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NOCA Notes January 23, 2016 **Busy Competition Weekend**

Scotties Provincial Finishes Sunday:

The NOCA Scotties Provincial will end Sunday with Team McCarville (Fort William CC) facing Team Fleury. These teams also meet Saturday morning in the final game of the round robin. The winner of the final game will represent Northern Ontario at the Scotties Tournaments of Hearts in Grande Prairie, AB, February 20-28, 2016. Results

Canadian Juniors Starts Saturday:

Teams Tanner Horgan and Megan Smith are representing Northern Ontario at the Egg Producers of Ontario Canadian Junior Curling Championship for the next week. Both teams take to the ice today with Horgan meeting Team Yukon at 1:30 p.m. and Team New Brunswick at 6:30 p.m., while Smith hits the ice at 6:30 p.m. against Team Manitoba.

Jr. Men's Results Junior Women's Results Official Draw

Travelers Men's East Qualifier:

The Idylwylde G&CC in Sudbury is host to the Men's East Qualifier this weekend. The 8 team event will see the top three teams finish the field in the 2016 Travelers NOCA Men's Provincial to be held at the North Bay Granite CC February 10-14. The teams already qualified for the provincial are Jacobs (Community First CC), Koivula (Port Arthur CC), Assad (Geraldton CC), Johnston (Fort William CC), and Horgan (Copper Cliff CC). East Qualifier Results

Masters Men's Provincial Championship:

Three teams are competing this weekend at the NOCA Masters Men's Provincial Championship at the Geraldton CC. Dave Barker (Geraldton CC), Gordon Williams (Port Arthur CC), and Raymond Roy (Fort Frances CC) will vie for the opportunity to represent Northern Ontario at the Canadian Masters, April 4-10 in Kentville & Wolfville NS, April 4-10. The Marion Clark rink (PACC) will represent NOCA on the women's side of the national event. Results

AVIS/Budget Car Rental Discounts:

Planning a road trip? Don't forget to use the Sponsor Discounts provided by AVIS and Budget as part of a partnership with NOCA. Discount codes are on the back of all NOCA membership cards and are also available on the Sponsor page of the website. Sponsor Discounts

Amethyst Curling Camp - Celebrating 20 Years!:

Don't miss this great opportunity to enhance your skills, make some great friends, and learn from some of Northern Ontario and Canada's best coaches and instructors. Registration and all information is available on the Amethyst website: Amethyst Curling Camp. Don't delay - get your application in now.

Amethyst Curling Camp Bursaries:

5 Bursaries are available toward registration fees at the Amethyst Camp. 4 of the bursaries are to assist with registration fees and the deadline for these applications is February 8th. , Team Fleury is also providing a Podium Potential Bursary which includes financial assistance as well as Team Fleury swag, and a mentorship opportunity (deadline June 1st).

Bursary Application Team Fleury Bursary Shirley Jean Francis-Bursary

Support for Curling Program:

Does your curling club need to raise money for renovations or other projects? The Ontario Curling Council (OCC) is pleased to launch a new "Support for Curling Program" on behalf of its membership, NOCA and the OCA. Together with the True Sport Foundation, curling clubs can register projects or programs and donors will receive charitable tax receipts and curling clubs will receive funds targeted specifically towards their initiatives. Information

Upcoming Deadlines (all close at NOON on the deadline date):

Mixed Doubles Provincial: January 29th

Amethyst Bursaries: February 8th

Mixed Provincials: February 22nd























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