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DUSTIN MONTEPELLER, REGION 5 CLUB CHAMPION  
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## CONGRATULATIONS LESLIE!



*NOCA Executive Director Leslie Kerr (right) presenting an award to legendary Ice Technician Lloyd Stansell*

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At the conclusion of the 24<sup>th</sup> annual Amethyst Junior Curling Camp this July NOCA Executive Director Leslie Kerr will retire from what she considers to have been a challenging but rewarding job.

Here's what some of the people that have worked with Leslie have to say about her contributions to the game:

*Michael Szajewski  
President  
NOCA*

"It is with personal regret but warm wishes that I announce the retirement of NOCA's Executive Director Leslie Kerr, effective July 10th, 2020. Leslie's retirement marks the end of an era for the Northern Ontario Curling Association.

She was the first person hired by the newly amalgamated board, directly into the role of Executive Director, more than 13 years ago.

Leslie's attention to detail, while keeping the broader picture in mind, has been invaluable. Her dedication to put in extra time and recognition that the required hours of work to support our clubs go beyond a typical workday schedule has demonstrated not only her commitment to excellence but also her passion for our Clubs, volunteers, curlers, and the sport."

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*Kathy Henderson  
Chief Executive Officer  
Curling Canada*

"Leslie often jokes about being the 'oldest' of the Executive Directors but far from that image, Leslie comes to the Curling Canada table with fresh thinking and lots of energy. She has been generous with her time and experience with anyone who joins the community of the Operations Advisory Committee for Curling Canada. Leslie has capably served on the executive of the committee and has been a valued and contributing member of many of our study groups that work on topics of grassroots development, administrative improvements, wheelchair

competition and is strong in identifying curling member needs. Her wit and wisdom will be missed but we are confident that Leslie has left NOCA in the type of shape that we can continue to build on the successes that she has created. Best of luck in your retirement from everyone at Curling Canada.”

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*Marion Clark*  
*Past President*  
*NOCA*

"Leslie is the hardest worker that I know. There is no 9-5 in her vocabulary, and 'weekend' is a fond memory during the curling season. She is known to respond to your late-night emails at

5:30 in the morning. I don't think she sleeps! I always joked with her that I was her personal assistant. I came to dread those 4 words..."I need a letter". If there was a way I could help lessen her load, I gladly did it. She was always well prepared for anything that needed handling.

We attended Curling Congresses every year and this is where I saw how well respected and liked she was in curling circles. In fact, you could say that she was part of the inner circle. People came to her for ideas and opinions and simply to spend time with her as she has a wonderful sense of humour. One of the first things she did for us was

stock the refrigerator with fruit, veggies, cheese and assorted beverages. Maybe that is why her room was always the people magnet."

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NOCA President Michael Szajewski says that over the last several months the Board has been working on a succession plan to ensure a seamless transition in their leadership group. In mid-February the NOCA will be advertising for a new Executive Director to begin work in early May.

Szajewski wants to once again congratulate Leslie and wish her and her husband Pete all the best in their new adventure.



Welcome and thank you to our newest sponsor XplorNet Communications Inc. Canada's largest rural broadband provider has thrown their support behind Northern Ontario's U18 Curling program and we invite our members to check out their services at [this link](#).

**CONTEST:** Fill out [this form](#) before the end of the season and be entered into draws for a Fear the Moose jersey, Fear the Moose hat, and 2x \$25 gift cards from Sport Check.

# CALL OF THE WILD A TRADEMARK FOR NORTHERN ONTARIO CURLING FANS

CBC News

Posted: Nov 09, 2018 4PM

It's not what you would call a pleasant sound.

But for northern Ontario curling fans, nothing delights the ears more than a chorus of loud, guttural, grunting moose calls echoing from the stands, signalling success for the home team.

The moose call is a northern Ontario curling tradition. Fans are known for coming to games with the handmade noise-makers, made from coffee-cans and shoelaces, that, despite their simplicity, emit a surprisingly powerful sound.

"I've never heard a moose before, but supposedly this is what a moose sounds like," said curling fan Tricia Sampson, who's volunteering this week at the Pinty's Grand Slam Tour Challenge stop in Thunder Bay, Ont.

