

#### @shpkcurlingclub 2024

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#### **President's Message**

Dear SPCC members, guests & supporters,

I hope this message finds you well as we embrace the chillier days ahead. A hearty thank you to everyone who participated in or supported the 2024 SPCC Allstate Junior Classic, held this past weekend! The event was a resounding success, showcasing the incredible talent, sportsmanship, and camaraderie of our young curlers. This tournament would not have been possible without the hard work and dedication of our organizing committee and volunteers. From setting up ice sheets to ensuring the day ran smoothly, your efforts were invaluable. A special shoutout to our sponsors, including Allstate, for their generous support, and to the parents and fans who cheered on the athletes with such enthusiasm. Hopefully all who attended had the opportunity to get pictures in the big white chair

more than a sport—it's a community. Watching our next generation of curlers compete and grow on the ice was truly inspiring. Congratulations to all the teams for their fantastic efforts, and a round of applause to the champions!

As we transition into colder weather, let's keep the warm spirit of curling alive both on and off the ice. Stay cozy, layer up, and continue to bring your best game to the rink. We have an exciting season ahead, and I can't wait to see you all out there.

Thank you for being a vital part of the SPCC family. See you on the ice!

Warm regards, ChrīS LemīShka President SPCC



The Junior Classic highlights why curling is









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# Mark your Calendar SPCC Events

Keep your eyes out for details on the following bonspiels:

SPCC Skins 4 or 3 person teamsDec 14Tri-County Fun SpielJan 4 & 5SPCC Flex Chiropractic Men'sJan 24 thru 26Ladies BonspielFeb 8 & 9Jr Fun Day BonspielFeb 22Curl for Dad BonspielMar 15

#### Other Events

Curler's Care Campaign

Strathcona-Food Bank Nov 15-Dec 15 <u>Battle of the Beers & Bands</u> Jan 11 Social gathering during the hockey game East Coast Kitchen Social Mar Social gathering in the SPCC Lounge

#### **Curlers Care Campaign**

Let's show the community that Curlers Care!

We are collecting food and cash donations for the Strathcona Food Bank from Nov 15-





#### Christmas Break



We are closed Dec 21 - Jan 2. Enjoy your Christmas Break. Curling Resumes Friday January 3rd.



# Who wants to Join the Board of Directors?

Our club is healthy and successful but we need volunteers to help us keep it that way. We are on the lookout for club members who would like to be a part of our Board of Directors and guide the SPCC into our next 20 years as a club. If you are interested, please email our president Chris at president@sherwoodparkcurling.com









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# Manager's Message

Let it snow, let it snow!



Big fluffy snowflakes have blanketed our community with the glow of the winter and this signals MORE Curling! As curling fans we will curl up in our blankets at home and watch more curling or we will head out to a curling club to curl, watch other curls or enjoy the socializing that curling brings! We are in the heart of the curling season and when you arrive at the club we are doing our very best to make sure you feel welcomed and are enjoying your time both on and off the ice. You will see that SPCC has transformed into a winter wonderland. Trv out the new hot chocolate bar - yummy!! The spirit of giving is alive and as the hustle & bustle of the holiday season starts, I encourage you all to continue to give back to our local charities. We are blessed to be part of this curling family.

Lots of smiles, Elf Heather



# 2024 SPCC Allstate JR Classic

The SPCC hosted another successful 32 team U20 Ladies/Mens and U15 Bonspiel! Thanks to all the 128 players, coaches, parents, fans, ice team, and lounge staff & admin team for a great event. Special thanks to our sponsor Tony George from Allstate.









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#### Halloween Fun!



# **Curling Day in Canada**

Join us for a Curling Day in Canada Webinar! This event is a fantastic opportunity to connect with fellow curling enthusiasts and discover the exciting activities planned for the day. When: November 28th, 2024, at 5 PM MT Register: <u>https://bit.ly/3B0ltUY</u>



# SPCC Juniors Grand Slam Re-cap

80+ JR's, volunteer coaches & parents / guardians enjoyed the Wednesday GSOC afternoon game at the beautiful Silent Ice Arena in Nisku. Making memories & future stars!











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# **Parking Reminder**

Reminder that when the parking lot gets full on double draw nights, overflow parking is in the West Hosford school. For additional lighting, walk along the street front vs taking the north trail through the trees.



NO parking on either side of the building. This is an emergency fire access way and your vehicle will be towed. Especially the ramp on the West side of the building near school playground.

NO parking on the outside of the concrete barriers

# **Bathroom Lobby**

Reminder that towel pins have been mounted in the lobby of the bathrooms. Curlers can lean your brooms and hang your bags without using the baby change table. In the past we have noticed that large bags hangining on the change tables is causing damage. Thanks for your cooperation



## **Showing our SWAG!**



Dorothy Sutton in Honduras!

#### Strathcona County Volunteer Request - New Years Eve Festival

The County is looking for volunteers to assist with the following activities: Event Details:

- When: Tuesday, December 31, 2024 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
- Where: Broadmoor Lake Park and surrounding areas, 2015 Oak Street, Sherwood Park
- Volunteer Roles Available: Carnival Games Attendants, Food Bank Attendants, Hot Chocolate handouts, Information Booth Attendants, Ice Activity Assistants, Shinny and Public Skating Attendants.

To sign up or learn more about this event, please visit our volunteer page:

https://timecounts.org/strathconacounty.





Thursday Ladies





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**Tuesday Ladies** 



# **SPCC** Juniors

Our annual fundraiser supports our junior programs and will put some delicious, locally made sausage on your table just in time for holiday entertaining. Widynowski's Sausage House will be providing the sausage and jerky. If you don't a have a junior curler in your family, you can order directly through the Proshop. The order form and price list can be viewed here: Jr Fundraiser Order Form. Orders are due November 27.

Call for Coaches! We welcon Volunteer more U12 and U15/18 coaches Coaches For more information please contact

Needed!

juniors@sherwoodparkcurling.com

# **U15** RockFest

The U-15 RockFest West In-Person qualifiers begin this weekend at the Okotoks Curling Club. 8 children ages 11-14 will qualify for the U-15 RockFest West in Kelowna, BC February 27-March 1.



There is still room to register in the In-Person qualifier in Leduc, December 21-22. Head to this <u>link</u> to register:

Curlers also have the opportunity to qualify for the U-15 RockFest West through the Curling Canada Singles App. 5 males, and 5 females are eligible to qualify through the app. This promotes access to children in rural areas, and children who aren't able to attend one of the In-Person qualifiers.

# **Our Sponsors**

We hope you noticed our sponsor logos at the bottom of each page. Our sponsors are an important part of the SPCC and we greatly appreciate their ongoing support. Please return the favour and support all of our sponsors all year round.

