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## Volunteer Coordinator Needed!

We are still looking for a volunteer coordinator to work with Maryanne on fostering volunteerism in the club. This is a wonderful opportunity to help the club shine! If you are interested in the coordinator position, in volunteering, joining the committee, or have any comments/questions, reach out to Maryanne Wessels at [volunteers@detroitcurling.com](mailto:volunteers@detroitcurling.com).

## Boards and Ice Install Help\*

We have begun preparing the arena. We are looking for help from the 13th until the 26th for the entire ice installation. Day and evening slots are available. [Click here to find a time you are available to help](#). If you cannot help during the entire time slot, still sign up and add the times you can attend in the comments. If you are new to the club, it is a wonderful opportunity to meet new people before the season begins.

\*As a reminder, we will try to follow this schedule, but it will be fluid based on how each step of the process moves along. Please contact Quentin Way at [ice@detroitcurling.com](mailto:ice@detroitcurling.com) or Bill Morris at [wcmorris1969@gmail.com](mailto:wcmorris1969@gmail.com) with any questions.

## DCC Members: Curling Club Set up

Club clean-up & warm room set-up is at 9:00am on Saturday, October 21st. Please come and lend a hand. [Click here to sign up to help](#). Please contact Paul Carmouche at [funpaul@gmail.com](mailto:funpaul@gmail.com) with any questions.

## Opening Party

The DCC Oktoberfest Opening party is October 25, 2023, from 7 – 11 pm. Log into the member site and navigate to Club Events > Event Listings to [register](#).



## CALENDAR Events

### Club Cleanup/Warm Room Setup

October 21, 2023

### Opening Party

Detroit Curling Club

October 25, 2023

### Ice Install, Cont.

October 26, 2023

### Membership Payments Due

October 29, 2023

### KW Exchange Part I

Detroit Curling Club

November 11–12, 2023

### GLCA U-18 Playdowns

Mayfield Curling Club

December 8-10, 2023

## Balance and Delivery Clinics

We are excited to offer two Balance and Delivery Clinics. The first will be on October 29<sup>th</sup> at 9 am. This clinic will focus on techniques and drills for both balance and the proper delivery of curling stones. Some delivery drills will be recorded for examination and discussion. The second will be on November 5<sup>th</sup> at 9 am. This clinic will continue to focus on balance, proper delivery, and line of delivery. New, intermediate, and advanced curlers are invited to these clinics. Log into the member site and navigate to Club Events > Event Listings to [register](#). Contact Michael Bahr at [mbahr02@comcast.net](mailto:mbahr02@comcast.net) for more information. If you would like to help Mike with this clinic, [click here to volunteer](#).

## Call for Rental Instructors

Would you be interested in being a DCC Rental Instructor? We are looking for a few additional instructors who can cover some weekday daytime rentals and some weekend rentals. Rental instructors are paid. We are looking for people with a minimum of 3 years of curling experience and/or completed the Level 1 Instructor Program. We will provide instructions on how to conduct a rental session (warm room activities and on-ice instruction/responsibilities, timing, etc.). If you are interested, please email Don Bleaney, Director of Rentals [don.bleaney@gmail.com](mailto:don.bleaney@gmail.com).

## Member Rentals Are Open

Club members can now book their rentals for the upcoming season. Follow the steps below to book your rental reservations:

1. Review the rental calendar for availability, at the bottom of <https://detroitcurlingclub.com/facility-rental>
2. Use the reservation link in the Member Rentals section of the DCC Website. You will need to log into the Members Area to access the link.

**Member Menu**

- Member's Home
- Member Information
- League Information
- Member Policies & Procedures
- Member Rentals**
- Member Search
- Board Minutes
- Apparel Online Store

### Member Rentals

Welcome to the 2023-24 DCC Rental Season!

Club members can now book their rentals for the upcoming season. Follow the steps below to book your rental reservations:

1. Review the rental calendar for availability, at the bottom of the Rentals page: <https://detroitcurlingclub.com/facility-rental>
2. Once you have reviewed the rental calendar, click on the **Member Rentals 2023/24** link to access the reservation system for DCC Members.

DCC members are not required to pay a deposit and will receive a 25% discount on standard rental pricing. You will have

DCC members are not required to pay a deposit and will receive a 25% discount on standard rental pricing. You will have the option to pay for your rental at the time of booking or pay later. Full rental payment is due 7 days prior to the rental. A link to pay the balance of the rental is included in the confirmation email.

**Cancellations:** For cancellations made 7 days in advance of your rental, any payments made will be fully refunded. Reservations canceled within 7 days and up to 48 hours in advance of your rental, the deposit (20% of

the rental) will not be refunded. For cancellations within 48 hours of your rental, 50% of the full rental fee will be charged.

**Bar Service:** Please note bar service can be available for member rentals (see Member Rental Bartender Request Guidelines on the Member Rentals page). If you wish to have the bar available for your rental, follow the instructions to contact the bar manager and coordinate Member Bar Service.