The noise, she admits, is somewhat "annoying."

But, "after a great shot, it's the greatest sound in the whole entire world."

In preparation for the event,



*The noise-makers are extremely easy to make, and the sound is made by coating the shoelace in resin, then pinching it and sliding the finger and thumb along the lace. (Amy Hadley/CBC)*

Sampson and some friends made a batch of the noise-makers to cheer on Thunder Bay curler Krista McCarville and her rink.

While she's not sure of the origin of the tradition, she said the connotations make sense.

"I'm just assuming northern

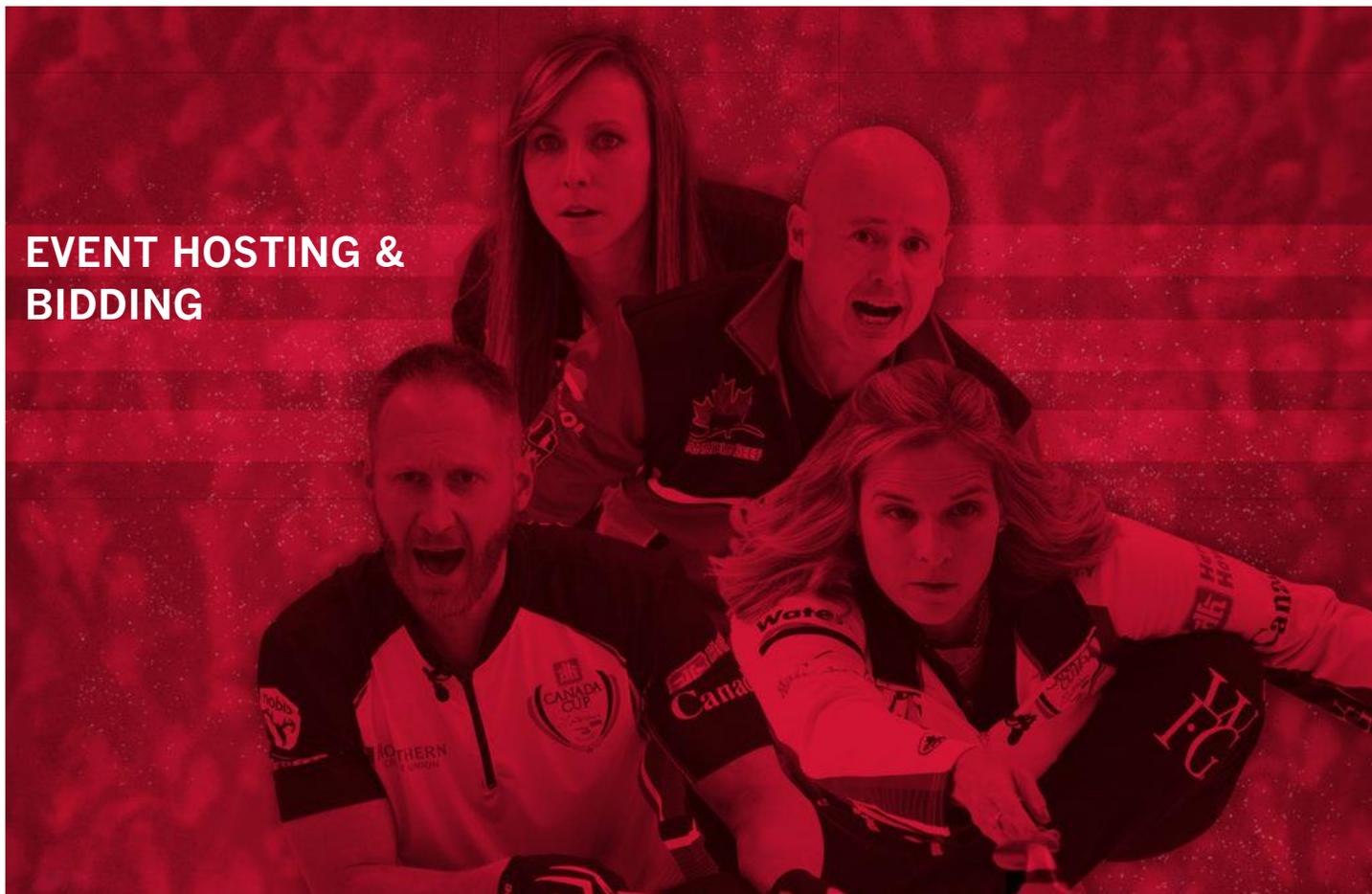
Ontario, hunting, moose, you know, it seems like this is an easy thing [to be] recognizable."

