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November 2004

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## YOUTH COACHING DAY ...



*... a first for the LCC*

Twenty-two enthusiastic LCC volunteers who help out with our youth curling programs had a chance to learn some great teaching techniques during the club's first Community Coaching Program held on Sunday, October 17<sup>th</sup>. It was only the third such program that Curl Ontario has sponsored in the province, and instructors Donna Cooper, Wendy Morgan and Jen Bolton (pictured above) claim that it was by far the most successful. The purpose of the program is to provide skills to individuals other than certified coaches (in our case, parents and juniors) who are involved in Little Rock, Bantam and Junior curling programs to help them to better teach the game of curling to young people. General consensus from the LCC participants at the end of the day was "44 thumbs up"!

Our youth coaches Dave Dreher, Rick Battson and Sue Beckett extend their sincere thanks to the club, to former Junior Coach Jayne Broughton for organizing this event, and to Garry Thompson and the Men's Sinners Group whose large financial contribution helped to make this venture possible. Garry and the Sinners have observed the LCC's youth curling programs and recognize the importance of supporting this group. Jayne encourages everyone to have a look at the photos of the training event which are on display near the Seniors' desk in the lounge. (For more youth curling news, please see page 5).

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## HELP!! Rock Talk needs YOU!!

Rock Talk provides a great opportunity for you to share stories and news of your curling successes, promotions and fundraising ventures with other LCC members. Please let us know what you're up to! And as a follow-up to Connie Weir's excellent "history lessons" from last season, we'll help you relive significant events from LCC's past through a new feature called "LOOKING BACK". We welcome any photos and/or press clippings from the past that you think would interest our readers. All originals will be returned. You'll find Rock Talk contact information on page 8.

## CLUB REPORT

### Thames Valley Trillium Tour

On October 5, 2004 The Ontario Trillium Foundation held its first annual tour of those organizations in London that have benefited from grants. The London Curling Club was the venue for the Lunch for all members of the tour. Entertainment was provided by the Sweet Adelines. Alec Curtis provided some background on our club describing our 157 year history, the breadth of age of our membership and the many fund raising bonspiels for such causes as Cancer Research and Organ Donor Research held at the club. Dave Shaw made a presentation describing the improvements to the club in which the Trillium grants totaling \$79,000 were instrumental.

### Curl for the Cure 2004

Unique circumstances which were not considered in our rental procedures will result in the 8th Annual Curl for the Cure Women's Charity Bonspiel, hosted by the Women of the London Curling Club, being held at the St. Thomas Curling Club on November 20, 2004. A corrective action plan has been put into place to eliminate the risk of repeating this situation.

We sincerely regret the inconvenience that has been created for the Curl for the Cure organizing committee and participants and we wish them continued success with this very important fund raiser. Many thanks to the St. Thomas Curling Club for accommodating this bonspiel on very short notice.

### Ice Rentals

Ice rentals are an important part of the revenue generated at the London Curling Club. The Nor'west Curling League, which has been with us for 5 years, has gradually reduced in participation and was unable to enlist sufficient players for the 2004/05 season. Daily rentals seem to be holding their own at this time, but we do have available ice and we would encourage all members to recommend our club as an excellent venue for any curling events. The cost per player is \$7.50 per game, we have rental sliders (\$1.00) and club brushes. Our only requests are that renters wash the soles of shoes that they plan to use on the ice, clean the bottoms of their street shoes when entering and that they respect our club.

### Club Management

Commencing mid-November, the management of our club will revert to the Interim Managers. All members who are willing to fulfill this important role in the club are asked to contact Alec Curtis at the club so they can be added to the Interim Manager Roster. A meeting will be held with all who can attend to discuss the duration of assignments and to answer all pertinent questions.

Alec Curtis

## KEEP THE LCC "ROCKING" !!



Thanks to the generous contributions and efforts of a large number of members, your London Curling Club has been greatly enhanced in the last two years. With the **new ice-making plant**, we now have the best ice in the city area; the **parking lot** has been paved; and the outside building looks like the most **up-scale private club**. You should be proud of these improvements! The capital campaign has raised over \$80,000, and various league functions have raised close to \$10,000 in each of the last few years.