If you have questions, please email [rentals@detroitcurling.com](mailto:rentals@detroitcurling.com).

## Ferndale Fall Festival

DCC volunteers helped spread the joy of curling at the Ferndale Fall Festival on October 7, 2023!



## Feather Bowling

Members and guests recently celebrated the ancient game of feather bowling and its traditions of camaraderie at Cadieux Café.



## Komen Walk

DCC's Curlers for a Cure raised \$653 for breast cancer research at the 2023 Komen Michigan Race for the Cure. You can still make donations through Sunday, November 5, at the Curlers for a Cure link:

[Susan G. Komen® - 2023 Michigan Race for the Cure \(info-komen.org\)](https://info-komen.org)



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## Bonspiel Updates!

Been to a bonspiel? Send an update to [news@detroitcurlingclub.com](mailto:news@detroitcurlingclub.com)

## Five and Under Updates

The **National Five and Under Bonspiel** will be held at Chaska Curling Club, April 24-28, 2024. The list of qualifying bonspiels can be found at: <https://www.usacurling.org/5-and-under-national-championship>

**5 & Under Eligibility Rules** –Included in the [2022-2023 USA Curling Rules of Curling & Competition](#) are the updated 5 & Under eligibility rules. Event Eligibility has been changed to be a curling season (July 1st to June 30th of the following year) rather than a calendar year (see page 32). If you need help figuring out your eligibility, contact Don Bleaney at: [don.bleaney@gmail.com](mailto:don.bleaney@gmail.com).

## Ontario Curling Association Update

As the only US club in the OCA, we are able to compete in any OCA events that lead to a *Provencial Banner*. Not to say you couldn't compete in one leading to *the National Championship* but we're unable to compete in the Brier or the Scotties.

The OCA offers a number of different categories to compete for a *Provencial Banner* including:

- [Open/Men's/Women's Trillium Club Championship](#) (Location TBA, March 8-10, 2024)
  - Club level event with teams using local bonspiel events to earn points and advance to the Final. The top 16 teams of each gender qualify for the Provencial Championship. The season runs from November 1<sup>st</sup> through February 26<sup>th</sup>.
    - Teams must register in the Club Series *prior* to earning any points. Events have to be held in CurlON Member Facilities and not restricted by age, by invitation only, or inner-league/club based.
    - Teams must declare a maximum of six players and must field 3 out of 6 in all games for events.
    - Submit scores using an online form. The best 3 results will count towards official rankings.
    - For more details, please see the [23-24 ON Competition Rules](#)
- [Four-Person Stick Championship](#) (Palmerston Curling Club, February 9-11, 2024)
  - All participants must use the stick delivery system and be over the age of eighteen. Teams automatically qualify for the round robin pool play at the Championship. Open format. More rules can be found [here](#).
- [Grandmasters Championship](#) (Thornhill Club, March 14-16, 2024)
  - Four event format with a three-game guarantee. Open to male athletes 70 and over and female athletes 65 and over as of February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2024.



- Open Qualifiers will take place November 17-December 12 with [host sites currently TBA](#). Entry fee is \$235 CA with entries closing on November 6 at 9:30AM.
- Each team will be composed of four or five women or four or five men or any combination of women or men playing on any team position. More rules can be found [here](#).
- [Senior Mixed Championship](#) (Gananoque Curling Club, April 10-14, 2024)
  - Teams must be comprised of four members (two males, two females). Male athletes must be aged fifty and over, female athletes forty-five and over as of June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024.
  - Four open qualifier events over March 22-24, 2024 weekend. Registration is due by February 26<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at 9:30AM. Entry is \$260 CAN. More rules can be found [here](#).
- [Silver Tankard](#) (Oshawa Curling Club, April 19-21, 2024)
  - This unique format requires a four person men's team and a four person women's team playing for a combined score to decide the results. (At the same site, usually on adjoining sheets.) All athletes must be aged eighteen or older by December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024.
  - There are eight (8) [qualifier events](#) over the April 5-7<sup>th</sup> weekend to qualify for the Provincial Championship. Entry is \$370 CAN and must be registered by March 11, 2024 at 9:30AM.

Interested parties looking to compete in any of these events must first register with [canada.curling.io](https://canada.curling.io). If you have any questions about any of these formats or anything else that the OCA offers, please feel to reach out to your representatives Jenny Levy or Nate Glitman. Good curling!

## Rockettes Corner

With the season quickly approaching, the Rockettes are hard at work to get everything set up for a great curling season. With an eye to the club's goal of having excellent ice, we purchased two vacuums for the club for members to use in the warm room and help combat the stray dirt from getting on it. We also have been busy planning our bonspiels: mark your calendars for Dec. 2 for the All American and Feb. 3-4 for the Ladies International.

Be sure to look out for the often-requested re-issue of DCC Ford shirts. They will be stocked in the pro-shop early in the season. They go fast, so be sure to swing by once they arrive. We also will be bringing back our Freezer Finds for purchase during broom stacking. If you have any requests, please let a member of the Rockettes board know, and we will do our best to accommodate. Look out for walking taco sales later in the season as well.



