

The Club



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Dates to Remember

**Welcome to our
Rental Clients for Oc-
tober**

Remax Realty

MacTools Distributors

**Maple Ridge/Pitt Mead-
ows Sport Council**

**Harry Hooge Elementary
and Westview Secondary
schools**

Weight Watchers

Origami Rythmics/

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October 17 - Maple Ridge/Pitt Meadows Sport Council Summit held at GEWC.

October 27-28, 2009 MacTools Distributors Mini Trade Show in the Lower Lobby at GEWC.

GEWC sends it's Good Luck wishes to Team Hannah competing at the Vernon Twin Anchors Cash Spiel Oct 1-4, 2009 (\$36,000 in prize money) and to Team Kedziora competing at the West Coast Classic in Royal City Oct 8 - 12, 2009 (\$60,000 in prize money).

Good Luck!

Nov 6-8, Men's Bonspiel see www.gewc.ca for details

Curling Season is HERE!

Registration is almost completed:

1. If you are one of the few left to register and pay your fees, please do so this week.
2. The Roster will be available approximately 2 weeks after the last registration is received.

THANKS

Welcome to our New Recreational Curlers

Two Recreational leagues are scheduled Saturday mornings for Adults 19+ and Saturday evenings for Families.

Session 2 November 14, 21, and 28

Session 3 January 16, 23, and 30

Session 4 February 13, 20, and 27

See Details in the Fall Parks and Leisure Guide and on our website at www.gewc.ca.

Thank You!

Your Board of Directors

Your Board of Directors is made up from members just like you. Individual Directors volunteer countless hours in a combined effort to build a better club for everyone to enjoy. If you have any thoughts or suggestions, please forward them to the attention of the Board of Directors: Golden Ears Winter Club.

Staff

- Lynne Jambor - General Manager
- Don Huber - Head Ice Technician
- Rick Jarrett - Assistant Ice Technician
- Pauline Jarrett - Book-keeper
- Nicole Huber - Custodian

- President..... Linda Winterhoff
- Secretary..... Diane Stadel
- Treasurer Jeff Cawker
- Director: Maintenance Volunteer Coordinator..... Jack Stadel
- Director: Advertizing Revenue..... Bob Terepocki
- Director: Advertizing Revenue..... Diane Dezura
- Director: Youth Curling Centre/Masters Liaison Bob MacKay
- Director: Membership Committee Brian Williams
- Director: Social Events Volunteer Coordinator..... Heather Brown
- Director: League Coordinator Liaison Tim McCulloch

Minutes from the Board of Director meetings are available.

The Youth Curling Centre Group includes the School Program and Junior Program. The School Program is looking for a coordinator. *Thanks to Diane Stadel who continues to support the School Program until a Coordinator can be found!*

Our Challenge remains finding coaches and instructors. If you interested in helping instruct children in these two programs, please consider

1. Cub Novice Instruction workshop Sept 11, 2009
2. Club Coach Workshop Oct 3-4, 2009 led by Curl BC Provincial Learning Facilitators Lynne Jambor and Lynne Noble.

League Coordinators

A League Coordinator's job can be both challenging and rewarding. Your League Coordinators are working on your behalf; so be sure to communicate with them and assist them whenever possible. Thank You! Are you looking for help with your Draws - Contact Ron Laxdal GEWC's Draw Resource Person

- Derek Seaton - Monday Open
- Tim McCulloch-Tuesday Night
- Deb Sahanovitch- Wednesday Night
- JJanet Vanier- Thursday Mixed
- Lisa Speers - Friday Night Mixed
- Gwen Degenhart- Sunday Night Mixed
- Bob Mackay - Haney Masters
- Cheryl Pipke, Laura Stadnik, Rima Rea- Junior Coordinators
- Donna Romanchuk - Tuesday AM
- Sammy Nelligan- Thursday PM Mixed
- Bruce Alway and Bruce Sims- Sunday AM and last but not least
- Kelly Brack- Special O's

Junior Curling Parent Night - September 30, 2009

Welcome all parents to Junior Curling. This year Laura Stadnik (Ben's mom) and Rima Rea (Kodie's mom) are Co-coordinators for the Junior Program. We are happy to keep the junior program going by volunteering our time organizing this group – please note that neither of us has a background in curling but along with a lot of help from the Golden Ears Winter Club (GEWC) member volunteers and club manager, Lynne Jambor we expect to have a fun season! There is a real interest by the GEWC to see our Junior Program grow and be a success and we hope that all the parents will feel the same and help us as we start developing the Youth Curling Center.

This year we are being assisted on-ice by several volunteers (some whom have no children in the program) dedicated to see the sport grow. If you see one of our helpers in the Yellow Coaches Vest, be sure to thank them for their time with our children, without them we wouldn't have a program!

Our key to this season is creating a fun, safe, learning environment for our children to enjoy the sport of curling.

Expectations

Every practice (Monday) and game day (Wednesday): sign-in and put on name tag.

Rules of play and Etiquette found on page 60 of Curl BC handbook – grab a copy. Also available is the Let's Rock book – a guide to curling.

Celebrations

We have three major celebrations for the year...

Christmas Party, Jr. Open Bonspiel in February and the Wind-up Party in March.

Bonspiels

Posted on the bulletin board are all the Junior Bonspiels happening locally this curling season. If you want to enter a team into an event, please see Ed Collinson, our Junior Bonspiel Coordinator, he can help you make arrangements.

Volunteering

Thank you to all the parents/grandparents who have now stepped up to take on the following positions...

Concession: Mondays- Sandra (we could use another person to help)
Wednesday – Barbara and Tiffany

Game Day Score-collecting: Pam/Bev

Skills Testing (January/February): Brent/Dawn (we may need some more help here)

GEWC Jr. Bonspiel (February): Bill (we will need some more help here)

Special Events Planning & Organizing: Rima, Laura, Cheryl

Special Events help: Jeremy (we will be asking for more specific help as we get closer to event time)

Please note that these positions can be shared – even if you can only help once a month that would lessen the load for that day.

We want the juniors to have fun and learn the sport of curling... if you have any concerns, please feel free to talk to us – or send us an email. If you have ideas or suggestions we will be happy to hear them too. Let's keep talking and together we can make this a very fun and successful season!

Regards,

Laura Stadnik, Rima Rae

Co-coordinators, Junior Curling, GEWC

Volunteers are needed for the following positions: You can expect a detailed task list and an estimate of the time required.

Men's Bonspiel Nov 6-8, 2009 - *Thank You Grant Dezura for agreeing to Chair this event*

Coastal Senior Men's Back Door Playdowns - January 8-10, 2010 _____

Mixed Open Bonspiel - March 5 -7, 2010 - *Thank You Linda Winterhoff for agreeing to Chair this bonspiel*

Region 11 Men's Championship March 25-28, 2010 _____ and

Tosh Nagai Spiel - March 29, 2010 _____

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We look forward to
seeing you at...

*The Extra
End*

*The Search is on
for a 'Signature
Drink'*

*Clean Sweep is
back!*

We're on the Web... www.gewc.ca

Club and Lounge Rentals



Transformation of upstairs lounge—
decorated for a wedding.

Are you or someone you know planning to host a wedding, anniversary, meeting or other celebration?

Why not book our Club facilities? Our beautiful upstairs lounge now with our own bar service and no restrictions on food catering would be perfect. The new improved lighting is great for meetings and conferences, strata general meetings, and community workshops.

Lots of parking and the outside veranda make it the perfect place for any gathering. Call the Club office at 604-463-4813 for further details.