BUT, we still have a lot to do! The debt on the ice plant (over \$100,000) still needs to be paid off, and a number of capital projects are important for the long-term health of the club (for example, a **new roof, insulation** of the north and west walls of the club, and **new locker room facilities**). We must push forward with fund-raising!

Your fund-raising committee has decided that a new capital campaign is not warranted this year. But, we need to raise at least **\$15,000 each year** for the next few years to enable the debt to be erased and one or more of the above capital projects to be implemented.

SO, we are asking the leagues to help fundraise again this year. We want each league to raise at least \$1,500. Please consider the following types of fund-raising: social bonspiels, closest-to-the-button competitions, raffles, sales, auctions, card and casino nights to name a few. To help co-ordinate all fund-raising activities, we would like each convenor to appoint one of their curlers to the fundraising committee.

I will be in contact with the league convenors.

**Mike Bancroft,**  
**Chair, Fundraising Committee**



## "Arnie"

All great newspapers are forced to apologize for errors every once in a while. Rock Talk is no exception. In the first edition of the season, RT made the critical mistake of referring to our Board Vice President as "Ernie" (as in "Els" and "Bert-and") instead of "Arnie" (as in "Palmer" and "Schwarzenegger").

So Arnie, **not Ernie**, Easter -- Rock Talk is sorry and will be sure not to make that mistake again!





## Curl for the Cure

The 8th Annual "Curl for the Cure" Women's Charity Bonspiel will be held on Saturday, November 20, 2004. As a result of a very unfortunate situation in which the London Curling Club was double-booked for that date, **this event will be held at the St. Thomas Curling Club**, located at 38 Parkside Drive in St. Thomas. Proceeds from Entry Fees, Pledges, Silent Auction and Corporate Contributions will be donated to the Breast Cancer Society of Canada to support education, research and programs in London. Proceeds from the Raffle will be donated to Wellspring, a Cancer Support Centre in London in memory of Kit Benson. \$160,880 has been raised at this event since it began in 1997, \$28,500 of which was raised last year. Our fund raising goal for this year is \$30,000! The bonspiel will include two 8-end games, breakfast, lunch and snack foods. All participants will receive a prize and gift bag. Incentive prizes will be provided to participants who obtain a minimum of \$150 in pledges. Registration packages and pledge forms are available in the Women's Locker Room. Corporate sponsorship and/or contributions and donations for our Silent Auction, Raffle, Prize Table and Participant Gift Bags are still required and would be greatly appreciated. We sincerely apologize for any inconvenience caused to the participants as a result of the location change and hope that members of the London Curling Club will not be discouraged from dropping by to visit us in St. Thomas on that date.

PLEASE SUPPORT THIS VERY WORTHWHILE CAUSE, WHICH TOUCHES THE LIVES OF MANY PEOPLE EACH YEAR AND JOIN US IN THE FIGHT TO END BREAST CANCER.

Pam Harrison, Bonspiel Co-Ordinator (686-2559)

### COMING SOON:

### A NEW LCC PROMOTIONAL BROCHURE

Guiti Massoumi and her Member Service Committee are putting together a new brochure which will help us to promote the club to London and beyond.

She would like to thank everyone who contributed to this project through their ideas and suggestions, especially Connie Weir, Joanne Laws and Pat Bell who spent time editing the text.

### On the rocks

Bartender John has brought in a supply of **rental sliders**, which are available to you for just a dollar for an evening's use ... you can pick one up at the bar.

Thanks John!!!

### Attention

### MIXED CURLERS:

If you curl in the Friday evening mixed league, you're in for a treat! Under the Volcano, a new advertiser (see ad below), will be treating Friday night curlers to snacks after the 7 o'clock draw for the next three weeks. Please give Dagmar and her "Volcano" team an enthusiastic welcome to the LCC!

Don Agnew

### COLLECTORS WANTED!

A collection of curling memorabilia (some with the LCC logo) in the form of glasses, mugs, and bowls is available to some lucky collector.

Please give Jean a call for details at 660-4299.