## USWCA News

### Outgoing Canadian Sr. Friendship Tour

After successfully hosting two incoming tours in 2022, it's time for US Curlers to travel to Quebec and Ontario Canada as part of the Sr. Friendship Tour. Eligible women must be 50+ years of age and any USWCA female

curler is eligible to apply. Tour dates are November 3-14, 2024 (subject to change). **The application deadline is December 15, 2023.** Participants are selected on a lottery basis with equal representation from each of the four USWCA regions. Participants will be drawn at the National Bonspiel in February, 2024. The approximate cost of the tour is \$2,000-\$2,400, not including transportation to the start/end sites, some meals and incidentals. Applications and details are at: <https://www.uswca.org/2024-friendship-tour>

Susan Tortorelli was the last DCC member to participate on the Friendship tour and she would love to hear from DCC women that are interested in applying. Please visit the USWCA website or contact Bethany Rivera for more information, [aandbrivera@yahoo.com](mailto:aandbrivera@yahoo.com)

### **USWCA Five and Under OPEN Bonspiels**

**Kettle Moraine, December 1-3:** Registration information available at <https://kmcurlingclub.com/midwest-cup-5-under/> **This is a qualifying bonspiel for the National 5&U**

**Charlotte Curling Association, December 8-10, 2024. MODIFIED, MIXED-GENDER OPEN.** Registration available at <https://charlottecurling.com/event/5under-2023/> **This is a qualifying bonspiel for the National 5&U**

**Bucks County Curling Club, January 18- 20, 2024** Registration Information available at <https://www.buckscountycurlingclub.org/uswca5u.html>

### **USWCA National Bonspiel**

The USWCA National Bonspiel will be held at the St. Paul Curling Club February 14-18, 2024. The DCC playdown is scheduled for **November 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023** with time and format to be determined based on number of teams playing down. There is NO limit to the number of teams that can playdown and apply for the National Bonspiel and subs and waiting list teams have been used in the past.

If you are interested in playing down for the National Bonspiel, send Bethany Rivera an email at [aandbrivera@yahoo.com](mailto:aandbrivera@yahoo.com) with your intent to playdown by November 10, 2023.

### **USWCA Super Senior Bonspiel**

This event, for women curlers who are 65 and over, will be held March 12-14, 2024 at the Cincinnati Curling Club. Look for registration information this fall. <https://www.uswca.org/super-senior-womens-bonspiel-2024>

### **USWCA Circuit**

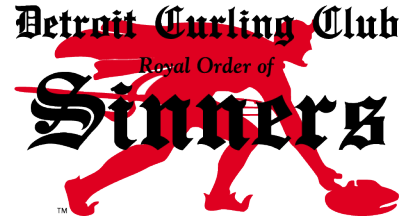
Don't forget to register for the USWCA circuit! Participants can earn cash for their participation in USWCA Circuit Bonspiels. Only two members of a team must be members of the Circuit and it doesn't need to always be the same two people to count towards Circuit points. Information and online registration can be found here: [United States Women's Curling Association - Circuit Events \(uswca.org\)](https://www.uswca.org/circuit-events)

**The USWCA also has New Merchandise for Sale!** [Products - USWCA - Tilson Bay Company \(chipply.com\)](https://www.chipply.com/products-uswca-tilson-bay-company)

Check out the new hoodies, yoga pants and vests with the USWCA logo! Purchase can be made online via the link above.

If you have any questions about the USWCA events or want to get involved, please contact DCC club representative Bethany Rivera at [aandbrivera@yahoo.com](mailto:aandbrivera@yahoo.com)

## Sinners News



The Detroit Curling Club Royal Order of Sinners have been hard at work during the off season preparing for the upcoming year. The 2023-2024 season will kick off with the 107th KW Exchange here in Detroit. Festivities will begin on Friday November 10 with a reunion of the Detroit and Kitchener-Waterloo sides. Curling and a luncheon will take place at the DCC on Saturday November 11 followed by an evening banquet at the American Polish Cultural Center. The usual Sinners Breakfast will be held on Sunday November 12 and then our friends from across the border will have their turn for hosting the Exchange in March 2024. If you are new to the Sinners and wish to participate, send an email to [sinners@detroitcurlingclub.com](mailto:sinners@detroitcurlingclub.com) for registration information.

The Sinners have also been working on additions to their fashion collection. New scarves, t-shirts, and jackets will be available this year so you can show the world you like to sin in style!

