

Hello fellow curlers, welcome back! We are offering our full slate of curling leagues for adults and youth as well as the popular Learn to Curl program. All the offerings are listed in the registration package. The earlier you submit your registrations the better for your club volunteers to plan the leagues. Please share with your friends and invite them out to join a league or come to our "Try Curling Now" Open House on Oct. 23rd.

Once again thank you to everyone who supported us financially through last season where COVID-19 kept us shut down. And thanks to everyone who has chosen to be vaccinated. As of this writing, our Health Unit region has the highest vaccination rate in the province.

Although we were closed, your Board has been very busy over the past 18 months. We have managed to make Health and Safety investments in our facility and at the same time maintain our financial position. A great deal of time and effort has gone in to keeping abreast of the COVID-19 situation and preparing the club to meet or exceed all required Health Unit regulations. Your cooperation is expected to assure we can continue operations.

As recently mandated by the Provincial Government, you must be fully vaccinated to enter our facilities. Additionally, we are subject to the regulations for both categories of Restaurant and Bars and Sports and Recreation provided by the Leeds Grenville and Lanark District Health Unit. Masks are required indoors. Masks will be optional in the icehouse for bantam and adult curlers. We will be able to use all 3 sheets of ice, with 24 curlers, but will be playing with modified rules to maximize social distancing. Additional details will be found in our Prescott Curling Club "Return to Play" document that will be published shortly

We have a new and improved website [prescottcurlingclub.ca](http://prescottcurlingclub.ca). It's more modern looking and easy to navigate. All the membership materials can be found there, as well as a calendar of events and much more. We now accept payments electronically, either as an e-transfer to [prescottcurlingclub@gmail.com](mailto:prescottcurlingclub@gmail.com) or with a debit card at the club.

There is a list of events in the membership package. The list includes our in-house bonspiels as well as invitationals. We may have to re-think how these events are handled but we will try to make these happen, subject of course to any regulations at the time.

You can submit your registration anytime electronically as noted on the website. In person registration will be accepted at the club from 11 am to 3 pm on Tuesday October 5th. The AGM is scheduled for Wednesday October 6th at 6:00 pm at the Kinsmen Amphitheatre in Prescott. Lastly, we are planning an event at the club on Saturday October 16th, so watch for details to follow.

Yours in curling,

Gary



**Do you have a friend that should try Curling?  
Here are some ideas to get them started:**

- invite them to our "Try Curling Now" Open House on October 23
- tell them about our Learn to Curl program and join them for a session
- tell them about our money back guarantee for new members (valid until November 30)
- start playing Wednesday or Friday nights and help them learn
- encourage them and show them how much fun it is





# Registration Form for the 2021 - 2022 Season

Please select the leagues in which you would like to participate.

Submit this form, and the signed Liability Waiver and Covid Declaration forms with your dues payment before October 6, 2021

There are three ways you can register:

- 1 - In person at the Prescott Curling Club on Registration Day Tuesday October 5 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.:  
Bring your three completed forms and make your payment by cash, cheque or debit card.
- 2 - By mail:  
Mail your three completed forms and cheque to PO Box 1482, Prescott, ON, K0E 1T0
- 3 - Electronically:  
email an electronic copy of the three completed forms (e.g. PDF, JPG) to sansteve@truespeed.ca and send your payment by eTransfer to prescottcurlingclub@gmail.com.

Please make cheques payable to: Prescott Curling Centre Inc.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please read and sign the attached "Release of Liability, Waiver of Claims and Indemnity Agreement" and "Covid-19 Declaration of Compliance". They must be signed and submitted before access to the building can be permitted. Please submit them along with this registration form and your dues before October 6.