### Poinsettias for Sale!!



Two sizes available  
in a variety of colours

6" pot (1 plant) \$10.00

8" pot (3 plants) \$20.00



Order deadline is November 12

Pickup Friday December 3 and Saturday December 4

Please place your orders in the box marked "Poinsettias" in the office,

or give them to Marlene Benny or Pat Bell

Extra order sheets available in the women's change room

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Sorry, not valid on Saturday evenings after 5 p.m. With coupon only. Not with other coupons or promotions.

## Vince O'Donovan 1936 – 2004

The Club lost a former member, President (1986/87) and its Lawyer on October 28th with the death of Vince O'Donovan. For those members of long standing, Vince will be remembered for playing lead for years on a rink composed of the Dalton's (Chuck and Larry) and Judge Baker. "Vinnie" was the character on a team that was fun to curl against. Before that he curled with Wilbur Good, Ian Schofield and me for at least a couple of years. Vince was the spark of humour offsetting Wilbur's constant concern that whatever we did, we had just "sold the farm".

Vince was a partner in the law firm Brown Beattie O'Donovan. He was the expert on all Club property and organization issues. Last year when we struggled to arrange financing with TD Canada Trust for the new building and ice-plant, we turned to Vince for assistance. The matter was resolved without further ado. But perhaps this is the best part: although Vince had not been a member for a number of years, he never sent the Club a bill for his services.

Vince was a great friend to the Club and to those of us who knew him.

Dave Shaw

## 2004 CASHSPIEL & PRO-AM



Once again the Southwest Ontario Women's Charity Cashspiel was very successful in raising a large amount to support the care and cure of breast cancer. The Spiel was enlarged this year to host 40 teams which included rinks from Quebec, PEI, NS, USA, Germany, and from all over Ontario.

There were many exciting games some featuring familiar names like Marilyn Bodogh (Honorary Bonspiel Chairperson), Sherry Middaugh, Allison Goring and Ann Merklinger. The final game of the spiel, between Sherry Middaugh and Janet McGhee, was won by Sherry's team for a prize of \$11,000 with Janet's team winning the second-place prize of \$7,000.

The Pro Am Tournament, held at St Thomas Curling Club, successfully raised close to \$9,000. The final total amount to be donated from the Cashspiel, the Pro Am, and the Silent Auction has not yet been calculated but is hoped to be close to last year's total of \$18,000.

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, I extend sincere thanks to LCC members for their support of this worthy cause. I especially want to mention those whose assistance as volunteers helped to make the spiel successful. Thanks go to Marnie Sherritt, Mary Lou Dickinson, Mary Shorten, Audrey Robertson, Pat Chater, Mo Cloghesy, Lil Richardson and Jean Walmsley for recording scores; to Jean Glendenning and Joan Cuthbert for driving out-of-town teams; and to LCC Committee Members Joan Easter, Arnie Easter and Sharon Sivak.

Fay Weiler

2004 Organizing Committee Member

## SHOPPING SUGGESTIONS

from your

## PRO SHOPPE!!

### Why not consider wearing some of our London Curling Club clothing?

Due to space limitations, our clothing line is a well-kept secret! But, surprisingly, we have a complete assortment of **Grandstand Jackets, Warm-up Jackets, Long Sleeve Mock Shirts, Collegiate Sweaters**, and different styles of **Sweater Vests**, all embroidered with our Club logo. And to round out the line, we stock **Curling Pants** in different styles and sizes to complement the rest of your ensemble.

Ask your sales representative to show you our complete line of clothing. You'll be glad you did!

As well, throughout our Club we have many teams curling in the various leagues. How about uniform Clothing for your team? Great for wearing at the Club or when representing the London Curling Club at bonspiels. We offer a **10% team discount** on clothing items for four or more of an item.



Remember, Christmas is right around the corner. Like last year, we will have many of our items on display for your selection. We're sure you'll find something from the Pro Shoppe for yourself or that special person. **Do yourself a favour and YOUR Curling Club as well.**

Bob Davis



## HEARTS "SMARTS"

Marg Sirna

In a telephone conversation with Peter Inch, Chair of Host Committee, I had the opportunity to hear him talk about the upcoming planning for 2006. He was very gracious and willing to talk about The Event (more so than about himself).

