



# MCC IN THE HOUSE

The Manotick Curling Center Newsletter

## Members League Corner

Here are KEY notable dates for the upcoming 2015/2016 season:

- Oct 7: Wed Evening League 1<sup>st</sup> game
- Oct 8: Thu Day Mixed & Evening 1<sup>st</sup> game
- Oct 9: Fri Evening Fixed Mix 1<sup>st</sup> game
- Oct 10: Sat Night League 1<sup>st</sup> game
- Oct 12: All Daytime & Evening leagues start
- Oct 17: OCA Coaching Clinic 8a-4p (2 days)
- Oct 18: Learn2curl session 5:45p
- Oct 23: Opening Spiel - day 1
- Oct 24: Opening Spiel - day 2
- Oct 25: Little Rock & Bantam 1<sup>st</sup> day

## Bartenders Corner

Kent, Pauline, Sue, Claire welcome you back for another great season of curling chatter in the Minto Lounge. Send questions their way about:

- Special requests/suggestions for the MCC beverage selection
- 50/50 draw
- In-house bonspiels & special events



Vote for YOUR favourite Soup & Sandwich  
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/5HX5WDJ>

## MCC Bonspiels

### Opening Spiel

### Friday, Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> & Sat. Oct 24<sup>th</sup>

Don't MISS out! (3 x 6 END GAMES - Points Spiel) \$40/person that's \$8/game \$6 lunch + \$10 dinner - What a STEAL

#### Group A

- GAME #1 - FRIDAY OCT 23 at 7:00 P.M.
- GAME #2 - SATURDAY OCT 24 at 9:00 A.M.
- GAME#3 - SATURDAY OCT 24 at 1:30 P.M.

#### Group B

- GAME #1 - FRIDAY OCT 23 at 9:00 P.M.
- GAME #2 - SATURDAY OCT 24 at 11:00 A.M.
- GAME#3 - SATURDAY OCT 24 at 3:30 P.M.



Lunch 11:00-2:00pm

Dinner Sat 6:00pm

KARAOKE & DANCE AFTER DINNER



## Circle Your Calendars Club Spiels

- Nov 27/28: Turkey Spiel
- Dec 31: New Years Eve Spiel
- Jan 20 & 23: Manotick Scotch Doubles
- Apr 7/8/9: Closing Spiel



## Chili Cook Off

Time to brag about your PRIZE winning chili! *Opening spiel is looking for chili chefs (5)*  
 Contact Special Events Director  
[davehannah@rogers.com](mailto:davehannah@rogers.com)

## Feature Sheet: MCC Secretary - Donna Hellmann

Our club could not operate without the dedicated time and effort of volunteers who willingly contribute to MCC. Each month we'll be featuring some well known MCC personalities. This month it's Donna Hellmann

Q: How long you been curling?

A: 14 years! John & I started in 2001, attending the first Manotick Curling Centre Saturday Night Beginners League

Q: How did you get into this sport?

A: We joined with friends when we all wanted a change from ballroom dancing.

Q: Which leagues are you playing in this season?

A: Tuesday Evening Ladies League, Friday Evening Mixed and Valley League

Q: Share a surprising tidbit about yourself

A: When I was in college I worked for a summer at a resort in North Carolina, where I served Cher's mother and Mrs. Jones of the Dow-Jones family.



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### OVCA Colts League

Calling curlers who have **LESS than 5 years of curling experience**. The Colts League is for YOU. It is a great way to get a feel for the bonspiel circuit, competing against teams with similar skill sets. This novice program is brought to you by the OTTAWA VALLEY CURLING ASSOCIATION ([www.ottawavalleycurling.com](http://www.ottawavalleycurling.com))

One of many programs to promote the sport and culture of this great Canadian past time.

**Grab three curlfriends and sign up!**  
**Website: <http://coltscurling.com>**

**Wow!**

This year's open house was *awesome*. Tons of regular members just came to chill. Lots of people dropped off money. Karen and Dave processed a dozen brand new memberships.

**Season is looking good!**



### Free Stuff

As part of our partnership with Safer Roads Ottawa, bike lights are being made available to the public for free through Ottawa Fire Services. Any resident can pick-up free lights and armbands at any urban fire station where fire personnel are present, **beginning Oct 1st and ending November 1**. In the rural areas, residents can pick-up lights and armbands at:

**South West Office: Stittsville**  
Fire Station 81

Mon, Wed, Fri 8.30am - 4pm

**South East Office: Manotick**  
Fire Station 94

Mon, Thu, Fri 8.30am - 4p