Sinners Jackets are available for \$100, which includes embroidery and your name on the sleeve (optional). 2023-2024 polo-style (short-sleeve collared shirts) will also be available for \$40. These items are available only via pre-order and the deadline for ordering is December 31, 2023. Follow the links to place your order:

[2023-24 DCC "Royal Order of Sinners" Jacket Order Form](#)

[2023-24 DCC "Royal Order of Sinners" Polo Shirt Order Form](#)

### 2023-2024 Calendar of Events

November 10, 11, 12, 2023: KW 107th Exchange Part I  
December 10, 2023: Men's Sinners  
January 1, 2024: Toast to the Club (sponsored in part by the Sinners)  
January 21, 2024: Robbie Burns Men's Sinners Breakfast (curling event)  
February 11, 2024: Sweetheart Sinners  
March 15, 16, 17, 2024: KW 107th Exchange Part II (in Canada)  
April 7, 2024: Last Chance Sinners

The Detroit Curling Club Royal Order of Sinners Mission Statement

**The Detroit Curling Club Royal Order of Sinners men's club promotes fellowship and camaraderie on and off the ice while creating benefits and lasting experiences.**

For questions or further information, email The Sinners at: [sinners@detroitcurlingclub.com](mailto:sinners@detroitcurlingclub.com)

## GLCA News

The GLCA recently voted in favor of supporting the USCA membership model Bylaw changes. The bylaw changes were put to a vote at the USCA Member's Meeting on Friday 10/13.

[Bylaws Substantive Changes](#)

## **Playdown Information:**

U18 - Dec 8-10 at Mayfield Curling Club

Men/Women Clubs - Jan 12-14 at Kalamazoo Curling Club

Mixed (fours) - Feb 9 - 11 at Fort Wayne Curling Club

## **Pro Shop Update**

Orders have been made and new product is on its way to DCC. We will have a wide variety of products on hand for opening day. We are excited to bring you some of the best products available and we hope you will take advantage of our gripper sale early to keep our beautiful new ice looking that way. Good Curling and we will see you on the ice.

Those that ordered thru our On-line Store should be able to pick up your orders after we reopen for the season. And finally, if you have personal garments that you want embroidered, go to the "Not Sorry" store located on Woodward about two blocks north of Nine Mile Road. They can provide the service you desire.

Pro Shop inventory orders are being prepared for the coming season. If any member has a particular product they would like to have available in the shop, please send a note to John Danckaert ([jpdanckaert@gmail.com](mailto:jpdanckaert@gmail.com)) soon. We plan to have a good stock of merchandise on hand when the new curling season begins. We are looking forward to another great season of curling at DCC.

## **Custom Embroidery Anybody?**

If you have a garment that you really like to wear while curling and want to personalize it, your club has made arrangements with "Not Sorry Goods" located at 99623 Woodward Ave., Ferndale, Mi. They are located on the east side of Woodward at Breckinridge St. Bring your shirt, jacket, parka, stocking cap, scarf, mittens or anything else you would like personalized. They have the digital files of our club crest and the Rockettes logo. You can select to include your name in any color and font style or add any other embellishment you choose. Their prices are reasonable, they are close to the club and their turn-around is fast. Get stylin' and you won't be sorry!

## **Donated Used Equipment**

Did you get some sweet new curling gear this summer? Why not donate your old gear (brooms & shoes) to the Pro Shop? The Pro Shop reconditions the gear and offers it to our newer members at super low prices, so they have a chance to gear up and get better acquainted with our sport without going whole hog into new equipment. It allows our newer curlers to grow into the sport just like you did way back when. So, dust off that older gear, bring it in and help make our newer members happy.

## **Thank You**

A huge thank you to all the member donations of used equipment this season. The equipment was better than ever, and we had our best sales record since the Pro Shop opened in 2005! All the monies raised by these donations go into the general fund and we hope more of our seasoned members will consider supporting the program next season. Be sure to lookout for an email in the coming months for a chance to order some more DCC branded gear from the online store.

*John Danckaert, Volunteer Pro Shop Mgr.*



# We Need YOU

A huge heartfelt thank you to all the volunteers that assisted in making the club function this season. It may sound like a broken record, but as a club we heavily rely on our own members to function each year. Please consider adding some time this upcoming curling season to help the club. Even if you're only available for half an hour or requires learning something new, your participation is crucial for the longevity of our club and many hands make light work. If you are interested in volunteering, joining the committee, or have any comments/questions, reach out to Maryanne Wessels at [volunteers@detroitcurling.com](mailto:volunteers@detroitcurling.com). Thank you.

## The Bonspiel Board

You asked for them so here they are! Here are postings for bonspiels around the GLCA and beyond. Grab your team or form a new one with people whom you haven't curled with before and go travel to a bonspiel!

See the USWCA News section of this Newsletter for USWCA Sponsored 5&Unders!