"And whenever anybody's supporting ... they know what they have to bring in order to make sure that they're recognized that they're here to show their support" for northern Ontario.



*Curling fan Tricia Sampson shows us how to use a home-made, moose call noise maker. 0:44*

## EVENT HOSTING & BIDDING



### **BIDDING NOW OPEN FOR CURLING CANADA'S 2021- 22 EVENTS**

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Why not bring the excitement of a major event to your community? There are incredible economic and promotional benefits to be realized, not to mention it's just plain fun.

Before proceeding to the bid process, please read the requirements for hosting Curling Canada events by clicking on [this link](#).

◆ Bid packages will be treated with confidentiality and as a 'closed' process, given the multitude of stakeholders and diverse interests which may be represented.

◆ Curling Canada reserves the right not to accept any of and/or all of the bids at its sole and unfettered discretion.

◆ While Curling Canada is seeking the best possible bid for this prestigious event, it is not obligated to accept the highest bid.

◆ As above, bids must be in the form of written presentation only.

◆ In the unlikely event that a site visit is required, Curling Canada will be responsible for all related expenses.

◆ Curling Canada reserves the right to disseminate further information to all candidates throughout the bid process.

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## **RONNEBECK: Prep4Performance Coaching Symposium**

Calling all coaches, instructors, athletes with disabilities and athletes!! Save the weekend of Friday, May 29 through Sunday, May 31 for a fantastic learning experience at the Briar's Resort on beautiful Lake Simcoe.

The Ontario Curling Council with support from Curling Canada is hosting a coaching symposium to bring together coaches, instructors and athletes who are interested in learning about a variety of topics related to all stages of the Long-Term Curler Development Model. Whether you coach recreational curling, teach Little Rockers and youth, are an Adult Learn to Curl Instructor, an instructor at the club level, a competitive or high performance coach or an athlete, there will be something of interest for you.

Some of the best curling experts in Canada will be sharing their experience and knowledge with participants.

Scott Pfeifer, 4 time Canadian Champion and 3 time World Champion will be the keynote speaker on Saturday. Scott will also be presenting on Mixed Doubles and Brushing.

Other presenters include Renee Sonnenberg, Team Leader at the 2018 Olympics, Helen Radford, Coach of the Canadian Youth Olympic Team, Mick Lizmore, National High Performance Consultant with Curling Canada, Wendy Morgan, National Wheelchair Team Leader, Dr. Joe Baker, specialist in skill acquisition, Bryan Cochrane, World Champion Skip and many others will be sharing what they know.

In addition to the latest on delivery and brushing technical skills, other topics will include:

- ◆ wheelchair athlete development
- ◆ mixed doubles
- ◆ skill acquisition
- ◆ membership recruitment, Adult Learn to Curl and diversity
- ◆ preparing to perform
- ◆ teaching the stick delivery
- ◆ youth feeder programs and the Long-Term Curling Development Model
- ◆ strategy with a twist
- ◆ developing consistent draw weight
- ◆ skill analysis and drills
- ◆ developing a mental training program for U21 athletes
- ◆ analytics and how to gather and use them
- ◆ Safe Sport

Participants will be able to customize their weekend and choose the topics most relevant to them.

There will be a Vendor's market so participants can access the latest in curling equipment and technology.

There are two options for participation:

1) The full weekend which includes a meet and greet event on Friday evening, sessions all day Saturday, the vendor's market, dinner and entertainment on Saturday evening and more sessions on Sunday morning. Breakfasts are provided if you choose to stay at the Briar's Resort and all other meals and nutrition breaks are included. The cost for the full weekend is \$299 plus HST if you take advantage of the Early Bird offer and register by April 1. After April 1, the cost is \$349 plus HST.

