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SCHOONER CURLING CLUB NEWSLETTER



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Opening Spiel

The club's Opening Bonspiel will be held from Monday, Oct 22 through to Saturday, November 3. There will be two divisions, one playing on Monday/Wednesday/Friday and the other Tuesday/Thursday/Saturday. This spiel is open to both members and non-members in an effort to attract new curlers to the club. Sign up early as this spiel normally fills up quickly. Entry fee is \$25. There will be a dance on Saturday, November 3rd with prize presentations and music all evening by DJ Bruce Johnson.

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2007-08 Membership Fee

The membership fee for regular members for the 2007-08 season will be set at \$175 which includes the HST. You can pay your registration in full when you register or in two installments, the first installment being \$100 that must be paid no later than November 15, 2006 and the final installment of \$75 must be paid no later than January 31, 2007. Your membership fee allows unlimited league play. Student members fee this year will be \$75 payable upon registration.

Regular Members who pay in full by Dec.14, 2007 will be entered into a draw for a great prize. Pay Early!

Volunteers

Volunteers are the heart and soul of the Schooner Curling Club. Without them the club would not survive. If you have any time to contribute we would be more than grateful. Work is now underway most evenings to prepare for the upcoming season and we could use your help with ice prep, building maintenance, cleaning, painting etc. Through the season we need people for bartenders, maintenance, helping with spiels, etc. Contact anyone on the executive for more information on how you can help.

Curling Clinics

Curling clinics are tentatively scheduled for of October 19-21. Check the club or the Club Website for start times. Our instructors will be Frank Kokocki and John Marusiak. New curlers who want to learn the game or returning curlers looking for pointers or a little practice for the coming year are all welcome.

Misc. Business

The Newsletter – This is the first edition of our monthly newsletter for the 2007-2008 season. Any suggestions are welcome and feel free to contribute anything you would like to see in the newsletter as well. Email bfarr@compu-clone.ca or see me at the club. We will be trying to email the newsletter this year to anyone who is interested. Supply your email address on your registration form or email it to Bill directly and you will get the monthly newsletter in your email inbox.

Equipment – Anyone wanting to order new gear for this season can see Lynn Kelly and she will look after it for you.

See you on the ice!!

2007-2008 Executive and Committee Members

President	Janet Confiant
Vice President	Winnie Burt
Treasurer	Ray Cameron
Secretary	Beth Gillard
Draw Master	Bruce Johnson
Bar Stewart	Wayne Confiant
Ice Crew Director	Brian Laughlin
Bonspiel Coordinator	Kevin Bates, Anne Bates
Housekeeping	Tom Youden
Legal	Dave Muise
Ways and Means	Bill Jessome
Membership	Frank Kokocki
Public Relations	Lynn Kelly
Coors Fun Night Coordinators	Tom Drover, Abbie Boudreau
Website	Kelley Laughlin
Newsletter	Billy Farr
Annual Golf Tournament	Mary Foley, Lynn Kelly

Upcoming Dates of Interest

October 19-21	Curling Clinics (Tentative)
Tuesday, Oct. 16	Executive Meeting 7:00pm
Wednesday, Oct. 17	General Meeting 7:00pm
October 22- November 3	Opening Spiel
Saturday, October 27	Registration and Social Night
Saturday, November 3	Opening Spiel Party 9-1
Tuesday, November 14	League Play Begins
Thursday, November 15	First \$100 of Membership fee is due to be paid.
Saturday, November 17	Coors Fun Night
December 6-8	Turkey Spiel
Saturday, December 8	Spiel Social 9-1
December 14	Last night of play before Christmas Break
December 14	Pay Membership in Full to be Entered in the Prize Draw
Saturday, December 15	Coors Fun Night
December 31- January 6	Make-up Games and Open Ice for Members
Sunday, January 6	League Play Resumes

Subject to change. For a full years schedule see our website or check the club.

Winners from last year

For those who don't know but are interested, here is a list of league and individual award winners from last season

Team Entry Regular Season	Bruce Johnson Rink
Team Entry Playoffs	Ed Tynski Rink
Monday Men's League	John Bonaparte Rink
Mixed League	Coralie (Duchemin) Richard Rink
Thursday Men's League	Abbie Boudreau Rink
Rookie of the Year	Richard Lorway
Volunteer of the Year	Brian Laughlin
Sportsperson of the Year	Ed Tynski

Congratulations to all of last year's winners. We hope this year will be as fun and competitive as last season was. Best of luck to all and we wish everyone ***Good Curling!!***

