



Our House November 2023

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A Message from the President

Welcome to our new members who have joined through our first and second rookie leagues, including some who joined that league following a single session learn to curl. Many of our first rookie league participants are now curling in a regular league and we have a number of people in our first ever instructional league. As our membership grows, we realize that it is necessary to provide opportunities for new curlers to participate and build their skills. If you are new to curling, please don't hesitate to approach any of our more experienced members with questions or for guidance. We all love to share what we know and are excited when others discover this fabulous sport.

We hope many of you were able to visit the Brooms Up trailer on Nov. 30th. Next to practicing, probably the most important thing you can do to take your game to the next level is to invest in a pair of curling shoes. While our sliders work to allow you to make a slide delivery, you will find that a good pair of shoes will allow you to slide further and faster. Standing up with a slider attached to your foot does take some getting used to though. Of course, if you are a stick curler, this piece of advice does not apply but if you'd like to check out the other kinds of curling gear and equipment that are available, [check out this online supplier list on our website by clicking here.](#)

With the very successful inaugural Patriot Spiel and the Thanksgiving break (which included some ice and stone maintenance) behind us we look forward to a busy December and year end. We have received many compliments on our new events area, including from the City of Anderson inspector, and it is proving to be a great addition. I am thrilled that we have filled all 16 spots for our Friendly in Midland, Michigan and am hopeful that we can return with the Pearson Cup to place in our trophy case. We have a training session on the 16th with a world class curler (space still available) who will also be helping with our rookie league that day. And be on the lookout for some New Year's curling and partying opportunities.

Good Curling!

Jim Puckering



November 10th-12th

We wanted to thank all those that volunteered during the Patriot Spiel. An event of this magnitude would not have been possible without the help of all of you! Ice Crew, Bar Tenders, Event Volunteers, those who brought in food, and anything else I am forgetting... Thank You!

We have received some incredibly positive feedback regarding our ice, the facility, the food, and the friendliness of our members. Hoosier hospitality was evident this past weekend.

Congratulations to the winners of the A, B, and C events!



"A" Event Winners: Dan Bliven, Mark Swandby, David Dickinson, Mike Johnson



"B" Event Winners: Our very own Jordan Atherine, Andrew Sand, Keith Hammer, & Jeremy Caron



"C" Event Winners: Mike Fogus, Rob Knauer, Kevin Dolan, Steve Van Ness

Need some Christmas Gift or Stocking Stuffer Ideas?

Need some Christmas Gift or stocking stuffer ideas? Check out the merchandise we have for sale at the bar or items that can be ordered.

December Curling



Open draws will be available on Dec. 30th (10am and 1pm) as well as Dec. 31st (5:30pm and 9pm) [Click here to register](#)

Ladies, don't forget about Ladies' Night on Dec. 13th! [Click here to register](#)

Name Tags

Name tags for our new members should be arriving soon. If you need a new name tag, please send an email to Sharon at secretary@circlecitycurling.com.

Upcoming Events

- December 11th - Session 3 Registration Starts
- December 13th - Ladies' Night
- December 16th - Skills Clinic with Leah Yavarow (USCA Athlete Outreach)
- December 30th & 31st - Open draws

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