2) The one-day option, Saturday, includes the vendor's market, all daytime sessions, nutrition breaks and lunch for \$199 + HST.

Entertainment on Saturday evening will be Jamie Williams and his incredible 21-piece one-man band!!! Check out Jamie's Facebook page to see one of his high energy entertaining performances.

[Click here for more info.](#)

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General Information

Ontario Curling Council

# PREP4PERFORMANCE

Coaching Symposium | 2020

FULL SYMPOSIUM

May 29 - May 31, 2020

ONE DAY OPTION

May 30, 2020

The Briars Resort & Spa on Lake Simcoe | Jackson's Point ON Canada

## Who Should Attend?

Competitive/Performance Coaches

Recreational Coaches

Coaches from Canada, US and the World Curling Federation

Adult Learn to Curl Instructors

Club Members and Managers who provide instruction to club members

Coaches of Athletes with Disabilities

Athletes



Featuring Keynote Speaker

**SCOTT PFEIFER**

Four Time Brier and Three Time World Champion

## Prep4Performance Coaching Symposium Topics

- Adult Learn to Curl
- Brushing
- Controlling Game Tactics & Strategy
- Delivery - The Slide
- Delivery - Wheelchair & Stick
- U21 Mental Training Program
- Promoting Diversity in Curling
- Long-Term Curler Development Model
- Membership Recruitment
- Mixed Doubles
- Preparing Your Team to Perform
- Provincial & National Preparation
- Safe Sport
- Skill Acquisition
- Skill Analysis & Drills
- Wheelchair Athlete Development
- Youth Feeder Program

FULL SYMPOSIUM | \$349.00 + hst

Accommodations are not included

EARLY BIRD On or before April 1, 2020 | \$299.00 + hst

ONE DAY | \$199.00 + hst

Saturday

Friday, May 29 Evening  
Registration | Meet and Greet  
Apps & Refreshments (Cash Bar)

Saturday, May 30  
Sessions All Day | Vendor Expo  
Lunch, Nutrition Breaks & Dinner  
Jamie Williams & his 21 Piece One Man Band  
- Fun, Funny & Interactive (Cash Bar)

Sunday, May 31  
Sessions until 12:30 p.m.  
Nutrition Break



CURLING DAY IN CANADA  
SPECIAL DRAW

## Registration Deadline: Wednesday May 20, 2020

A draw will be made in the afternoon of February 22, 2020 and one lucky participant who has registered and paid to attend this coaching symposium will receive a registration refund of \$100. Coaches must be registered and paid by 1:00 p.m. ET February 22, 2020 in order to be entered into the draw.

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## LONGLAC MOOSECALAC JUNIOR BONSPIEL

How do you get 90 plus young people to be quiet?

The Longlac Curling Club has been hosting a youth Bonspiel for over 25 years. A number of years back we tied it into Moosecalac, our local winter carnival on Family day weekend. The Bonspiel can take up to 24 teams. The last number of years we have been consistently over 22 teams, which means the first draw is at 7:00 am (Want to see a bunch of tired parents!). The youth play three end games in a three event format. Curling finishes at 5:15, with a pizza supper and everyone gets a prize. In the 45 minutes from 5:15 to 6:00 we feed all the teams and get the prizes out, they know what is coming and make sure it happens quick! Over the years it was figured out that purchasing 96 prizes of similar value makes a lot of



happy young ones. A bottle drive is conducted the day after Labour day to support the purchase of prizes. Being a small town people know each year we are coming and either stock up on bottles/cans or have a donation for the crew collecting.

To make this work (think 96 kids) we have a group of people taking registration, a dedicated person marshalling the kids for games, and then an army of people on the ice, minimum one adult per

sheet, usually one at each end. Some years we could have 6-8 teams of kids who have never curled before, so a crash course in the basics. This year we had 23 teams of enthusiastic young ones.

Submitted by:

**JAMIE MCPHERSON**  
Longlac Curling Club

## CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS SET

Congratulations to the teams that have qualified for the 2020 Northern Ontario Club Championship March 26-29 at the Community First Curling Centre in Sault Ste. Marie.