As reported in October 2004 Rock Talk, Peter has been elected by the Organizing Committee as Chair of the Host Committee of the 2006 Tournament of Hearts. You can feel his enthusiasm and energy as you listen to Peter talk about curling, a subject about which he appears very passionate. Excitement and anticipation are definitely in the air!



Peter Inch is a business man as well as an avid curler and curling advocate who curls out of St. Thomas Curling Club, his home club. A long time curler, he has curled for 29 years, 25 of them in which he was involved in competitive curling. He is presently curling socially at his own club, while giving much of his time to the promotion of curling in the area.

In 2002 he chaired the Canadian Seniors in St. Thomas and in December 2003 he was Vice- Chair of the Women's Skins, again in St. Thomas. He has had experience with running CCA events and appears well qualified for the job at hand. During the Canadian Seniors games he took the opportunity to ask the CCA, "What can the London area do to get a major event here?" One obstacle was a facility large enough to host such an event. So, the day the John Labatt Centre opened, the same day the Knights played their first game there, the CCA delegation toured the facility. What followed were long nights and long negotiations and a successful decision for the 2006 Hearts to come to London!

What comes next?

By the end of November, the five Vice Chairs responsible for specific events (listed in last month's Rock Talk) will be in place. At that time there will be a call for Directors. The CCA and the Host Committee are preparing to move on December 1st into their new office at 100 Wellington Street. The organizing work will occur from that location.

Peter tells me that 500 – 600 volunteers will be needed, therefore many opportunities for everyone to get involved. It is hoped that volunteers will apply on the Web Site where they will have the opportunity to check off the amount of time they can contribute, as well as other relevant information. More information will come later, but volunteers should not expect a free ticket or uniform ...they will require tickets. The Committee expects to have "Full Event" tickets available by the end of January. Check the Web Site: [www.tournamentofhearts.ca](http://www.tournamentofhearts.ca) . It will be updated regularly.



## Christmas Card Sale

Once again **Dick Merrill** and his **Tuesday Night Social League** are bringing in Christmas Cards for you. This time, there's no need to place an order ... the printer has agreed to supply the cards on consignment. Dick will be visiting each curling venue to sell them on a COD basis.

**The cost will be \$10 per box of 18 cards, tax included.**

Please support Dick and his group in their yearly fundraising venture!!

## YOUTH CURLING

The **BANTAM** program is now under way -- 17 bantams (grades 6 – 8) are registered to date. Their first special event will be Bring-a-Buddy Day on November 21 ... this is a chance for the curlers to bring a friend and introduce them to the game. The **JUNIORS** will be holding their first bonspiel of the year on Saturday, November 27th. And the **LITTLE ROCKS** would like to extend ongoing thanks to their sponsors: Optimist Club of Middlesex-London, Tozer Electric, North Pole Trim and Supplies, and Why? Designs.

*Tim Hortons*

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## SWEENEY LEAGUE

by Joe Noon

The Sweeney league completed its 15th year with a catered banquet on Thursday, March 25, 2004.

The league rotates times with the Business Women's League on Thursdays at 5 pm, 7 pm and 9 pm. Individual entries only are accepted -- a maximum of 48 curlers is required. League registration is \$15.00, and \$5.00 is collected each new round towards a catered banquet and equal prizes for each member at the end of the curling season. Players are assigned a position for the year -- returnees are slotted first based on position requested and the new players are allotted based on experience and requested positions. New teams are drawn by the skips every 5th week, for a maximum of 20 games.

Each player is awarded points based on the outcome of the games as follows: 5 points for a win, 3 for a tie and 1 for a loss. If you are absent, you get 1 point less than your team earned that game. All league members are required to get their own spares when required.

Based on the point system, the top point getters by position during the 2003-2004 season were:

Lead	Steve Fleming
Second	Fred Slater
Vice	Colin Shipley
Skip	Joe Noon.



### WOMEN'S EARLY BIRD BONSPIEL

**Monday, November 22, 2004**

*Two eight-end games at 9 am and 1 pm  
Entry Fee ... \$80.00*

*Includes lunch, snacks and prizes for all  
Sponsored by the "Four Jeanettes"*

Ladies, sign up your team between November 1-15.  
The sign-up sheet is in the ladies' locker room.  
Your Convenors: Sylvia Leuszler & Linda Round

# FIGHT DIRTY!

Please do YOUR part  
to keep our ice clean!