## Membership Options

Please mark your choices

- Full membership (Ladies, Men, Seniors) - \$405.00 (\$358.41 + \$46.59 HST)
- One Night Lite - \$280.00 (\$247.79 +\$32.21 HST)  
\*One Night Lite members may spare on other nights for \$15/game, payable to the convenor
- Social Membership - \$80.00 (\$70.80 +\$9.20 HST)

### Evening Leagues

(One Night Lite choose only 1 night below)

- Monday Night Competitive (please sign up as a team) An additional \$40 per team is payable to the convener.  
Team Skip: \_\_\_\_\_  Spare only
- Tuesday "Learn to Curl"  
(does not count as 'one night' for Lite members)
- Wednesday Night Mixed (teams will be changed throughout the season)  Spare only
- Thursday Night Ladies  Spare only
- Friday Night Mixed (please sign up as a team)  
Team Skip: \_\_\_\_\_  Spare only
- Please place me on a team

### Daytime Leagues

- Senior Men's Competitive  
(Monday 8:00 and 10:45 a.m.)  
 Spare only
- Senior Men's Daytime  
(Tuesday & Thursday 8:00 and 10:45 a.m.)
- Stick Curling  
(Monday & Wednesday 1:00 p.m.)
- Tuesday Day Ladies (1:00 p.m.)
- Friday Morning Mixed (10:00 a.m.)  
 Spare only



## CURLING CANADA - RELEASE OF LIABILITY, WAIVER OF CLAIMS AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT *to be executed by participants over the Age of Majority*

**WARNING! Please read carefully. By signing this document, you will waive certain legal rights – including the right to sue**

1. This is a binding legal agreement. **Clarify any questions or concerns before signing.**
2. As a participant in the sport of curling and the activities, programs, classes, services provided and events sponsored or organized by:

**Curling Canada  
Ontario Curling Association  
Ottawa Valley Curling Association  
Prescott Curling Centre Inc.**

(collectively the “Organization”), including but not limited to: games, tournaments, practices, training, personal training, dry land training, use of strength training and fitness conditioning equipment, machines and facilities, nutritional and dietary programs, orientational or instructional sessions or lessons, aerobic and anaerobic conditioning programs (collectively the “Activities”), the undersigned acknowledges and agrees to the following terms outlined in this agreement:

### Disclaimer

**Curling Canada  
Ontario Curling Association  
Ottawa Valley Curling Association  
Prescott Curling Centre Inc.**

and their respective Directors, Officers, committee members, members, employees, coaches, volunteers, officials, participants, agents, sponsors, owners/operators of the facilities in which the Activities take place, and representatives (collectively the “Organization”) are not responsible for any injury, personal injury, damage, property damage, expense, loss of income or loss of any kind suffered by a Participant during, or as a result of, the Activities, caused in any manner whatsoever including, but not limited to, the negligence of the Organization.

**I have read and agree to be bound by paragraphs 1 and 2**

### Description and Acknowledgement of Risks

3. I understand and acknowledge that:
  - a) The Activities have foreseeable and unforeseeable inherent risks, hazards and dangers that no amount of care, caution or expertise can eliminate, including without limitation, the potential for serious bodily injury, permanent disability, paralysis and loss of life. The sport of curling is played on a sheet of ice, which is slippery, hard, and dangerous;
  - b) A pertinent risk to participating in the sport of curling is the risk of suffering serious head injury should I fall, trip, or stumble onto the ground or ice. It is highly recommended that I wear a helmet at all times when participating in the sport of curling;
  - c) The Organization has a difficult task to ensure safety and it is not infallible. The Organization may be unaware of my fitness or abilities, may misjudge weather or environmental conditions, may give incomplete warnings or instructions, and the equipment being used might malfunction; and *COVID-19*
  - d) The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization and COVID-19 is extremely contagious. The Organization has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, the Organization cannot guarantee that I will not become infected with COVID-19. Further, participating in the Activities could increase my risk of contracting COVID-19.
4. I am participating voluntarily in the Activities. In consideration of my participation, I hereby acknowledge that I am aware of the risks, dangers and hazards associated with or related to the Activities. The risks, dangers and hazards include, but are not limited to:
  - a) Health: executing strenuous and demanding physical techniques, physical exertion, overexertion, stretching, dehydration, fatigue, cardiovascular workouts, rapid movements and stops, lack of fitness or conditioning, traumatic injury, bacterial infections, rashes, and the transmission of communicable diseases, including viruses of all kinds, COVID-19, bacteria, parasites or other organisms or any mutation thereof.
  - b) Premises: defective, dangerous or unsafe condition of the facilities; falls; collisions with objects, walls, equipment or persons; dangerous, unsafe, or irregular conditions on floors, ice, or other surfaces, extreme weather conditions; travel to and from premises.
  - c) Use of Equipment: mechanical failure of the equipment; negligent design or manufacture of the equipment; the provision of or the failure by the Organization to provide any warnings, directions, instructions or guidance as to the use of the equipment; failure to use or operate the equipment within my own ability.
  - d) Contact: contact with brooms, brushes or curling stones, other equipment, vehicles, or other persons, and may lead to serious bodily injury, including but not limited to concussions and/or other brain injury, or serious spinal injury.
  - e) Advice: negligent advice regarding the Activities.
  - f) Ability: Failing to act safely or within my own ability or within designated areas.
  - g) Sport: the game of curling and its inherent risks, including but not limited to, running, sliding or slipping on the ice surface, delivering the curling stone, skipping or sweeping, stepping onto the ice surface from the walkway or onto the walkway from the ice surface, or stepping over dividers that divide one sheet of ice from the next.
  - h) Cyber: privacy breaches, hacking, technology malfunction or damage.