Men: Montpellier, Greenstone Dental, Weiss, J. Szajewski, Chandler, Laitar

Women: Hoppe, Wojtowicz, Graves





# 78th ANNUAL MEN'S BONSPIEL

**\$\$ CASH SPIEL \$\$**

**March 8th—10th, 2019**

**\$180/Team**

Entry Includes:

Friday Night snack, Saturday dinner, and Cash Prizes

For more info contact Brian:

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March 7, 8, 2020

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Open Team Format

3 eight end games guaranteed

Dinner and Dancing Saturday

Cash Prizes

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email maccurl@curthemac.ca

for more details or to enter a team



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v.

# CITY SLICKERS

## Skins Funspiel

Saturday, February 29 5:00 PM

\$25/member - \$35/non-member

2 4-end games

Snacks. Entertainment. Prizes. More.

Brier Kick-Off Theme

More Information:

Web: [www.curlsudbury.ca](http://www.curlsudbury.ca)

Call: Jessie 705.210.0357

E-mail: [info@curlsudbury.ca](mailto:info@curlsudbury.ca)



**SAVE  
THE  
DATE**

## SUMMERSPIEL

JULY 3-5, 2020 NORTH BAY, ON

The Copper Cliff Curling Club  
Presents

# THE POST

April 17 – 19, 2020

39 Veterans Rd.

Copper Cliff, Ontario

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR AMETHYST 2020

The 2020 Amethyst Camp is open for registrations! We are only accepting 64 campers so don't delay if you or someone you know is interested in attending this fantastic summer curling camp. Mark your calendars for Sunday June 28th – Thursday July 3rd.

The 2020 Amethyst Junior Curling Camp will be held in North Bay – for the third year. All curling will take place at the North Bay Granite Curling Club, and campers will stay at Canadore College residence.

### Special Guest:

Brad Jacobs, skip of Team Jacobs and 2014 Olympic Gold winner, will be at the camp June 29-30 as a special presenter. He will address the campers, and work with all of the groups.

### Learning Topics:

Technical skills, strategy and Tactics, Team Dynamics, Nutrition and Fitness, Delivery Analysis, Sweeping, Goal Setting, Practice Planning, and more. Each group also has an offsite physical education session daily.

### Instructors:

We have some of the best instructors in Ontario at this camp, many of whom have instructed at summer



*Canadian Champion, Olympic Gold Medalist, and skip of the number one team in the world, Brad Jacobs to appear at 2020 Amethyst Camp.*

campers across Canada and overseas. The combined experience of our coaches includes coaching and/or competing at a provincial, national and international level. Check out all of their bios at [amethystcurling.com](http://amethystcurling.com)

### Accommodation:

Canadore College Residence – rooms are air-conditioned mini suites, with 2 bedrooms (each with a double bed), a bathroom, and a kitchenette (campers are not allowed to cook but may keep extra food, snacks and drinks in the fridge). Campers request their roommate and every effort is made to ensure their request is met.

While the experience of staying with the rest of the campers in the residence is preferred, we will offer the option of participating in all camp events, but not staying on campus this year.

### Meals:

Breakfast, Lunch, Supper, and 2 snacks are provided daily. There will be a pizza party Sunday evening, as well as Wednesday after the Great Shootout.

### Non-Curling Activities:

Events are planned daily to allow the campers to have some fun away from the club. This year we are planning some great social activities.

### Registration Fee:

The fee for the camp is \$1010 (HST included) which covers all meals, accommodation, activities, awards, and a camp t-shirt. Payment can be made by cheque or e-transfer. Contact [leslie.kerr@curlnoc.ca](mailto:leslie.kerr@curlnoc.ca) for e-transfer instructions.

Check out the Amethyst [website](#) and [Facebook page](#) in the coming days and weeks for more information.

**CURLING DAY  
IN CANADA** 

Join the **nationwide celebration** of  
the **greatest sport in Canada!**

**FEBRUARY 22, 2020**



**CALLING EVERY CURLER, CURLING CLUB  
AND CURLING ENTHUSIAST.**

### CLUBS

We know fun and engaging things are happening in rinks across Canada! **Be sure to share your club's most exciting, unique or historical story by January 24, 2020.** The club with the most interesting submission will host the legendary and iconic **Brier Tankard trophy** (and at least one former Brier champion) on Curling Day in Canada!

