00

Wednesday & Friday
Senior Men - 9:30

Saturday:

Traveler's Men's League - 9:30

bers can join as many as they wish. We fill up quickly, especially in the second and third squares, so sign up early, as it's first come, first served. We also sponsor a Christmas Mixed Bonspiel over the holidays, the Senior Men's Bonspiel in February, and the Don Hill Funspiel at season end in march (which is also when our AGM is held. It's a great group of guys, and all ranges of skill and experience are welcome!

The Kelowna Afternoon Ladies Curling Club curls Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 1:00 PM till roughly 3:00 PM at the Kelowna Curling Club. The ladies get together afterwards for tea/coffee and conversation.

We hope you'll join us this year! For more information, contact our President Marg Bening, or see Jock or Cathy in the Curling Club Office.



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League Information

League Payment Information

The GST and Affiliation Dues are mandatory when paying for registration. We try to offer a variety of payment methods for the convenience of our members. You can register in person, by fax and include your credit card information on the fax, or online. Registration will not be taken over the phone. We accept cheque, Visa, Master Card, Debit and cash.

Team Policies

The club must receive FOUR FULLY paid dues per team at time of registration. While our "spare" rules indicated that there may be situations when a team does not have four fully paid players, this condition must be considered a **TEMPORARY SITUATION ONLY!** As in years past, the SKIP shall be held responsible for ensuring that there are four **FULLY** paid players on their team throughout the curling season and may be held accountable for any portion **NOT PAID**.

If you need assistance with completing your team, please contact the office. A replacement member must be found in accordance with the TEAM POLICY and compensation to the player unable to continue is the responsibility of the team members.

Refund Policies

Daytime Leagues: Medical refunds only. No re-funds after December 31.

Evening Leagues: No refunds after registration.

Draw Time Changes

In response to many requests from the membership for earlier draw times, the Board has decided to run 6:15 and 8:15 draws three days a week.

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday draw times were moved as demand was highest in those leagues.

There were requests to go to 6:00 PM and 8:00 PM but the Board felt that might be too big a leap in one season. It wasn't that many years ago that the leagues were 6:45 and 9:00!





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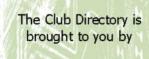
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Around the Club

Kelowna Blind Curlers need volunteers

The Kelowna Blind Curlers are looking for volunteers for our program. We need coaches and/ or guides. A minimal knowledge of the game is required as we will train those who are interested. If you can help, please call Bill Mah at 250-878-0710.

Another great way to support the Kelowna Blind Curlers is to come out to the Burger and Beer fundraiser on October 27. The event is here at the Kelowna Curling Club and will feature silent and live auctions.

Send us your photo and win good stuff

Curlers, submit your Favourite Kelowna Curling Club photo and you could be a winner. Each month a new photo will go up on our homepage. The winning submitter will also get a \$50 gift card to use in the lounge or pro-shop. So get your entries in.

1988 Sutton Junior Women Inducted into Central Okanagan Sports Hall of Fame

Congratulations to the 1988 Sutton team! They will be inducted into the Central Okanagan Sports Hall of Fame on November 21st. After winning the BC and Canadian Junior Women's titles in 1987, the Julie Sutton team captured the World crown in 1988 in Chamonix, France. The team of Julie Sutton-skip, Judy Wood-3rd, Susan Auty-2nd, Marla Geiger-lead and Dan Martell-coach, were the first ever World Junior Women's curling champions and were named BC Team of the Year in 1988.

KCC Hot Shot Competition

Want to win some cash, practice your skills, have some friendly inter-league competition, AND support the Junior Program here at KCC?

You have watched the Pro's compete in a Hot Shot Competition on TV. Well, we are bringing this competition to the KCC. On Wednesdays, from 4-5:30, we are hosting the KCC Hot Shots Competition. For the cost of \$2, you will throw and be scored on 5 shots; 1) Hit and stay, 2) Draw to the button, 3) Draw through a port, 4) Raise, and 5) Hit and roll. The member with the highest score at the end of the season will take home the prize pool. With 50% of the earnings going to the prize pool, and 50% of the earnings going to support the Junior Program here at KCC, this is a contest you won't want to miss out on! The Rules and Regulations are

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posted in the lobby, if you have any further questions, feel free to ask Beth or Jock.

Curling Clinics Are Back!

Yes! We have Novice/Introductory curling clinics! The cost is just \$35 per person, tax included. Register at the office. The schedule is:

Sunday October 6 - 9:30 AM - 1:00 PM Tuesday, October 8 - 6:00 PM - 9:30 PM Wednesday, October 9 - 6:00 PM - 9:30 PM

Club Calendar

September 27 -& 28: Hopscotch Festival

October 6 - Novice/Introductory Clinic

October 8 - Novice/Introductory Clinic

October 9 - Novice/Introductory Clinic

October 10: Afternoon Leagues start

October 10: Evening Leagues start



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About the Kelowna Curling Club

Did you know that the Kelowna Curling Club is a non-profit society dedicated to providing curling at a reasonable cost?

The society was formed in 1942, and has been in this building since 1978. All the staff at the KCC are employees of the society. Thus all the sales & profits of the bar, kitchen, and rentals at the Kelowna Curling Club go to keep the cost of curling down. Many times volunteers are required to run a function, or provide some general work around the club and this also goes to keeping costs in line and fees lower. The Kelowna Curling Club operates without subsidy from the City of Kelowna or the Province of BC. Some projects get funding, but day to day operations are funded by you the curler, or renters.

What can you do to help? Little things like bringing your friends in for a beer or dinner before the hockey game. Bring them out to try curling or volunteer to help with painting or running the next event. Every little thing helps.



Contact Us

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