Waupaca Blaze Orange Bonspiel: Family Feud, November 17-19:

<https://curlwaupaca.com/customPage.php/blaze-orange-bonspiel>

Pittsburgh Curling Club Tropicurl, June 6-9, 2024:

<https://www.pittsburghcurlingclub.com/bonspiels/#Tropicurl-24>



Inaugural  
**FROSTY DOUBLES**  
Mixed Doubles Bonspiel



**December 1-3, 2023**  
24 teams-Pool Play-4 game guarantee  
\$240/team entry fee  
Finals start by 12pm Sunday

Registration Opens: 9/16 11am  
[tccurling.org/bonspiels](http://tccurling.org/bonspiels)  
Questions? [jillian.riecke@gmail.com](mailto:jillian.riecke@gmail.com)

## FAIRBANKS CURLING CLUB OPEN 5-AND-UNDER BONSPIEL FEBRUARY 9-11, 2024

- 3 game guarantee with 8-end games
- Must be 21 years of age and have under 5 years of curling experience
- Registration is open until January 31st, or when 24-team limit is reached
- Winner will secure a spot at the National 5-and-Under Championships held in Chaska, MN in April 2024
- Cost is \$240 per team
- Contact [david@curlfairbanks.org](mailto:david@curlfairbanks.org) for more information



## January 19 - 21, 2024 PITTSBURGH Party Spiel Pittsburgh Curling Club

Free Reverse Raffle Entry  
3 Game Guarantee  
Lunch & Dinner Provided  
24 Teams Max  
\$450 Per Team

Registration will open Tuesday, September 12, 2023

## Saturday Night



## TRIVIA

Questions Please Contact  
Ryan or Sarah Fissella  
Email: [Ryan.Fissella@pittsburghcurlingclub.com](mailto:Ryan.Fissella@pittsburghcurlingclub.com)  
Cell: (724) 557-6248 Ryan  
Cell: (412) 445-2514 Sarah



## MAYFIELD CURLING JUNIOR CLINIC & MINISPIEL

Join us at the Mayfield Curling Club for a weekend of fun, skill development, and competition with the help of **Tyler George**. Registration starts at 1:00pm Saturday, October 28, with play beginning at 1:30. We'll be back on the ice Sunday morning October 29 for scrimmages and strategy discussions with Tyler.

**\$30/40 MEMBERS/  
NONMEMBERS**  
COACHES FREE



### MINISPIEL

Saturday minispiels that include on ice instruction from Tyler and coaches.



### FOOD AND PRIZES

Food for all participants and coaches included in the cost, along with prizes for the juniors.



### SCRIMMAGES

Sunday morning scrimmages with Tyler on ice. For GLCA teams/coaches planning on curling down for U18 Nationals.



### REGISTER

To sign up or for questions, email Matt Weida [juniors@mayfieldcurling.com](mailto:juniors@mayfieldcurling.com)

## MAYFIELD CURLING CLUB PRESENTS

THE 38<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL



**MAYFIELD MEN'S  
INVITATIONAL**  
BONSPIEL 2023

NOVEMBER  
3-5, 2023

Come be part of the tradition, whether you've been here every year or this is your first time.  
We'd love to see you in Cleveland.

## EVENT DETAILS

\$440 (USD) per team. 3 game guarantee. 24 team limit with priority of entries based on postmarked registration. Entry fee includes Friday dinner; Saturday light breakfast, lunch, dinner; Sunday light breakfast. First draw is Noon Friday 11/3, finals Sunday 11/5 at 1pm.

## CONTACT INFO

Any questions and completed registration forms can be sent to [michaelmoore1982@gmail.com](mailto:michaelmoore1982@gmail.com). You can also call Michael Moore at 216.973.1570. First draw option of 12:00, 2:15, or 5:30pm Friday. We will do our best to honor requests.

## PAYMENT INFO

We can accept checks and PayPal for payment. Checks should be made payable to "Mayfield Curling Club" and sent to Mike at 5491 Lansbury Ln, Lyndhurst, OH 44124.

PayPal use QR code.

## HOTEL INFO

Rooms held at \$115/night until 10/3

Hampton Inn & Suites  
Cleveland Beachwood  
3840 Orange Pl  
Beachwood, Ohio, 44122  
216.831.3735

Book online use QR code.



## Mayfield Curling Club

23103 Miles Road, Suite D  
Cleveland, Ohio 44128  
216.510.6001



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2023-24 BONSPIELS	FORMAT	DATES	REGISTRATION
Maine-iac	Open	November 9-12	June 24
Belfast Open Doubles	Doubles	November 30-December 3	July 21
Women's Pine Tree	Women	January 11-14	August 1
Men's Little International	Men	February 15-18	December 1
Wood Memorial	Open	March 14-17	December 1

**Plus! January 25-28 we are hosting the GNCC Mixed Senior Championships!**

**Belfast Curling Club • Belfast, Maine • [belfastcurlingclub.org](http://belfastcurlingclub.org)**



For notifications about our bonspiels, email: [bonspiels@belfastcurlingclub.org](mailto:bonspiels@belfastcurlingclub.org) or check the bonspiel pages on our website for all the latest information: [belfastcurlingclub.org/index.php/events/bonspiels](http://belfastcurlingclub.org/index.php/events/bonspiels)

See our bonspiel webpages for convenient discounted lodging recommendations!