Register for the **Canada-wide curling game**, raise funds for student athlete scholarships, and earn a chance to win a **\$10,000** curling club renovation grant

### CURLERS

This is for all Canadian curlers; whether you have played all your life, just once or you are an avid curling fan. If you have something interesting to share, we want to see it! **Send in your most unique, fun or inspiring curling story by 2:00 PM ET on February 22, 2020** for a chance to win a trip for four to the 2021 **Tim Hortons Brier!**

Most importantly, on February 22, find your own exciting way to celebrate curling—the most Canadian of sports.

FULL CONTEST DETAILS @ [CURLINGDAYINCANADA.CA](http://CURLINGDAYINCANADA.CA)

## NOCA AWARDS

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Don't forget to nominate someone from your club for an award they deserve!

The Northern Ontario Curling Association Board of Directors is pleased to announce the NOCA Annual Awards program. Awards will be given in five categories: NOCA Volunteer Awards (3), NOCA Club Recognition Award (1), NOCA Ice Technician (1), NOCA Honorary Membership (unlimited), and NOCA Coach Awards (2).

Please take a moment to nominate a deserving person from your club. Volunteers are the unsung heroes of curling



and this is one way to recognize their contributions to your club and the sport of curling.

The deadline for nominations is February 28th annually. More information can be found at [curlno.ca/programs/awards](http://curlno.ca/programs/awards)



**CONGRATULATIONS** to the Port Arthur Curling Club's Oye-Sem Won Briand (left) and Trevor Bonot (right) on winning the 2020 Northern Ontario Mixed Doubles Championship.

The pair will wear green and gold at the 2020 Canadian Mixed Doubles Curling Championship March 17-22 in Portage La Prairie, MB.

Thank you to the Keewatin Curling Club for being such great hosts.

## ELECTIONS

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The NOCA Board will be seeking nominations for the following positions: Region 4 Director, Region 3 Director, Director at Large. Region Directors are elected at the Region Spring meetings, and the Director at Large will be selected by the Board of Directors based on the applications received. The elections will be open for nominations on March 1, 2020. More information is available at [curlno.ca](http://curlno.ca) (click link).





**EVENT**

BrokerLink Mixed Provincials

**DEADLINE**

March 13<sup>th</sup>

Note: all registrations close at NOON on the deadline date.

## U18 REGION WINNERS DECIDED

Congratulations to the following teams that have advanced to the 2020 Northern Ontario U18 Provincial Curling Championships March 4-8 at the Community First Curling Centre.

### Region 1 & 2

- Boys: Team Burgess (Kakabeka Falls)
- Girls: Malette (Thunder Bay) & Payne (Fort Frances)

### Region 4

- Boys: Team MacMichael (Sault Ste. Marie)
- Girls: Team Smith (Blind River)

### Region 5

- Boys: Team Hong (North Bay)
- Girls: Team Croisier (Idylwylde)

### Region 6

- Boys: Team Duizer (Timmins) & Precision Auto (New Liskeard)
- Girls: Marshall's Pharmasave (Englehart)

### Qualifiers

- East Boys: Branconnier & Rajala (Idylwylde)
- West Boys: Riches (Fort Frances)

Three girls' teams in total will advance from east (2) and west (1) qualifying events February 21-23.



## HOST SITE ANNOUNCED FOR THE 2021 MEN'S AND SCOTTIES PROVINCIAL

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The Northern Ontario Curling Association is pleased to announce that Curling Kenora has been awarded the 2021 Men's and Scotties Provincial Championship. The event will take place January 26-31, 2021, at the Kenora Recreation Centre.

"The Host Bid Committee awarded this event to Curling Kenora after careful evaluation of all bids received" states Karen Saarimaki, NOCA Competitions and Host Bid Committee Chair. "We are confident that Curling Kenora will provide an excellent event building on the success of the 2015 Travelers Men's Provincial Championship hosted by the Keewatin Curling Club at the Kenora Recreation Centre."

Curling Kenora is a joint steering committee which partners the Keewatin and Kenora Curling Clubs, and the City of Kenora (Lake of the Woods Development Commission). The three organizations have a detailed plan for this championship with a goal of hosting more curling events, provincial or national, in future years.

