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FERGUSON FUNERAL HOMES PEICA PROVINCIAL 2011 STICK CURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

FEBRUARY 1ST – 3RD









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The Ferguson Family is very grateful to be able to offer our services to our communities.



Ferguson Funeral Homes of O'Leary and Tyne Valley



Ferguson Funeral Home of Montague

The family and staff of Ferguson Funeral Homes welcome all the curlers to the Provincial 2011 Stick Curling Championship.

We are pleased to offer again our best wishes, good luck and good curling to all the participants.

To the teams advancing, congratulations on your winning here, may you find continued success and exceptional curling on the championship trail.

Garth Ferguson



Welcome Curlers and fans!

On behalf of the PEI Curling Association's board and member clubs, we hope that you enjoy the hospitality of the Montague Curling Club.

We would like to take the opportunity to thank all of the club volunteers for their work and effort that goes into operating the club throughout the year. We would also like to thank those volunteers who have come together to host the 2011 Ferguson Stick Curling Provincial Championship.

We wish all curlers good curling!

Shirley Lank, President

PEI Curling Association



On behalf of all the Members of the Montague Curling Club, we are pleased to extend a warm welcome to the curlers and fans of the 2011 Ferguson Funeral Homes Provincial Stick Curling Championship.

It is always an honour to host such a Championship and be able to witness the best stick curlers display their skills. We wish them all the best. As our guests, the staff and volunteers of our facility will do our best to accommodate your needs while you are here.

Curling is a great game. It displays the best of etiquette, sportsmanship and true competition. We wish all that competitors have a great and memorable experience from this competition.

Good luck and good curling to all teams.

George Koke, President Montague Curling Club











On behalf of Stick Curling PEI and President, Bob Leard, I wish to welcome and thank all participants for supporting our 5th annual championship. The interest in stick curling is steadily increasing each year. We are pleased to have a women's division for the 2nd time and we look forward to continued growth not only in the women's stick curling but in all levels

We are pleased that Ferguson Funeral Homes, Sure-Shot Curling Sticks, and Bob's Stick continue to provide sponsorship for this event.

Finally, we express our appreciation to Harold Brister, the PEICA, Crapaud Curling Club, David Murphy, and to Derek MacEwen for their support for our 2011 Stick Championship.

Ernie Stavert Secretary, PEI Stick Curling Association







Fast Champions





Walter Callaghan

John Vincent

Women:

Ruth Stavert

Gloria Clarke

2009:

Walter Callaghan

John Vincent

2008:

Ernie Stavert

Sterling Stratton

2007:

Ernie Stavert

Sterling Stratton





Photo (L-R): Walter Callaghan,

John





Photo (L-R): Ruth Stavert,
Gloria Clarke











Maritime Stick Curling

Championships

March 15th - 17th

Beaver Curling Club

Moncton NB

Four open, two women positions reserved for PEI

Ferguson

uneral Homes



Same Format as previous years, with the championship round

If there is a tie during the Round Robin games then they will play an extra end for the win.

Note: Teams play a full extra end with each player throwing 3 rocks

Finish order from the round robin will be determined first by counting wins and losses for each team.

Three top teams from each pool advance to Championship Round

Note: Ladies- if team undefeated in RR then remaining teams play for 2nd and 3rd

If teams are tied for any position by win/loss in their pool then: higher placement to team that won head to head, if unable to decide position than points used. Points are awarded for each game, to be used in tie resolution.