## Rice Lake Curling Club's

**Curl for a Cure  
Women's Bonspiel**



**November 3, 4 and 5, 2023**

**Entry Fee: \$280 per team and \$50 to add 5<sup>th</sup> person**



The Curl for a Cure "Jug Spiel" is a USWCA circuit event.

Since 2002, this annual women's competitive curling event has been a fund-raiser for Pink Ribbon Advocacy, a non-profit foundation assisting women fighting breast cancer.

Your entry fee includes beverages throughout the weekend, Friday night supper, Saturday breakfast, lunch & cocktail party with hors d'oeuvres, and Sunday breakfast & lunch. AND LOTS OF FUN! Please visit [www.pinkribbonadvocacy.org](http://www.pinkribbonadvocacy.org) to learn more about PRA.

Details, details, details...

- 8-Team Minimum, 16-Team Maximum
- 3-Game Guarantee
- First Draw: 6pm, Friday, November 3
- Finals: approx. 1pm Sunday, November 5

Visit [www.ricelakecurling.org/bonspiels](http://www.ricelakecurling.org/bonspiels) to register online for Curl for a Cure. Registration opens July 1st, 2023, deadline is October 25, 2023

You are not fully registered until we receive your entry fee. Please make checks payable to Pink Ribbon Advocacy and mail to: Rice Lake Curling Club, 912 S. Wisconsin Avenue, Rice Lake, WI 54868

Credit card option with a convenience fee is also available when registering online

If you have any questions contact Lisa Janty at 715-671-3988





## An "Old Fashioned," Mixed Experience



### WE ARE BACK!

Come and enjoy an iconic Wisconsin supper club experience during our Supper Club Mixed Bonspiel at the Wausau Curling Center! Compete and "relish" all the traditional supper club fare, 8 tap beers and, of course, the iconic Old Fashioned Cocktail!

### Supper Club Mixed Bonspiel November 11-13, 2022 \$460 per team

3 Game Guarantee / 8-end games

**Friday Night:** Authentic Wisconsin All You Can Eat Fish Fry with all the fixings.

**Saturday:** Breakfast and Sconnie Tailgate Lunch

**Saturday Night:** Iconic Supper Club Experience with Choice of Prime Rib, Tenderloin or Chicken Cordon Bleu with all the fixings.

**Sunday:** Brunch And Old Fashioneds all weekend!

Online registration opens September 1<sup>st</sup> at [wausaucurling.org](http://wausaucurling.org)

Questions? Contact Steve O'Keefe 715-571-2453 or [curlwithus@wausaucurling.org](mailto:curlwithus@wausaucurling.org) or Randy Brandner 715-218-3127

Attention Curlers - registration for the 34th Annual Madison Curling Club Halloween Spiel is open!

It's October 26 - 29, 2023 and we would love to have you join us!

Registration form can be found here:  
<https://bit.ly/2023HalloweenSpiel>

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#SpielLife #Curling



## MIXED DOUBLES BONSPIEL

### "ATOMIC DOUBLES"

NOVEMBER 10 - 12, 2023  
MILWAUKEE CURLING CLUB

Join the Milwaukee Curling Club for their inaugural Mixed Doubles Bonspiel. Enjoy curling, camaraderie, food, drink and fun!

**\$180**

Register by Aug. 30th

**\$200**

Increase Sept. 1st

#### REGISTRATION

Please visit the event's page or scan the QR code for team registration and payment:  
[tinyurl.com/MCC-MixedDoubles](https://tinyurl.com/MCC-MixedDoubles)



[WWW.MILWAUKEECURLINGCLUB.COM](http://WWW.MILWAUKEECURLINGCLUB.COM)



POTOMAC CURLING CLUB PRESENTS

## EMBASSY ROW PHILIPPINES

DECEMBER 8-10

\$440/TEAM, \$110/INDIVIDUAL  
24 TEAMS MAXIMUM

#### REGISTRATION OPENS SEPTEMBER 22ND, 12PM ET


Join us for our annual Embassy Row Bonspiel, where we take a trip to the Philippines!

We will have Filipino food, 50/50 raffle, and KARAOKE to celebrate the Philippines' membership into the World Curling Federation!!

Draws start Friday morning, with event finals at noon on Sunday.




Must be 21 or over to consume alcohol.



  
**37th Annual**  
**2023 STU SELLS**  
**BRANTFORD NISSAN**  
**CLASSIC**  
**DECEMBER 1ST TO 4TH, 2023**

**24 Men's &**  
**20 Women's Teams**  
**Triple Elimination Format**

  
 Enter your team at [www.stucurls.com](http://www.stucurls.com)



**BRANTFORD NISSAN**


# Crystal Snowflake Bonspiel

**DECEMBER 15-17, 2023**  
 USWCA EVENT  
 PRESENTED BY NUTMEG CURLING CLUB  
 REGISTRATION OPENS SEPTEMBER 1, 2023 - CLOSES NOVEMBER 25, 2023

**4 EVENTS / 3 GAME GUARANTEE**  
**\$420 PER TEAM / \$105 INDIVIDUAL**  
**ALL MEALS INCLUDED**

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER VISIT [NUTMEGCURLING.COM](http://NUTMEGCURLING.COM)