Josh Szajewski and Tracy



*Curling Kenora, a partnership between the Northwestern Ontario City's Curling Clubs, announces a successful bid to host the 2021 Brier and Scotties qualifier.*

Stasiuk, Presidents of the two curling clubs, comment "The Keewatin and Kenora Curling Clubs are thrilled to be working with the Curling Kenora Committee in bringing the Northern Ontario Curling Association Provincial Championships back to the City of Kenora."

Szajewski notes "The inclusion of the Scotties event is an exciting addition to the Championship that will increase the prestige and entertainment value of the competition. We can't wait to reintroduce the best curlers in Northern Ontario to our great city and are delighted to be a part of sending Team Northern Ontario to the 2021 Scotties Tournament of Hearts and Tim Hortons Brier."

"The Lake of the Woods Development Commission is very excited to be collaborating with both the

Kenora and Keewatin Curling Clubs to bring the 2021 NOCA Men's and Scotties Provincial Championships to Kenora" states Josh Nelson, Tourism & Recreation Division Lead, City of Kenora. "This event will have a positive economic impact on our community and help us expand our winter and sport tourism product."

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# FOLLOW & CHEER FOR TEAM MCCARVILLE

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DATE	DRAW	TIME	SHEET A	SHEET B	SHEET C	SHEET D
Friday, February 14	WC	7:30 p.m.			WILD CARD GAME	
Saturday, February 15	1	1:30 p.m.	NO vs CA	SK vs NB	PE vs BC	NT vs NS
	2	6:30 p.m.	WC vs ON	NL vs YT	QC vs MB	NU vs AB
Sunday, February 16	3	8:30 a.m.	MB vs NU	QC vs AB	YT vs WC	NL vs ON
	4	1:30 p.m.	BC vs NT	PE vs NS	NB vs NO	SK vs CA
	5	6:30 p.m.	AB vs NB	NU vs SK	ON vs PE	WC vs BC
Monday, February 17	6	8:30 a.m.	NS vs YT	NT vs NL	CA vs QC	NO vs MB
	7	1:30 p.m.	QC vs NO	MB vs CA	NL vs NS	YT vs NT
	8	6:30 p.m.	PE vs WC	BC vs ON	SK vs AB	NB vs NU
Tuesday, February 18	9	8:30 a.m.	CA vs AB	NO vs NU	BC vs YT	PE vs NL
	10	1:30 p.m.	ON vs NS	WC vs NT	MB vs NB	QC vs SK
	11	6:30 p.m.	SK vs MB	NB vs QC	NT vs ON	NS vs WC
Wednesday, February 19	12	8:30 a.m.	NL vs BC	YT vs PE	NU vs CA	AB vs NO
	13	1:30 p.m.	NT vs PE	NS vs BC	WC vs NL	ON vs YT
	14	6:30 p.m.	NU vs QC	AB vs MB	NO vs SK	CA vs NB
Thursday, February 20	15	8 a.m.	TIEBREAKERS IF NECESSARY			
	16	12:30 p.m.	A4 vs B3	B1 vs A2	A1 vs B4	B2 vs A3
	17	6:30 p.m.	A3 vs B1	B3 vs A1	B2 vs A4	A2 vs B4
Friday, February 21	18	12:30 p.m.	A1 vs B2	B4 vs A3	B3 vs A2	A4 vs B1
	19	6:30 p.m.	B4 vs A4	A2 vs B2	B1 vs A1	A3 vs B3
Saturday, February 22	20	8:30 a.m.	TIEBREAKERS IF NECESSARY			



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|------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>POOL A</b>    | <b>POOL B</b>         |
| Manitoba         | Ontario               |
| Canada           | Wild Card             |
| Alberta          | British Columbia      |
| Saskatchewan     | Prince Edward Island  |
| Northern Ontario | Northwest Territories |
| New Brunswick    | Nova Scotia           |
| Nunavut          | Yukon                 |
| Quebec           | Newfoundland/Labrador |

<b>PAGE PLAYOFFS</b>			<b>SEMIFINAL AND FINAL</b>		
PAGE 3 vs 4	Saturday, February 22	1 p.m.	SEMIFINAL	Sunday, February 23	11 a.m.
PAGE 1 vs 2	Saturday, February 22	6 p.m.	FINAL	Sunday, February 23	6 p.m.