- i) Conduct: My conduct and conduct of other persons including any physical altercation between participants.
- j) Travel: Travel to and from the Activities.
- k) Negligence: My negligence and negligence of other persons, including NEGLIGENCE ON THE PART OF THE ORGANIZATION, may increase the risk of damage, loss, personal injury or death. I understand that the Organization may fail to safeguard or protect me from the risks, dangers and hazards of curling programs, some of which are referred to above.

***I have read and agree to be bound by paragraphs 3 and 4***

**Terms**

5. In consideration of the Organization allowing me to participate in the Activities, I agree:
- a) That when I practice or train in my own space, I am responsible for my surroundings and the location and equipment that I select;
  - b) That my mental and physical condition is appropriate to participate in the Activities and I assume all risks related to my mental and physical condition;
  - c) To comply with the rules and regulations for participation in the Activities;
  - d) To comply with the rules of the facility or equipment;
  - e) That if I observe an unusual significant hazard or risk, I will remove myself from participation and bring my observations to a representative of the Organization immediately;
  - f) The risks associated with the Activities are increased when I am impaired and I will not to participate if impaired in any way;
  - g) That it is my sole responsibility to assess whether any Activities are too difficult for me. By commencing an Activity, I acknowledge and accept the suitability and conditions of the Activity;
  - h) That I am responsible for my choice of safety or protective equipment and the secure fitting of that equipment;
  - i) *Covid-19*: that COVID-19 is contagious in nature and I may be exposed to, or infected by, COVID-19 and such exposure may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, or death.

**Release of Liability and Disclaimer**

6. In consideration of the Organization allowing me to participate, I agree:
- a) That the sole responsibility for my safety remains with me;
  - b) To ASSUME all risks arising out of, associated with or related to my participation;
  - c) That I am not relying on any oral or written statements made by the Organization or its agents, whether in a brochure or advertisement or in individual conversations, to agree to participate in the Activities;
  - d) To WAIVE any and all claims that I may have now or in the future against the Organization;
  - e) To freely ACCEPT AND FULLY ASSUME all such risks and possibility of personal injury, death, property damage, expense and related loss, including loss of income, resulting from my participation in the Activities;
  - f) To FOREVER RELEASE and INDEMNIFY the Organization from any and all liability for any and all claims, demands, actions, damages (including direct, indirect, special and/or consequential), losses, actions, judgments, and costs (including legal fees) (collectively, the "Claims") which I have or may have in the future, that might arise out of, result from, or relate to my participation in the Activities, even though such Claims may have been caused by any manner whatsoever, including but not limited to, the negligence, gross negligence, negligent rescue, omissions, carelessness, breach of contract and/or breach of any statutory duty of care of the Organization;
  - g) To FOREVER RELEASE AND INDEMNIFY the Organization from any action related to my becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 as a result of, or from, any action, omission or negligence of myself or others, including but not limited to the Organization;
  - h) That the Organization is not responsible or liable for any damage to my vehicle, property, or equipment that may occur as a result of the Activities;
  - i) That negligence includes failure on the part of the Organization to take reasonable steps to safeguard or protect me from the risks, dangers and hazards associated with the Activities; and
  - j) This release, waiver and indemnity is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by law of the Province of Ontario and if any portion thereof is held invalid, the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.