## Curling Club established in 1850 **MEN'S BONSPIEL**

## **BOURBON** *with* **ROCKS** December 8-10, 2023

3 Game Guarantee

\$320 Entry fee

**Friday:** Light meal

**Saturday:** Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner, and Bourbon Tasting

**Sunday:** Breakfast, Lunch, and Awards

**FREE BEER DURING ENTIRE SPIEL**

**BOURBON TASTING**

**local distillery to feature samples and display their goods**

### ENTRY FORM

Bourbon Bonspiel - December 8-10, 2023

Team Entry - Home Club \_\_\_\_\_

Skip \_\_\_\_\_ Third \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_ Lead \_\_\_\_\_

Team Contact email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

#### Preferred Draw Times: (CIRCLE ONE)

Friday 6:00pm, Friday 8:30 pm, or No preference

*First 16 teams are in with a waitlist to reach 24.*

*Checks will be held until entry is confirmed.*

#### SEND ENTRIES TO:

Portage Curling Club  
 P.O. Box 55 Portage, WI 53901  
 Email: [shlimo1212@gmail.com](mailto:shlimo1212@gmail.com)  
 Phone: 608-617-3104

#### HOTEL INFORMATION:

Best Western, 2701 County Rd CX,  
 Portage, WI 53901  
 (608) 742-2200

Use easy payment through Venmo by scanning  
 the QR code below or search Venmo -  
 @portagecurlingclub







## 2023 Hogmanay Bonspiel

December 29-31, 2023

- \$500 per team
- 4 game minimum
- Food & Drink provided
- New Year's Eve Party

*Celebrate the end of 2023 in Austin, TX with camaraderie and curling!*

First Draw Friday afternoon and  
Last Draw Sunday evening.

Register and find more info at  
[lonestarcurlingclub.org](http://lonestarcurlingclub.org)



Rice Lake Curling Club's



## 47th Annual Mixed\* Invitational January 5, 6 and 7, 2024

Entry is \$340.00 per Team – \$70.00 for 5<sup>th</sup> Person  
All Inclusive - 24 Teams maximum

All Meals, Beer, Pop & Snacks - All Weekend  
Cocktail Party, Banquet and Dance - Saturday Evening

Winner and Runner-up teams in each final event wins a SteinSpiel Stein,  
handmade by our artist in residence, Patti Fox.

This is an invitational and online registration will only open if the spiel is not full.  
\*teams consist of 2 men / 2 women – alternating positions

Registration Opens October 1, 2023

Register your team online @ [www.ricelakecurling.org](http://www.ricelakecurling.org)

You are not considered fully registered until your entry fee is received.

Credit card payment with convenience fee now available.

If you have any questions,  
contact Club Manager Marsha Shuda  
at [rlcc@ricelakecurling.org](mailto:rlcc@ricelakecurling.org)  
or call (715) 234-9812



## Highlander Northwoods Spiel January 13-15, 2023

3 Game Guarantee  
Four Events – Typical Draw  
\$240 Entry fee, incl. tax

Friday: Dinner  
Saturday: Breakfast, Lunch  
Banquet and entertainment  
Sunday: Breakfast, Lunch Awards

Presented by  
Wausau Curling Club  
1920 Curling Way, Wausau, WI 54403

Host Hotels –Specify “Wausau Highlander”  
Holiday Inn & Suites, 1000 Imperial Drive, Rothschild, WI  
\$124/night 715-355-1111  
Price is good for January 13-14, Rooms are released Dec 23

First Draw is 4:30 Friday night, 2<sup>nd</sup> draw 7:00 Please let us know which draw you prefer and we will do our best to accommodate.

Deadline for team entry is December 15, checks payable to Wausau Curling Club. First 16 teams are in with a wait list to reach 24. Checks will be held until entry is confirmed.

Send entries to: Terri Gleason  
W6395 W Kraft Road Tomahawk WI 54487  
Email: [mntgleason@gmail.com](mailto:mntgleason@gmail.com) Phone: 608-575-0457

## Highlander Northwoods Spiel Entry Form January 13-15 2023

Team Entry – Home Club \_\_\_\_\_  
Skip \_\_\_\_\_ Third \_\_\_\_\_  
Second \_\_\_\_\_ Lead \_\_\_\_\_  
Team Contact email \_\_\_\_\_  
Team Contact Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Any Dietary Needs \_\_\_\_\_

## Duluth Cash Spiel

01-12-2024 - 07-14-2023

Duluth Curling Club

\$800 Per Team

Triple Knockout

Limit to 16 men's teams and 12 women's teams.

Contact Courtney Benson with any questions: [courtneycgeorge@gmail.com](mailto:courtneycgeorge@gmail.com)

You can cancel your registration 14 days prior to the event for a full refund by emailing  
[manager@duluthcurlingclub.org](mailto:manager@duluthcurlingclub.org).