# FOLLOW & CHEER FOR TEAM JACOBS

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DATE	DRAW	TIME	SHEET A	SHEET B	SHEET C	SHEET D
Friday, February 28	WC	7 p.m.		WILD-CARD GAME		
Saturday, February 29	1	2 p.m.	NT vs BC	ON vs CA	NL vs MB	QC vs NS
	2	7 p.m.	NO vs AB	NU vs PE	SK vs WC	YT vs NB
Sunday, March 1	3	9 a.m.	WC vs YT	SK vs NB	PE vs NO	NU vs AB
	4	2 p.m.	MB vs QC	NL vs NS	CA vs NT	ON vs BC
	5	7 p.m.	NB vs CA	YT vs ON	AB vs NL	NO vs MB
Monday, March 2	6	9 a.m.	NS vs PE	QC vs NU	BC vs SK	NT vs WC
	7	2 p.m.	SK vs NT	WC vs BC	NU vs NS	PE vs QC
	8	7 p.m.	NL vs NO	MB vs AB	ON vs NB	CA vs YT
Tuesday, March 3	9	9 a.m.	BC vs NB	NT vs YT	MB vs PE	NL vs NU
	10	2 p.m.	AB vs NS	NO vs QC	WC vs CA	SK vs ON
	11	7 p.m.	ON vs WC	CA vs SK	QC vs AB	NS vs NO
Wednesday, March 4	12	9 a.m.	NU vs MB	PE vs NL	YT vs BC	NB vs NT
	13	2 p.m.	QC vs NL	NS vs MB	NO vs NU	AB vs PE
	14	7 p.m.	YT vs SK	NB vs WC	NT vs ON	BC vs CA
Thursday, March 5	15	8:30 a.m.	TIEBREAKERS IF NECESSARY			
	16	1 p.m.	A4 vs B3	B1 vs A2	A1 vs B4	B2 vs A3
	17	7 p.m.	A3 vs B1	B3 vs A1	B2 vs A4	A2 vs B4
Friday, March 6	18	1 p.m.	A1 vs B2	B4 vs A3	B3 vs A2	B1 vs A4
	19	7 p.m.	B4 vs A4	A2 vs B2	B1 vs A1	A3 vs B3
Saturday, March 7	20	9 a.m.	TIEBREAKERS IF NECESSARY			



- POOL A**
- Ontario
  - Wild Card
  - Team Canada
  - Saskatchewan
  - British Columbia
  - New Brunswick
  - Yukon
  - Northwest Territories

- POOL B**
- Northern Ontario
  - Alberta
  - Newfoundland/Labrador
  - Manitoba
  - Nova Scotia
  - Quebec
  - Prince Edward Island
  - Nunavut

**PAGE PLAYOFFS**

PAGE 3 vs 4	Saturday, March 7	2 p.m.
PAGE 1 vs 2	Saturday, March 7	7 p.m.

**SEMIFINAL AND FINAL**

<b>SEMIFINAL</b>	Sunday, March 8	12 noon
<b>FINAL</b>	Sunday, March 8	7 p.m.

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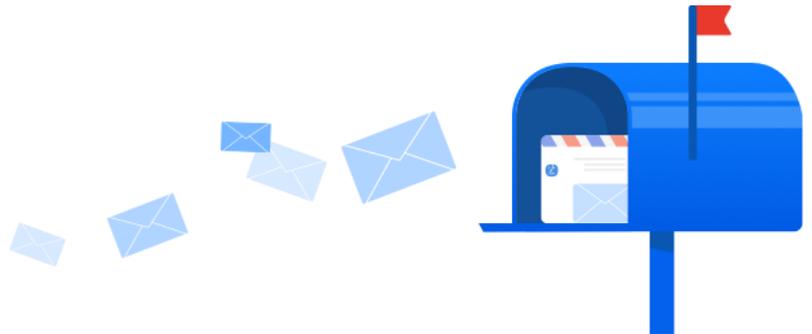


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