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NOCA Notes January 22, 2018

Congratulations Team Horgan:

Congratulations to Team Tanner Horgan from Curl Sudbury for their silver medal finish in the New Holland Junior Canadian Championships. Horgan came through the round robin with a 6-0 record but fell to Team Tardi from BC in the final game. On the women's side, Team Hailey Beaudry, who was at the event for the first time, came through the round robin with a 3-3 record to secure a spot in the Championship Pool. Both the men's and women's teams had players receive awards: Erin Tomalty earned lead on the women's first All Star team with a shooting percentage of 82%, while Maxime Blais earned a Performance Brooms Fair Play Award. Congratulations to both teams!

Scotties Tournament of Hearts starts Saturday:

Team Tracy Fleury secured the title of NOCA Provincial winner at the NOCA Provincials January 13th. Fleury will now represent Northern Ontario at the Scotties Tournament of Hearts in Penticton, BC., January 27 – February 4. This year, 16 teams will compete in the event: 14 provincial / territorial teams, Team Canada, and a wild card team. The wild card game between Team Carey and Team Einarson to determine the 16th team takes place Friday at 9:30 pm Eastern. Good luck Team Fleury!!

[Draw](#) [TSN Broadcast schedule](#) [Results](#)

NOCA Senior Men's Provincials:

This weekend will see 8 Senior Men's teams compete in the NOCA Senior Provincials at the Tarentorus Sports Club in Sault Ste. Marie. The winner of the Senior Men's provincial, and the Peggy Taylor rink from Kenora will represent Northern Ontario at the Everest Canadian Senior Championships in Stratford March 24-29.

[Draw](#) [Results](#)

NOCA Masters Provincial Winners:

The Gordon Williams rink from the Port Arthur CC secured the title of NOCA Masters Provincial Champion January 13th at the NOCA Masters Men's Provincial. Williams defeated Team Al Hackner in the final game to earn the berth. Williams, and Team Marion Clark (Port Arthur CC), will represent Northern Ontario at the Canadian Masters in Peace Arch, BC April 1-8.

Travelers 2018 Northern Ontario Men's Provincial:

8 teams have now been determined for the Men's Provincial which is being held at the NEMI Recreation Complex, hosted by the Little Current Curling Club February 7-11.

[Draw](#) [Event Site](#)

2018 Amethyst Junior Curling Camp:

Registration for last year's campers to the 2018 Amethyst Junior Curling Camp is now available. Information was emailed to the 2017 camp participants last week. If you did not receive the email, please contact the NOCA office. Registration will open for new campers February 9th. Watch the NOCA and Amethyst websites and FaceBook pages for more information.

Coaching Webinars:

Coaches – don't miss the two webinars scheduled for this week: Coaching Mixed Doubles (Jan. 23) and Team Dynamics (Jan. 24). All webinars earn you Coach PD points.

[Mixed Doubles Info. and Registration](#) [Team Dynamics Info. and Registration](#)

Ontario Winter Games Mixed Doubles Qualifiers:

The Atikokan CC and the North Bay Granite Club will host two qualifiers (of six in Ontario) this weekend. One team from each event will advance to the Ontario Winter Games Mixed Doubles event. Results will be available on the NOCA site this weekend.

Upcoming Deadlines:

- Travelers Curling Club Regions – January 26th
- Wheelchair Provincial – January 26th
- U18 Qualifiers – February 7th

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