Canadian Open Stick Curling Championship

March 23rd - 25th, 2011

Golden Ears Winter Curling
Club

Maple Ridge BC

Limit 48 Teams – two positions reserved for PEI (team cost)

Entry Deadline Mar. 18, 2010























RULES OF PLAY

STICK CURLING

RULES	COMMENTS			
Each stone <u>must</u> be delivered with a curling / delivery stick, from a standing or sitting (in a wheelchair) position.	This provides equity for those physically unable to attain the sliding position. Skill is still required to attain both alignment (the stone is further in front, but also much below the line of site), and weight. It's also advantageous for newcomers to curling, since the complex technique of the slide delivery doesn't have to be mastered; yet the substantial mental aspects of the game are retained.			
2. Sweeping/brushing is allowed <u>only</u> from the hog line to the back of the house at the playing end.	This provides fairness to those with physical limitations, unable to sweep/brush. It also increases the challenge, not having the extra advantage of sweeping/brushing to affect either line or weight in the initial travel of the stone.			
3. Each team is comprised of <u>two</u> Curlers.	This rule follows from rule 2 (above); with no sweeping/brushing between he lines, a four-member team would often have two people inactive. This way, everyone is always occupied, either delivering or skipping. Teams are easie to form and coordinate.			
One member of each team stays at each end of the rink, and must not cross center ice.	This reduces movement up and down the ice, and increases the pace of the game. It also means responsibilities are equally shared by the two team members, and provides variety for each player.			
5. The two delivering Curlers alternately deliver <u>6 stones</u> each per end, while their teammate skips that end. Then roles are reversed, and the partners deliver the stones back.				
6. All games are <u>six</u> ends. In case of a tie, an extra end is played, with each player delivering 3 stones (skips and deliverers exchange roles at the midpoint of an extra end).	Three ends of delivery times 6 stones per end means each person delivers 18 stones per game, about the same as regular curling. Games progress quickly and interest remains high, both for the players and spectators. The incidence and degree of lop-sided games is greatly reduced, and hardly ever does a team surrender before the end of the game.			
7. No stone may be removed from play prior to delivery of the fourth stone of each end. If that should happen, the delivered stone is removed from play and all other stones are returned to their original positions.	With fewer stones used, and fewer ends, the stick game tends to be more defensive than the regular game. This rule makes the game more offensive thus more interesting for competitors and fans. In effect, this rule extends t free guard zone to include the area from the hogline to the backline, as the FGZ was originally proposed.			
8. Except for wheelchair curlers, each delivery must begin with the right foot in the left hack, for right-handed curlers, or with the left foot in the right hack, for left-handed curlers. All stones must be released before reaching the hog line, and with some part of the stone within 2 feet of the centre line.				
9. Other rules and etiquette of regular curling apply.	The good parts of the regular game are retained!			