- use the boot cleaner to keep outside grit from getting into the club
- cover your slider when you're not on the ice
- clean your broom over the waste baskets provided on the end boards
- replace your bristle brush or corn broom if it's starting to shed

## FROM THE SENIOR MEN'S DESK ...

Well -- here goes!! Our 2004-2005 season started as soon as "The Board" and "Ice Makers" would let us onto the ice (October 4th at 10 am) and continues to heat up (*read: increase in numbers*) as the weather continues to cool down (*read: golfers come in out of it*).

Your Seniors' Executive held its initial meeting on October 12, as we attempted to get our feet under our new headings: First Vice President, Dick Kilbourne; Second Vice President, Bob Hyatt (who assumes Draw Master "convenor" with that position); Treasurer, Stu McBride; Secretary, Garry Thompson; Past President, Don McKay; oh yeah ... and President, Yours Truly! Numerous items were bantered about ... some resolved, many not! An interesting item discussed was a suggestion by Nick Sauter that we Seniors start a "special fundraising campaign" to purchase a digital clock for the west end of the ice surface. The clock would have the programming capabilities of a buzzer to warn off tardy games during bonspiel play. Initial contact with the Board (Alec Curtis) sees no objection to this plan -- so -- we will present it to you all as a motion at the Christmas Luncheon General Meeting tentatively scheduled for December 13th.

Our first bonspiel, the Medcalf, with St. Thomas curling club, was held on Tuesday, November 2nd at our club. Thank you all for the quick signing up for this friendly inter-club spiel. This is a four-game, Home & Home (two games at each club) total-point series. S.T.C.C. games are scheduled on Friday, February 4, 2005. We are defending champions so good luck to repeat!!

Talk to you next month.

Cheers! Dan McInnes

# Daytime Women's Report

Jean

## Walmsley

The **opening meeting** of the Daytime Women's Section was held on Wednesday October 6, chaired by Pat Bell and convened by Marg Sirna, with 70 members present. Prior to the meeting, Mo Cloghessy entertained many of us with the video presentation she has done showing the past Women's Chairs ... many thanks Mo. As well, Mo has contributed her special computer artwork for a memorial to Sheila Betkus and a listing of cards sent to members. Greetings from the Board were brought by Alec Curtis who also introduced the staff. Pat presented Sheila Novlan with a beautiful orchid corsage for winning the **Spirit of Curling Award** for 2003/04. Sheila in turn did a short presentation of the history of the award and some of the previous women section winners. We have started a collection to purchase a rock in memory of Sheila Betkus. Those still wishing to contribute may give their donation to Jean Walmsley or Pat Bell.

A warm welcome to **ten new members** in this section. Sherry Chambers, Marcia Blackwell, Marilyn Beernink and Joan Easter have joined the club. The following members have come to daytime from evening leagues: Jan Murray, Bonnie Shawyer, Julie Johnson, Brenda Castle and Marion Brennan. Pat Cowan has returned after an absence. Please welcome these new members and be sure to include them in activities in the section. Their names are posted on the bulletin board and pictures will follow shortly. Thanks to all those who agreed to act as Big Sisters.

Jean Cameron presented a **proposal** on behalf of the Games Committee that would look at moving the Friday morning Open League to another day because of difficulty scheduling enough games during the season. Members are asked to read the proposal posted on the bulletin board and respond in writing with any input or ideas as to how this might be managed. All submissions are to be placed in the box provided by February 28 and a decision will be announced at the closing meeting in April.

Reminders on **Etiquette** have been posted on the bulletin board as well. Please take the time to refresh your memory on this very important aspect of the game. All members new to the section have been given a copy of same. We will post reminders from time to time in the locker room to keep us all on track.

Linda Karl reminded us of the upcoming **zone playdowns** for OCA and encouraged teams from this section to enter.

The meeting closed with tea poured by Sheila Novlan and Penny Brown and a social hour following.

The **Opening Jitney**, which was held on Thursday, October 7th, gave everyone a chance to limber up for the season. There were 24 curlers on Thursday and 33 on Tuesday. Convenor Verna Capson extends her thanks to co-convenor Doreen Stacey.

