



THE NEWS – NOVEMBER 2009
ST. VITAL CURLING CLUB (stvitalcurling.ca)
ST. ANNES ROAD & REGAL AVENUE (256-3623)
PRESIDENT – ANNETTE GIGUERE



ST. VITAL CURLING CLUB MISSION STATEMENT

The St. Vital Curling Club is a family orientated facility proudly dedicated to promoting affordable recreational and competitive curling in a friendly traditional environment.

CLUB IMPROVEMENT NOTES

During the summer of 2009, the club took on 3 major projects including re-doing the Mural on the south wall, installing a computer video surveillance system for the club and parking lot and also installing new PVC windows throughout the club.

The approximate total cost of the above 3 projects was \$29,179.85. We received \$27,491.06 in grant & rebate money (\$14,500 from Community Incentive Grant, \$11,000 from Community Places Grant & \$1,991 Manitoba Hydro Rebate) for a total net cost to the club of \$1,982.37 and \$500.00 for the Mural from St. Vital Biz & Take Pride Winnipeg.

Many thanks to: Community Places, Community Incentive Grant Program (City Councillor Gord Steeves) and Manitoba Hydro for their Grants and rebates to help fund the installation of the Windows and Security System & to Kamrose Window & Door and Inland Audio who installed the new Security System and St. Vital Biz & Take Pride Winnipeg for all of their financial assistance in getting the Mural Restored.

The next big project is installing a dehumidifier in January with an approximate cost of \$30,000.

In April, we will be replacing the roof of the barn at an estimated cost of \$49,000. We currently have \$35,500 of grant money already in place for the roof - \$3,000 MCA Development Fund, \$16,000 from Manitoba Community Services Council (MCSC) & \$16,500 from the Western Economic Diversification Canada RiNC Program (MP Shelly Glover). The cost to the club is estimated at \$13,500.

VOLUNTEER CALL

SVCC will be hosting the Credit Union Masters Ladies Provincials which run from March 4-8, 2010. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Annette 231-1221, Angela 269-4631 or Elaine 257-8821.

RAFFLE TICKETS

Men's league members are to return sold books to Matt Jaques or drop them off at the bar. Rental Leagues should return their tickets directly to Matt.

Men's Leagues Early Bird Draw is November 26.

SAFeway/SOBEY'S GIFT CARDS

The St. Vital Curling Club is once again selling Safeway and Sobeys's gift cards. The cards are available in \$20 and \$50 denominations.

SVCC SURVEY UPDATE

Congratulations to Sherri McQuaker, our October winner of \$50 in SVCC Bar Bucks in the first of 6 monthly Survey draws. We are looking for input from our many curlers, so if you'd like to have a shot at winning some FREE BAR BUCKS and make your club experience even better... head to the bar, grab a survey, (or print one off the website) fill it out and hand it back in at the bar. It's quick and easy to do, and YOU CAN WIN FREE BAR BUCKS!

ROAR LOUD

Don't forget to tune in your TV's in December (6th - 13th) and cheer on Team Jennifer Jones at the Canadian Olympic Trials (Roar of the Rings) in Edmonton with hopes to continue to cheer her on at the 2010 Olympics in Vancouver (Feb. 16th to 26th).

CLUB WEBSITE (www.stvitalcurling.ca)

If you have any questions about the Website or you would like to have something posted on it, please contact Duane Budnick using the contact information below.

ROUND 1 WINNERS

Monday Night Mens

A Group	Team Kaneski	
B Group	Team Kushner	***
C Group	Team Moon	**
D Group	Team Soloway	***

Tuesday Night Mens

1 st Place	Team R. Nelson
2 nd Place	Team Gauthier Team Friesen

Wednesday Night Mens

A Group	Team Keeler	
B Group	Team Moon	
C Group	Team Fontaine	**
D Group	Team Cox	

Thursday Night Mens

A Group	Team Atkinson	
B Group	Team Mondor	
C Group	Team Penny	*
D Group	Team Pratchsler	

* Awarded by a 2-team tiebreaker.

** Awarded by a 3-team tiebreaker.

*** Awarded by a 4-team tiebreaker.

Friday Night Mixed

A Group	Team Hebert
B Group	Team Vandal
C Group	Team Dunbar
D Group	Team Knox

DOMINION CHAMPIONSHIPS

Due to time constraints set by the MCA due to ice availability at the Provincial event in Portage, the Winnipeg qualifier is scheduled to start March 22nd at the Wildewood C.C. This means the St. Vital C.C. will be sending our Men's Grand Aggregate Champion to represent us this year as our Club Championship will still be in progress at that time. The winner of this year's Club Championship will represent the club the following year as long as they are eligible as per the rules of the event, and that 3 of the 4 members of the team return the following season. The champions of the various women's leagues will have a play off scheduled before that date as required.

NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

To have information placed in the newsletter, contact Duane Budnick by email (thepirate@shaw.ca), by phone (231-2016) or leave it at the club. The newsletter will be posted on the Website.

2010 BDO CANADIAN OPEN

Quote your code is back!

The 2010 BDO Canadian Open will run from Jan. 20th to Jan. 24th, 2010 at the MTS Center. When purchasing your BDO tickets, remember to 'Quote your Code' and 10% of the purchase will be designated as a credit towards your curling club.

St. Vital's Code is: STVITL

TIP OF THE BROOM

To Annette Giguere for all of her hard work and preparation in pursuing the various Grant monies that the club has received for our Club Improvement projects. Annette spent a lot of hours filling out forms, tracking down info and talking to different levels of government. Her determination has saved the club a lot of money in completing these projects. The next time you see Annette, buy her a drink or at least give a big Thank You to her!

To Joel Marcon, Reg Speers, Randy Rummery and Eric Ouimet who recently scored an 8-ender at a bonspiel at the Granite Curling Club. Does this mean Eric's taking Joel Newbury's place? Congratulations guys!