Schedule



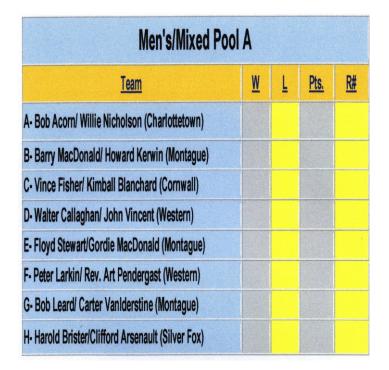
Montague Curling Club 2011 Ferguson Funeral Homes Stick Provincial Championsh						
Time/Draw	Pool	Ice 1	Ice 2	Ice 3	Ice 4	
10:00 AM	WEST STREET	B Acorn	V Fisher	F Stewart	B Leard	
Draw One Pool A		B MacDonald	W Callaghan	P Larkin	H Brister	
11:15 AM Draw Two Pool B		S Whiteway	E Walker	S Barwise	Municipale Curling	
		B Higginbotham	V Chowan	C Campbell	RINK	
12:20 PM		P Larkin	F Stewart	B MacDonald	B Acorn	
Draw Three	Pool A	H Brister	B Leard	W Callaghan	V Fisher	
Tuesday Feb	ruary 1st	Opening Welcome Ice Maintenance				
14:00 PM		A Callaghan	S Barwise	B Higginbotham	S Whiteway	
Draw Four Pool B & C		SLank	E Stavert	V Chowan	E Walker	
15:15 DM		F Stewart	B Acom	B Leard	B MacDonald	
Draw Five	Pool A	W Callaghan	H Brister	V Fisher	P Larkin	
16:30 PM		S Barwise	SLank	E Stavert	B Higginbotham	
Draw Six	Pool B & C	V Chowan	R Stavert	E Walker	C Campbell	
10:00 AM		V Fisher	B Leard	H Brister	B Acorn	
Draw Seven	Pool A	P Larkin	B MacDonald	W Callaghan	F Stewart	
11:15 AM	12	E Walker	E Stavert	A Callaghan	S Whiteway	
Draw Eight	Pool B & C	C Campbell	B Higginbotham	R Stavert	S Barwise	
12:30		B Leard	V Fisher	W Callaghan	F Stewart	
Draw Nine	Pool A	B Acorn	H Brister	P Larkin	B MacDonald	
Wednesday Febru	ary 2nd	Ice Maintenance				
14:00 PM		E Stavert	A Callaghan	V Chowan	S Barwise	
Draw Ten	Pool B & C	S Whiteway	SLank	C Campbell	B Higginbotham	
15:15 PM		B MacDonald	W Callaghan	H Brister	P Larkin	
Draw Eleven	Pool A	V Fisher	B Acom	F Stewart	B Leard	
16:30 PM		B Higginbotham	V Chowan	S Lank	C Campbell	
Draw Twelve	Pool B & C	E Walker	S Whiteway	R Stavert	E Stavert	
10:00 AM		W Callaghan	P Larkin	V Fisher	H Brister	
Draw Thirteen	Pool A	B Leard	B Acom	F Stewart	B MacDonald	
11:15 AM		V Chowan	C Campbell	C Campbell	A Callaghan	
Draw Fourteen	Pool B & C	E Stavert	S Whiteway	S Whiteway	R Stavert	
Thursday Februar	ry 3rd	Ice Maintenance				
12:45 PM Draw Fifteen	Quarter- Final Round	2nd B vs 3rd A		2nd A vs 3rd B	*Ice Allocation may change as needed	
14:15 PM Draw Sixteen	Semi-Final Round	*Ice Allocation may change as needed	1st A vs W QF1	2nd vs 3rd Pool C	1st B vs W QF2	
16:15 PM Draw Seventeen	Finals	Consolation Gar L SF's Pool A/		ship Game Ch	ampionship Game W SF's Pool A/B	
17:15 PM		Presentation	ns to Winners			







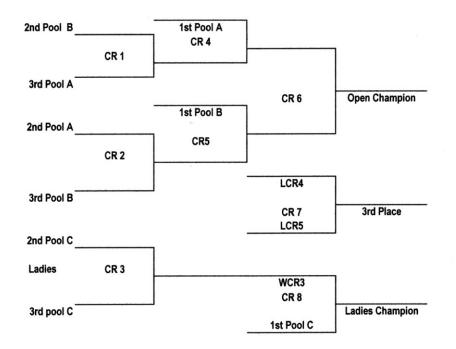




Men's/Mixed Pool B				
<u>Team</u>	w	L	Pts.	<u>R#</u>
1- Sterling Whiteway/ Russ Noiles (Montague)				
2- Bazil & Sterling Higginbotham (Montague)				
3- Edwin Walker/ Woody Pauptit (Summerside)				
4- Vern Chowan/ Grant Laird (Cornwall)				
5- Sherrill Barwise/ Eddie Bernard (Maple Leaf/Western)				
6- Charlie & Barb Campbell (Cornwall)				
7- Ernie Stavert/ Sterling Stratton (Cornwall)				

Women's Pool C (Double RR)					
<u>Team</u>	W	Ī	Pts.	<u>R#</u>	
W1- Audrey Callaghan/ Ann Barwise (Maple Leaf/Western)					
W2- Shirley Lank/ Mary Plamondon (Cornwall)					
W3- Ruth Stavert/ Gloria Clarke (Cornwall)					

CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND















THE PEI CURLING ASSOCIATION WISH TO OFFER SPECIAL THANKS TO THE MONTAGUE CURLING CLUB

AND ALL OUR SPONSORS

WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO GREAT CURLING! GOOD LUCK TO ALL TEAMS!

































