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NEWS FROM THE GOLDEN EARS WINTER CLUB

March 2010

Spruce Up the Extra End!

In an effort to give some atmosphere to our 'Extra End' lounge, we are looking for your old curling equipment to put on display: corn brooms, sweaters, trophies, photos, shoes, rocks, patches; anything that will add to the ambience. Discreetly put your name on the item (so you can have it back if you want it) and leave with Lynne in the office). For more information contact Bill 604.805.9603 or Lindsay 604.218.9714.

Strong Volunteers Needed

The ice comes out on March 29th. We are looking for strong volunteers to help on Monday March 29th to remove the scoreboards and pull up the carpet among other things. Many hands mean that this will only take a half day. Contact Don Huber at 604.463.4813 or don-huber@shaw.ca.

Upcoming Events

Annual General Meeting date Saturday May 15, 2010. Watch the website www.gewc.ca and e-mails for more details

Wind Up Party —
March 28



Fran King's team had an Olympic moment when they met Cheryl Bernard's team at the Royal City Curling Club prior to the Olympics.

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News From the Juniors



Thank you to everyone who helped make this year's Olympic themed Junior Bonspiel a success! We appreciate all the people who took the time to volunteer on the many tasks to put this event together. A big thank you goes to...

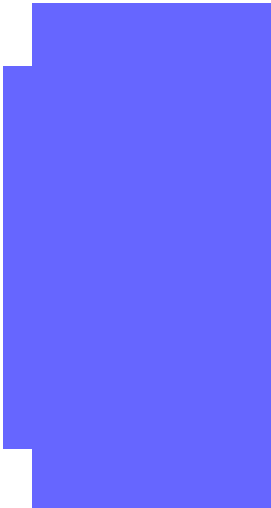
- Rick and Don, our ice technicians for pebbling and keeping the ice clean and for Rick's help fixing toilets, taking out garbage, sorting recycling bin.
- Our concession helpers – Allyson; Cheryl; Les; Randy and Patti; John and Adam's grandparents; Cara
- Our M/C and Club Manager-for-the-day – Bob M.
- Lynne who facilitated our requests (even in her absence).
- Bob M. and Ed for refereeing, resolving on-ice issues and the timing of

our games.

- Carol and Bill for their excellent scorekeeping.
- Cheryl for the fantastic Olympic themed goody bags.
- Ruth for arranging and bringing doughnuts for our curlers and coaches.
- Pam for running to the bank.
- Our "Kids-for-the-Day" Novice Curlers – Allyson, Mickey, Cameron, Wayne, Bob A., Bill and Randy.
- Carol and Scott for making all our flags and table centerpieces.
- Carol and Tina for skewering and cutting up fruit.
- Ruth and Cheryl for arranging the successful raffle of the Olympic Mascot Set.
- Our awesome banquet set-up crew - Tracey & Jim, Carol, Marty, Ruth, Pam &

Ken, Darlene & Jeff for their strength in bringing up tables and chairs, decorating skills and food set-up and prep.

- Diane Dezura for attending, giving such an inspiring speech to our Juniors and presenting the award medals to our winning teams.
- Our banquet clean-up crew and table/chair movers – Pam & Ken, Darlene & Jeff, Ruth, Carol, Warren, Bob M.
- Ruth for taking all the utensils and bins back to Jim's Pizza.
- Darlene and Jeff for taking the extra food to the Caring Place where it was well received.
- Rima and Laura for their organizational prowess.



Hard Time Bonspiel a Success!

The winner in the A event was the Jay Wakefield team (Maple Ridge Curling Club). The winner in the B event was the Lyle Sieg team (San Francisco Bay Curling Club). Deb Sahano-vitch from our club played lead for Lyle's team. The

winner of the C event was the Brady Clark team (Seattle Curling Club)