



NOCA Notes
October 18, 2013

Curling Week in Northern Ontario:

Bearskin Airlines is proud to sponsor Curling Week in Northern Ontario. This is the fifth annual event and offers clubs a chance to highlight their club in the community by hosting events such as Learn to Curl clinics, Open houses, league challenges, fun-spiels, and other great functions.

This year there will be a Closest to the Pin contest for all NOCA Members. During Curling Week, clubs will offer the opportunity for people to draw closest to the pin. The participants' scores will be recorded and each club will have the person closest to the pin enter into a contest on Saturday November 23rd where all club finalists will throw a rock in their club to try to be the closest to the pin across all of Northern Ontario.

Leading up to Curling Week there will be a Trivia Contest on the NOCA website. The contest will start Monday October 28th and two people each week will win a 2014 NOCA Calendar.

An information package with posters was sent to all Club Delegates today.

Road to the Roar Brooms & Jerseys Contest:

During the Road to the Roar pre-trials (November 5-10), NOCA will be holding contests for prizes donated by each of the Jacobs, McCarville, and Horgan teams. Each team has donated two signed brooms, and will each donate two signed jerseys from the pre-trials. There will be an adult winner and a youth winner for each of the prizes.

The contest will start on October 28th and entries will close November 4th. One draw for an adult prize and one draw for a youth prize will be drawn daily during the Road to the Roar. The contest will be on the new NOCA website.

Posters have been sent to all Club Delegates and are available for download at curlnoca.ca/member-services/resources/

8-ender Winners:

If your team scores an 8-ender, you are all eligible to receive a NOCA 8-Ender Fleece vest. Information is available at curlnoca.ca/programs/awards/noca-8-ender-winners

Courses:

2013-14 Courses:

If your club is interested in hosting a Coaching or Officiating Course, contact Dick Henderson (NOCA Technical Coordinator) at 807-621-4259 or dickhenderson@curlnoca.ca.

A description of all courses is available at curlnoca.ca/programs/courses/

Current Courses:

Club Coach Youth and Club Coach – October 26, Geraldton
Club Coach – October 19, South River
Registration is available at curlnoca.ca/programs/courses/

Upcoming Registration Deadlines (all at 11:30 pm ET):

Club Coach / Club Coach Youth Geraldton – October 18th
Club Coach South River – November 1st
Sioux Lookout Youth Challenge – November 6th
Deer Trail Youth Challenge – November 6th
Junior Regions – November 15th
Bantam Regions – November 22nd
NOCA Women – November 22nd

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