



# ST. VITAL CURLING CLUB OCTOBER 2002 NEWSLETTER PRESIDENT -- KEN STANLEY

## **Semi Annual Meeting Hi-Lites**

The semi-annual was held on Wednesday, September 25, 2002 in the club lounge with about 40 members present.

The annual financial report and individual portfolio reports were presented, old business was reviewed and new business was discussed.

*A change to the club bylaws (Section 3.03) as provided with meeting notification, permitting members of the MCA affiliated leagues to hold the position of a director for the club was approved. These leagues include the St. Vital Tuesday Night Ladies, the St. Vital Curlettes and St. Vital Business Girls.*

A light lunch and refreshments were served after the meeting.

## **Raffle Tickets**

By now, all of the Christmas Cash Raffle tickets have been distributed. The draw will be held on Friday, December 20<sup>th</sup>. The deadline for turning in the tickets is Thursday, December 12<sup>th</sup>. There will be an early bird draw (\$ 75.00 St. Vital Dollars) for individuals who turn in their books by November 15<sup>th</sup>. Sold books, complete with payment are to be returned to Brad Humphreys or dropped off at the bar.

Note: If you need more books, please contact Brad at 478-7282.

## **Daily Specials**

Laurel will have daily meal specials throughout the curling season. Specials for the entire week are posted on the main floor and in the lounge.

## **New Years Eve Party**

The New Years Eve Dinner and Dance will be held on Tuesday, December 31, 2002 in the club lounge. There will be a CASH BAR this year.

**Tickets: \$ 35.00 per person.**

**Cocktails: 6:30 PM**

**Dinner: 7:30 PM**

**Recorded Music by: One Man Band.**

For more information or to purchase tickets, contact Ralph Dooley (253-5924). Tickets will also be available at the bar.

Volunteers will be required to decorate the lounge and clean up after the function. Please contact Ralph if you are interested.

## **Attendance Draw**

All members of the men's curling league are eligible for an attendance draw. The "CAN" as it is called, is located in the lounge. A members name is drawn after curling Monday through Thursday. The member drawn will receive 100% of the proceeds IF signed in. To be eligible, you must place 25 cents in the can and sign your name in the book. Members are eligible for the draw on any of these nights, not just the nights curled.

## **New Director**

Congratulations and thanks to Larry Balak for stepping up and filling the vacant directors position. Larry will look after the Ice & Draw portfolio for the remainder of the year. Thanks again Larry.

### **Attention Smokers**

An ashtray has been put up just outside the front door. Please place your butts (cigarette butts that is) in the ashtray. Thanks for your cooperation.

### **Junior Zones**

Junior zones will be held at the club Thursday, November 28<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, December 1<sup>st</sup>. There will be 5:45 & 8:45 draws on both Thursday and Friday. Draws will be all day on Saturday and Sunday. The majority of regular curling games will not be held during that time. Please check your appropriate league boards or contact your league for more details.

Come out and watch some of the up and coming curlers. There is sure to be a lot of good games.

### **TIP OF THE BROOM**

A big thanks from Mike Hebert to all the parents to helped out with the Junior Clinic on September 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>.

### **Newsletter Information**

To have information placed in the newsletter, please contact Ralph Dooley by email: [r.j.dooley@shaw.ca](mailto:r.j.dooley@shaw.ca), phone (253-5924) or place in the mail slot at the club.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Halloween	October 31
Remembrance Day	November 11
Junior Zones	Nov 28 to Dec 1
Christmas Break	Dec 23 – Jan 1
Christmas Day	December 25
Boxing Day	December 26
Junior Bonspiel	Dec 27 - 29
New Years Eve Party	December 31
New Years Day Open House	January 1
MCA Calcutta	January 22
MCA Bonspiel	January 23 - 28

### **MCA / CCA News**

Bob Kirkland has now received this years CCA cards. Please contact Bob at 257-3294 to obtain your card.

The sign up sheet for the 2003 MCA Bonspiel will be posted at the club shortly. If you have any questions, please contact Bob Kirkland.

### **Loose Hairs**

A great big Monday Night welcome to Richard Muntain compliments of the Monday Night Gang. By the way, Richard is 0 – 2 at time of printing. He may be 0 – 3 when you read this.

Lorne Cox played his first Monday Night game on a sheet other than 6. He did however, return to familiar ice for his second game. With the cooler weather approaching, sheet 7 should be ready for Lorne in a couple of weeks.

There have already been some very interesting finishes and surprises. The ice has been fairly predicable and is very fast.

Rumour has it that there was a slight error made when the Past President's picture frames were replaced. Our sincere apologies to those who might have been offended.

### **Bank Board Curling**

The Ice Maker (Andrew) will be competing against the President (Ken) in the annual bank curling at the New Years Day Open House.

Early odds are 7 to 1 that Andrew will be successful again this year. Sorry Ken, he is just that good and he outweighs you too. Words of advice; "Consult with the last Past President to defeat the icemaker".

### **Ice Rentals**

Contact Gord @ 254-2121 for casual ice.



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