



# STEVENS POINT CURLING CLUB

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To all Curling Members:

After a couple of cold nights ... Mother Nature is telling us that the curling season is upon us.

**NEW** There's a new Curling Club sign at the entry drive (being erected); a new door into the "ice house"; and, a reserved parking place for the disabled. The compressor has been serviced and plans call for us to start making ice October 1<sup>st</sup>.

**GOOD NEWS** The Board of Directors has determined that our 2011-12 dues schedule will remain the same as last year. In addition, the Board will require that a signed liability waiver and, at least, 50% of your dues be paid prior to "setting foot" on the ice. This applies to everyone (See the president and/or the treasurer if you have any questions, etc).

**SIGNUP NOW** Forms for club registration, league signup and liability waiver are enclosed. Please complete them and return with your dues payment ASAP. They can be sent to our PO Box 824 or given to a Board member. As an incentive, all members who have completed their forms and paid their full dues by October 8<sup>th</sup> will be eligible for a drawing for \$50 toward curling equipment or apparel.

**SOCIAL** Our first event of the year will be our Pre-Season Social on Saturday, October 8<sup>th</sup>. It will be a "potluck appetizer" with soda, wine and beer available. We'll start at 5:00PM and go 'til ??? Hope to see you there! The drawing will be at approximately 7:00PM. Volunteers are needed to help clean the clubroom for this event.

**DATES** Three dates have been scheduled for "Learn To Curl" (open house) events. They are Wednesday, 10/19 from 6-9PM; Saturday, 10/22 from 3-6PM; and, Tuesday, 10/25 from 6-9PM. Invite your friends and neighbors to give curling a try. All are welcome.

Leagues are scheduled to start the week of October 31<sup>st</sup>. Please get your forms returned to us by October 24<sup>th</sup> ... it takes time to assemble teams and establish schedules.

Other dates of interest are as follows:

Wisconsin State Elks Bonspiel – weekend of November 4-6.

Winterfest – January 21-22.

Women's Senior Badger Bonspiel – March 2-4.

Men's Bonspiel – March 9-11.

Mixed Bonspiel – March 30-April 1.

**RENTALS** Please contact Club Mgr. Chris Mortensen to reserve the ice and/or the clubroom. The calendar showing all reservations is located on the board near the telephone. .. There is a rental fee for private usage.

Being an all volunteer club, we ask that each member provide time for the various bonspiels, kitchen help, cleaning, decorating, club improvements, ice making, etc. Get involved ... you'll have fun doing it.

Good Curling.  
Jack Edgerton  
President