



Powassan Curling Club

2020

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Final Week of Curling for a Great Season

Our curling season has come to an abrupt an early end due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The Municipality of Powassan has decided that activities and continued ice maintenance at the SportsPlex be discontinued this coming week. Since we share ice making capabilities with the arena, we will lose our ice– as compressors will be turned off the morning of Friday March 20. To that end, let's make the most of the time we have left and remember that the ice has to come out and we will need volunteers for that project.

Our next general membership annual meeting will be in the fall on a date yet to be determined.

Thanks to all volunteers who again made this season of curling possible. Hopefully COVID-19 will dissipate quickly and we will be back curling once again this coming fall.

Andy Emmerson, President

Safety First!

In this final week of curling, let's be mindful of close social contact with others. If you are not feeling well and have cold or flu-like symptoms, please refrain from coming to the club to curl.

Also, for these final games we should refrain from the tradition of shaking hands before and after games. Keep your gloves on when handling rocks and wash your hands at the conclusion of your game. These precautions will help to protect yourself and fellow curlers from the virus.

For information specific to Coronavirus COVID-19 and personal protection, follow the guidelines established by the local health unit, or visit the Ontario Government website: www.ontario.ca/coronavirus

The Closing Spiel is cancelled, unfortunately, however we encourage each league to organize a social event to conclude the final draw and curling season. Drawmasters can coordinate any social events for their league.

The Ladies' League year-end get-together, previously planned for Monday March 16, will still occur—but without the 4-ender games.

Volunteers will be required for taking the ice out. Once a date is selected, an email will be sent to the membership for assistance.

facility rentals

Use of the club may be curtailed with respect to gatherings/rentals based on progressive ongoing social distancing recommendations and legal requirements.

