

ARNPRIOR CURLING CLUB

Dear Members,

It has been a wonderful summer with glorious weather and some scorching temperatures, but it is that time of the year where we start to see the fall colours and there is a chill in the air. Our 2019/2020 season is fast approaching with Registration night on September 19, 2019

The Board of Directors have been actively putting the pieces together for another successful and enjoyable season. As many of you noticed last year, we had some water issues in the front Lobby. We have carpeted the lobby and the stairs leading to our upstairs hall. It really has made a difference in the appearance of our entryway. We are still in discussions on when the Patch will be redone but we will keep you all informed. We have also had a new garage door installed in the ice shed to facilitate an easier transition for our ice team to prepare for this coming season. I want to thank our Day Curlers for providing a sizeable donation for this project. It is greatly appreciated. Mike Reid is in the process of purchasing new cash registers for the club as our older models are slowing down and need to be replaced. This project should be completed before we begin our season.

Our Social Committee will be chaired by Mike Imbeau this year. He has returned on the Board this year after taking some time off to take care of some health issues. The committee have come up with a great calendar of events for this year. They have made some changes to some events that were getting a little long in the tooth. Once the calendar is available, we shall post it on our website and on our social networks.

We will be introducing a **NEW DOUBLES LEAGUE** this year and it will be played on Sunday's.

We continue to rent out the hall and Patch for a variety of events, including wedding receptions, stag and does, and Christmas parties. We have established a lower Hall rate for companies and individuals who are looking for a space for meetings or training sessions, as well as small celebrations like showers or anniversaries that do not require bar services. We also have more affordable rates for non-profit organizations. Finally, we want club members to know that should they book an event with us, they would receive a 25% discount on the rate.

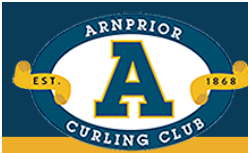
Adult Membership fees have been slightly increased this year by \$10. All other programs have remained frozen.

Electronic registration will again be in place this year. Please visit our web page and follow the links. I have copied the instructions in this newsletter.

What You Need to Know:

We're moving exclusively to electronic registration forms.

Electronic form completion guarantees the fastest processing of your registration!



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Visit <http://www.arnprior.ovca.com/ACC/membership.html>

COMPLETE REGISTRATION FORM and review the **INFORMATION PACKAGE**.

Download the website registration form to your computer.

Then open in Adobe Reader....otherwise finance formatting will not work!

SEND COMPLETED FORM by clicking **SUBMIT** button ta bottom of page 2.

Completed form will be sent to ACC email and a copy to sent email file on your computer.

In addition you may opt to save registration form to another file in your computer.

No print copies of registration required to be brought to the club.

If you leave one of the following MANDATORY FIELDS empty you will not be able to SUBMIT your form:

- Section A: Personal Info: name, address, phone (cell or landline or both), email, Smart Serve choose yes/no
- Section B – F: Membership. Pick one.
- Section H: Volunteering. Choose agree / disagree
- Section I: Payment. Pick a method.
- Section J: League. Pick one. Indicate preferred position. Identify skip if it is a fixed team.
- Section K: Sparring. Choose available / not available
- Section L: Communication by email. Choose agree / disagree
- Section M: Form completion. READ & TICK all 3 boxes.
- **These are OPTIONAL fields:**
- Section G: deferred payment, locker, name tags.
- Section H: Discounts
- Section L: Social media

CCA WAIVERS: Print & sign at home or at club.

PAYMENT: Choose from cash, debit, cheque, and deferred cheques, Visa or MasterCard. Only cheques accepted by mail.

Sincerely,

Joe Ferrari
President
Arnprior Curling Club