**Jurisdiction**

7. I agree that in the event that I file a lawsuit against the Organization, I will do so solely in the Province of Ontario and further agree that the substantive law of the Province of Ontario will apply without regard to conflict of law rules.

***I have read and agree to be bound by paragraphs 5 to 7***

**Acknowledgement**

8. I acknowledge that I have read and understand this agreement, that I have executed this agreement voluntarily, and that this agreement is to be binding upon myself, my heirs, spouse, children, parents, guardians, next of kin, executors, administrators and legal or personal representatives. I further acknowledge by signing this agreement I have waived my right to maintain a lawsuit against the Organization on the basis of any claims from which I have released herein.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Participant (print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Participant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**CONSENT FOR USE OF PERSONAL INFORMATION**

The Participant (and the Participant's parent/guardian, if applicable) authorizes the Organization to collect and use personal information about the Participant for the purposes described in the Organizations' policies for privacy.

***I agree***



**Prescott  
Curling Club**



## COVID-19 Declaration of Compliance

Individual Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Individual's Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_  
(if the individual is younger than 18 years old)

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

**WARNING! ALL INDIVIDUALS ENTERING THE FACILITY AND/OR PARTICIPATING IN SANCTIONED ACTIVITIES MUST COMPLY WITH THIS DECLARATION.**

Curling Canada, the Ontario Curling Association, the Ottawa Valley Curling Association, and the Prescott Curling Centre Inc., (collectively the "Organization") require the disclosure of exposure or illness in order to safeguard the health and safety of all participants and limit the further outbreak of COVID-19. This Declaration of Compliance will be kept safely, and personal information will not be disclosed unless as required by law or with your consent.

An individual (or the individual's parent/guardian, if the individual is younger than the age of majority) who is unable to agree to the terms outlined in this document is not permitted to enter the Organization's facilities or participate in the Organization's activities, programs, or services.

I, the undersigned being the individual named above and the individual's parent/guardian (if the individual is younger than the age of majority), hereby acknowledge and agree to the terms outlined in this document:

1. The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization and COVID-19 is extremely contagious. The Organization has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19 and requires all individuals (or their parent/guardian, when applicable) to adhere to the compliance standards described in this document.
2. The individual has not been diagnosed with COVID-19; OR if the individual was diagnosed with COVID-19, the individual was cleared as noncontagious by provincial or local public health authorities more than 14 days prior to the date this Declaration of Compliance was signed.

3. The individual has not been exposed to a person with a confirmed or suspected case of COVID-19; OR if the individual was exposed to a person with a confirmed case of COVID-19, the date of exposure was more than 14 days prior to the date this Declaration of Compliance was signed.
4. The individual is attending or participating voluntarily and understands the risks associated with COVID-19. The individual (or the individual's parent/guardian, on behalf of the individual (when applicable)) agrees to assume those risks, including but not limited to exposure and being infected.
5. The individual has not, nor has anyone in the individual's household, experienced any signs or symptoms of COVID-19 in the last 14 days (including fever, new or worsening cough, fatigue, chills and body aches, respiratory illness, difficulty breathing, nausea, vomiting or diarrhea, pink eye, or loss of taste or smell).
6. If the individual experiences, or if anyone in the individual's household experiences, any signs or symptoms of COVID-19 after submitting this Declaration of Compliance, the individual will immediately isolate, notify the Organization, and not attend any of the Organization's facilities, activities, programs, or services until at least 14 days have passed since those symptoms were last experienced.
7. The individual has not, nor has any member of the individual's household, travelled to, or had a lay-over in any country outside Canada in the past 14 days. If the individual travels, or if anyone in the individual's household travels, outside Canada after submitting this Declaration of Compliance, the individual will not attend any of the Organization's facilities, activities, programs, or services until at least 14 days have passed since the date of return.
8. The individual is following recommended guidelines, including but not limited to, practicing physical distancing, trying to maintain separation of six feet from others, adhering to recognized hygiene best practices, and otherwise limiting exposure to COVID-19.
9. The individual will follow the safety, physical distancing, and hygiene protocols of the Organization.
10. This document will remain in effect until the Organization, per the direction of the provincial government and provincial health officials, determines that the acknowledgements in this Declaration of Compliance are no longer required.
11. The Organization may remove the individual from the facility or from participation in the activities, programs, or services of the Organization at any time and for any reason if the Organization believes, in its sole discretion, that the individual is no longer in compliance with any of the standards described in this document.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Individual (If the age of majority)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian (if the individual is younger than age of majority)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



