

## Welcome to Junior Curling at the Nanaimo Curling Club 2009/2010

Juniors curl Mondays and Thursdays 3:45 - 5:30 PM with the exception of School District 68 Elementary Pro D days, statutory holidays and Christmas and spring breaks.

**Vouchers:** As part of the registration fee, you will receive a \$70.00 Voucher for the NCC Pro shop; it is our intention that the voucher be used to purchase curling shoes if the curler does not already have a pair. All NCC Junior curlers are required to wear curling shoes. These Vouchers may also be used for league fees within the club or other items in the Pro Shop. **Vouchers have an expiry date and must be redeemed by January 31<sup>st</sup> of the season received.**

**Club Jackets:** Will be available for purchase in October. The Cost of the jackets is split between the curler and the Jr. Program. The cost per curler is approximately \$30.00-40.00.

**Bonspiels:** The first weekend in November is the NCC Junior Bonspiel. Lunch is provided on the Saturday. There are both Competitive and Novice events. Even if you decide not to curl, it is a great opportunity to come and watch your fellow curlers and see how much fun Bonspiels can be.

Throughout the season there are a number of Bonspiels held at various clubs on the Island. We try and get as many teams together as possible for these events. Entry fees range from \$10.00-15.00 per curler and parents will need to provide transportation to the events.

There will be signup sheets posted on the Junior Board for Bonspiels; please check the board regularly and sign up as soon as possible

**Badge Testing:** In March there is Badge/Skill testing. Although this is not required, we encourage all Juniors to take part. If you have any questions please speak with Ron Kaneen or Bob Franklin.

Finally if you will be absent from Juniors please call the Curling Club at 250-753-3474 and leave a message for the Junior Coordinators; this will assist us in making up the teams.

Junior Curling Dates to Remember	Junior Bonspiels
October 5 <sup>th</sup> First day of curling	November 7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> Nanaimo November 7 <sup>th</sup> Kerry Park
November 26 <sup>th</sup> No Curling	December 5 <sup>th</sup> Qualicum Beach
December 17 <sup>th</sup> Christmas Party	December 12 <sup>th</sup> Victoria
January 25 <sup>th</sup> and 28 <sup>th</sup> No Curling	January 30 <sup>th</sup> Campbell River January 30 <sup>th</sup> Duncan
February 22 <sup>nd</sup> No Curling	February 13 <sup>th</sup> & 14 <sup>th</sup> Juan de Fuca
March 1 <sup>st</sup> Wind Up Party	February 27 <sup>th</sup> Family - Nanaimo
March 8 <sup>th</sup> Last day of regular season.	March 6 <sup>th</sup> Esquimalt
March 15 <sup>th</sup> , 18 <sup>th</sup> , 22, & 25 <sup>th</sup> Badge Testing	