## Women's Pine Tree Bonspiel



## Rockin' Woodstock!

### Belfast Curling Club Women's Pine Tree Bonspiel

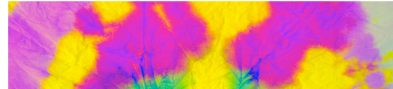
**January 11-14, 2024**  
(Thursday 6pm 1st Draw)

**Three 8-End Games Guaranteed**

Rink Fee \$440 US (\$540 CAN)  
Includes Meals and Postgame Snacks!  
Team Welcome Bags!  
Friday Banquet with Costume Contest,  
Prizes, and Raffles!

Registration opens August 1, 2023  
Registration forms will be available on  
[www.belfastcurlingclub.org](http://www.belfastcurlingclub.org) at that time

For sign-up information, accommodation suggestions and rates, directions, and  
any other questions, contact Ann Kirkpatrick / [ack1500@yahoo.com](mailto:ack1500@yahoo.com) / cell 207 323 8595  
or Kathy Cleason / [khopondade@gmail.com](mailto:khopondade@gmail.com) or text 585 747 5188



[Team Registration](#)

Please help us spread the word. For a PDF of the flyer to share or print, [click here](#)

To receive notifications about Belfast Curling Club bonspiels, please  
email [bonspiels@belfastcurlingclub.org](mailto:bonspiels@belfastcurlingclub.org).



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## MAYFIELD CURLING CLUB PRESENTS

THE 36<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL

## MAYFIELD MEN'S INVITATIONAL BONSPIEL 2023



**NOVEMBER  
3-5, 2023**

*Come be part of the tradition, whether you've been here every year or this is your first time.  
We'd love to see you in Cleveland.*

## EVENT DETAILS

\$440 (USD) per team. 3 game guarantee. 24 team limit with priority of entries based on postmarked registration. Entry fee includes Friday dinner; Saturday light breakfast, lunch, dinner; Sunday light breakfast  
First draw is Noon Friday 11/3, finals Sunday 11/5 at 1pm.

## CONTACT INFO

Any questions and completed registration forms  
can be sent to [michaelymoore1982@gmail.com](mailto:michaelymoore1982@gmail.com).  
You can also call Michael Moore at 216.973.1570.  
First draw option of 12:00, 2:15, or 5:30pm Friday.  
We will do our best to honor requests.

## HOTEL INFO

Rooms held at \$115/night until 10/3

Hampton Inn & Suites  
Cleveland Beachwood  
3840 Orange Pl  
Beachwood, Ohio, 44122  
216.831.3735

Book online use QR code.



## PAYMENT INFO

We can accept checks and PayPal for  
payment. Checks should be made payable to  
"Mayfield Curling Club" and sent to Mike at  
5491 Lansbury Ln, Lyndhurst, OH 44124.

PayPal use QR code.



## Mayfield Curling Club

23103 Miles Road, Suite D  
Cleveland, Ohio 44128  
216.510.6001





LADIES 1ST CHANCE BONSPIEL  
Blackhawk Curling Club-Janesville, WI  
November 3-5, 2023

- ★ Meals and Beverages All Weekend
- ★ Dinner Saturday evening-theme attire welcomed
- ★ Raffle Prizes
- ★ 3 Game Guarantee
- ★ Team Entry Fee \$360

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Club Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Skip: \_\_\_\_\_ Vice: \_\_\_\_\_

Second: \_\_\_\_\_ Lead: \_\_\_\_\_

Friday Preference Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Early Draw \_\_\_\_\_ Late Draw  
(we'll do our best to accommodate your preference)

Hotels with Bonspiel Rates reserved under Blackhawk Curling Club until 9/30/2

Towneplace Suites by Marriott	Baymont Inn
2706 Pontiac Place	616 Midland Rd.
Janesville, WI 53511	Janesville, WI 53546
Phone 608-898-4200	Phone 608-758-4545
2 Queen Studio Suite \$159 + tax	2 Queen \$79 + tax

Registration and Payment Options

Mail to: Libby Hoffman  
3901 Capron Drive  
Rockford, IL 61109  
Phone 815-988-9822

Email: [timlib2@comcast.net](mailto:timlib2@comcast.net)

Check Payable to Blackhawk Curling Club  
or VENMO to @Libby-RudisillHoffman



## Blackhawk Curling Club's 2nd Annual Festivus Open Bonspiel

When: December 9-10, 2023

If you have any questions contact:  
Elyn Isahak: 608-772-3457  
Kathy Weintz: 608-289-1982

[elizabeth.demars@gmail.com](mailto:elizabeth.demars@gmail.com) [Switch account](#)

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Rentals – Don Bleaney  
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Ice – Bill Morris

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**Volunteer Coordinator** –

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**OCA Representatives** – Jenny Levy, Nate Glitman

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Board Liaison – Elizabeth Demers

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Secretary – Damien Buchkowski  
Board Liaison – Bill Morris

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Jim Morris	Steven Rietz
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