# Prescott Curling Centre Inc.

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## Board of Directors and Contacts List 2021 - 2022

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### Membership Fees

|                            |           |                        |
|----------------------------|-----------|------------------------|
| Men, Ladies, Seniors       | \$405.00  | \$358.41 + \$46.59 HST |
| One Night Lite             | \$280.00  | \$247.79 + \$32.21 HST |
| Social Member              | \$80.00   | \$70.80 + \$9.20 HST   |
| Junior (Ages 17 - 20)      | \$195.00  | \$172.57 + \$22.43 HST |
| Bantam (Ages 13 - 16)      | * \$85.00 | \$75.22 + \$9.78 HST   |
| Little Rocks (Ages 6 - 12) | \$70.00   | \$61.95 + \$8.05 HST   |

\* Add \$55.00 for evening league play, at the discretion of coach & league convener

### Rental Fees

|                                     |          |                        |
|-------------------------------------|----------|------------------------|
| Ice and Lounge/Kitchen (24 curlers) | \$325.00 | \$287.61 + \$37.39 HST |
| Additional curlers                  | \$15.00  | \$13.27 + \$1.73 HST   |
| Lounge and Kitchen                  | \$150.00 | \$132.74 + \$17.26 HST |



# Event Schedule

## Did you know?

Club mixes are a great way to meet your fellow club members. All abilities (even first-timers) are encouraged to come out, play a couple games, have a great meal and win prizes! **Mixes are in bold.**

## 2021

### OCTOBER

- Tue 5 Registration day 11am to 3pm. Clubhouse
- Wed 6 Fall Annual General Meeting 6:00 pm
- Mon 18 Regular Season starts
- Sat 23 Try Curling Now/Open House
- Sun 24 Youth Curling "Funday" Bonspiel
- Sun 31 Youth Curling Season starts

### NOVEMBER

- Tue 2 Learn to Curl 1st session
- Sat 13 Rental

### DECEMBER

- Sat 4 Flood
- Sat 11 **Christmas Mixed Bonspiel**
- Sun 12 Youth Christmas party

## 2022

### JANUARY

- Tue 11 Learn to Curl 2nd. session
- Thu 20 Robbie Burns Bonspiel
- Sat 22 **Wiser Cup Bonspiel**
- Sat 29 Flood

### FEBRUARY

- Fri 4 Men's Invitational Bonspiel (day 1)
- Sat 5 Men's Invitational Bonspiel (day 2)
- Sat 26 Ladies Invitational Bonspiel

### MARCH

- Sun 6 Little Rocks Bonspiel
- Sat 26 **Closing Bonspiel**
- Sun 27 Youth Family Day

### APRIL

- Sat 2 Season ends
- Wed 6 Spring Annual General Meeting 7pm.

**Schedule subject to change.  
Refer to club bulletin boards for  
more information.  
All rental dates to be confirmed.**



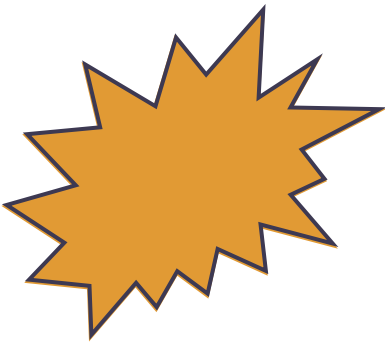
## Learn to Curl

6 week course  
Tuesdays 7:00 - 8:30 pm

Good for new and  
experienced curlers.

\$50 for members  
\$75 for non-members  
November 2 to December 7  
or  
January 11 to February 15

For more information check our website or contact Mark Lewis 613-340-0055 or [m\\_a\\_lewis1981@yahoo.ca](mailto:m_a_lewis1981@yahoo.ca)



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“Try Curling Now” Open House  
October 23, 2021      Free



Haven't tried curling? We're having a  
“Try Curling Now” Open House on October 23  
from 1:00 until 4:00. Come out and give curling a try... free  
It's a great sport and a terrific social activity.