



Registration 2013 - 2014

Dear Member,

The Mount Bruno Curling Club regularly experiences an increase of 30 - 40 members per year, but loses an equal number by attrition each year. Since the Club wishes to operate with a full compliment of members, and because of budget operation expenses, the directors have decided to maintain the compulsory registration for members for the 2013–2014 curling season. Furthermore, we encourage you to register a new member or two to help reach a goal of 250 members, and play an active role in bringing in a group to rent our facilities, thus enabling us to maintain reasonable registration fees.

The management of league registration has become more and more complex. We must provide volunteer members responsible for the management of registrations with the tools required to facilitate their work and maintain adequate quality services for members. In order to meet this objective, we request that members respect these policies.

Please note that all curling club members of 2012–2013 must use the registration procedure.

Registration is the only way available to insure a place in night or day league curling in 2013–2014.

After April 13th, 2013 and the organization of registrations, the applications of individuals wishing to become new members will be considered. The official results will be announced during the annual shareholders meeting of June 11th, 2013. Presently, no changes are expected to the schedules of night leagues. However, the games for seniors and activities for juniors may be subject to changes if the needs of the club so dictate.

The registration procedure is subject to the policy relating to the number of leagues in which a member can join. This policy of <<2+1>> allows a member to choose to register in two night leagues only. A third choice will be granted if the member registers for the development league on Saturday morning (Crystals' League) or if places are available in the night league of their third choice.

Our objective is to increase our membership up to its full capacity. This is why even if several individuals have expressed an interest in becoming members for 2013–2014, we ask you to provide us with the names of persons wishing to become a member, so they can be added to the priority list. **To help meet our goal, we encourage members to recruit new members, and a \$25 coupon will be awarded in the fall to the member to be used at the bar for each new member registered.**

REGISTRATION PROCEDURES FOR REGULAR MEMBERS SEASON 2013-2014

- All members must complete the registration form on the computer at the club.
- The period for registration is from March 14th to April 13th 2013.
- Volunteers will be on hand to assist you to complete the form.
- **A cheque for \$75.00 dated May 1, 2013 or \$75 in cash and another cheque of the balance of your membership fee category post dated no later than October 1, 2013 is required to validate your registration. For those members that will be playing only once a week during the 2013-14 season, a credit of \$40 before taxes will be applied for the 2014-15 curling season. It will be the members responsibility to inform the executive that they curled only once a week.**

PROCEDURES OF REGISTRATION OF NEW MEMBERS FOR 2013-2014

- Complete the registration form.
- Give the completed form to a member of the Executive Committee or at the bar.
- Attach to the form a \$75 cheque or \$75 in cash in an envelope. For further information the on fees, please refer to our website.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- The number of places in each league is limited.
- For each league, priority will be given to members who played in that league the previous year.
- Only duly completed forms accompanied by a cheque or cash will be considered.
- **Cheques are to made out in the order of <<Mount Bruno Curling Club>> and will be cashed the first week of May 2013.**

REIMBURSEMENT

- Reimbursement will only be given in exceptional circumstances like moving, illness, injury or any other important reason.

PRODUCTS OFFERED – LEAGUES

- Our registration policies and league structures are made to respond to the needs of the Mount Bruno Curling Club membership by offering quality curling to members' skill level and availability.

LEAGUES (NIGHT)

- Accessible to members who have paid their dues.
- Teams can consider the possibility of a 5th player on a team (must be a member).
- Replacement of players is managed by the person responsible for the league.
- All games are 8 ends starting at 6:50 p.m. & 9:00 p.m.
- The format of the playoffs is organized by the league director and executive director of leagues.
- Juniors who wish to play in night leagues must be registered as student members and be 18 years of age as of December 31, 2013. They must be 16 years of age and over as of December 31, 2013 to play on the same team with at least one of their parents or an older brother or sister. Two exceptions will be made for competition teams who play in a league as a team.
- **There is a possibility that non-members can give their names as replacements in night leagues providing they pay \$17 per game which will be given to the skip.**

A) League Seigneurial

- a. 24 teams maximum
- b. No byes
- c. Monday night 6:50 pm and 9:00 pm for divisions A & B
- d. Wednesday night 6:50 pm and 9:00 pm for divisions C & D

B) League Montarville

- a. 15 teams maximum
- b. Possibility of a bye
- c. Tuesday night at 6:50 pm & 9:00 pm

C) League Beaumont

- a. 15 teams maximum
- b. Possibility of a bye
- c. Thursday night at 6:50 pm & 9:00 pm

D) League Oakwood (mixed – 2 men 2 women alternating)

- a. 15 teams maximum
- b. Possibility of a bye
- c. Friday night at 6:50 pm & 9:00 pm

LEAGUES (DAY)

E) League Clairevue and League Rabastalière

- a. League Rabastalière is on Monday morning at 8:50 am & 11:00 am.
- b. League Clairevue is on Wednesday morning at 8:50 am & 11:00 am.
- c. Possibility of byes or games scheduled another day of the week
- d. Those interested in competing in the Interclub League on Fridays and the Masters League on Thursdays must register. The number of registrations will determine the number of Fridays or Thursdays a member will play.

Developmental Leagues

F) League Juniors

- a. Times for practicing and playing will be determined by a committee created for this purpose.
- b. Most activities will occur on Sunday mornings.

G) League Crystal

- a. This is an entry league for people interested in becoming members of the club.
- b. Open to members at a \$5 cost and at \$17.00 per game for non-members which includes the cost of the crystal glasses.
- c. A schedule will be made for the year according to the calendar of events of the club.
- d. Participants pay on a per-game basis to the director of the league.
- e. Six team maximum and no byes.
- f. Saturday at 10:00 am to 12:00 am with games of 8 ends.
- g. Instructional time will be provided for new curlers, especially at the beginning of the year with practice times scheduled according to demand.