Convenor Mary Lois Cooper reminds you to invite a friend (curler or non-curler) to our annual **Friendship Day**, to be held on Thursday December 2nd at 9 am. A 45-minute instruction session will be provided before the start of the 4-end game. The \$5 cost includes lunch. Please mark December 15th on your calendar and plan to attend our **Christmas Party**. More details to follow in next months Rock Talk. Watch for sign-up sheets for these two events.

## Fund Raising:

The Daytime Women have chosen the goal of \$2500 this year as a contribution to the Club. The women in the Business leagues have been invited to participate in any of the activities that are possible for them.

Two Card Parties	Monday September 25 <sup>th</sup> and Monday, January 24 <sup>th</sup>
Poinsettia Project	To be completed December 3rd and 4th
Theatre Night	"Eve", February 10th
LCC Valentine Dinner	Saturday, February 12th

The **Card Party**, held on Monday, October 25th was the first of these endeavours. Under the competent direction and management of Lynda Reesor, it was a great success. The room was decorated in a Halloween theme and judging from the chatter and the laughter, the 88 women who attended and played their "favourite" game of cards, had a wonderful time. There were many comments and compliments on the lunch, for example, "I filled up on egg sandwiches, Yummy!" was heard at several tables. Draws for 15 door prizes were made throughout the afternoon and that brought out some friendly banter, especially between the winners and the non-winners. The revenue for this event was \$486.28.

The next Card Party will be on Monday, January 24th and many of those avid card Players, who were present, assured us they will be back. Do plan to attend.

And be sure to mark February 12, 2005 on your calendars to enjoy the **Second Annual Valentine's Dinner** being convened by Mary Lois Cooper who would welcome your assistance.



Marg Sirna

# UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

## NOVEMBER

- 2 Medcalf Trophy
- 3 Leads & Seconds
- 20 Curl for the Cure (at St. Thomas Curling Club)
- 21 Bantam "Bring-A-Buddy" Day
- 22 Early Bird Bonspiel
- 23 CLUB CLOSED all day for Ice Maintenance
- 24 CLUB CLOSED until 5 p.m. for Ice Maintenance
- 26 Rock Talk December Deadline
- 27 Junior Bonspiel
- 30 Sifton Classic (also December 1)

## DECEMBER

- 1 Sifton Classic (also November 30)
- 2 Friendship Day
- 4 Masonville Shell LCC Fundraiser
- 6 Professional Engineers of Ontario Bonspiel
- 10 Zone 16 Playdowns (evening only)
- 11,12 Zone 16 Playdowns (all day)
- 13 Senior Men Christmas Party
- 15 Women's Christmas Party
- 23 Business Women's Christmas Parties
- 24,25 CLUB CLOSED for Christmas
- 26 Boxing Day ... reserve for open curling
- 27-30 CLUB CLOSED all day for Ice Maintenance
- 31 News Year's Eve Curling Party

## Senior Provincial Championships

Senior Provincial Championships will be held at Highland Curling Club in January. The games begin on Wednesday, January 9th and the finals will occur on Sunday, January 23rd. Eight men's teams and eight women's teams will be competing, two from each of four Regions. The Zone finals are the last weekend of November and Regions in early December. After that the OCA Committee will finalize the Draws. Play will be Round Robin and we can anticipate good curling and exciting strategy in the games.

Spectators are welcome, free of charge. We are asked to respect the "No Denim" rule at Highland.

## SCOTT CANCELS FUNDRAISER



Scott Paper will no longer be running its "Cash for Clubs" fundraising promotion, reports Joan Bidinosti, LCC member responsible for submitting UPC product codes to Scotts for rebate.

Thanks to everyone who participated last year ... 2178 symbols were mailed to Scott. Their representative has advised Joan that "the cheque is in the mail".

## "Looking Back" ...



This time last year, Lil Richardson and Joan Bidinosti (and their many helpers) were up to their "ears" (or should that be "eyes"?) in books ... collecting and sorting your donations for the giant **BOOK SALE** which was held in mid-November.

Congratulations to everyone who contributed to this wonderfully successful fundraising effort ... over \$1300 was raised!



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