



GESHA BOARD MEMBERS

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48" x 48" - Qty: TBD

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Singles Tournament
 May 16, 17, 18, 19th - 2022

Limited to 128 Entries on a first to register basis
 Entries close TBA

Singles Registration:
 \$35.00/person

Singles Banquet TBA
 Singles Banquet: \$TBA/person

Super Cash Singles Tournament
 June 27, 28, 29th - 2022

* Check our website for additional information. *

Registration: \$300.00

Doubles Tournament
 July 25, 26, 27, 28th - 2022

Limited to 128 Entries on a first to register basis
 Entries close TBA

Doubles Registration:
 \$35.00/person

Doubles Banquet TBA
 Doubles Banquet: \$TBA/person

Tournament Information:
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Facility location: Ottewell Curing Club
4205 102 Ave. T6A-0M5 Edmonton, AB



We're inviting you to come play shuffleboard with us.

Edmonton is one of the few cities in Canada to have formed a non-profit Shuffleboard club. Shuffleboard play will commence in the months of May, June, July and August of 2022 at the Ottewell Curling Club (OCC), located at: 4205 - 102 Avenue, Edmonton, AB. The club's official name is: Greater Edmonton Shuffleboard Association or "GESHA" for short. Participants must sign a liability waiver before participating. Annual membership is \$55.00 per person and non-members shall be able to drop-in and shuffle for a \$5.00 daily fee (fees help offset equipment costs). Drop-in players 17 and under must be accompanied by an adult member in good standing. GESHA will be offering free lessons and improvement clinics. Shuffleboard cues are provided. Recommended footwear is a rubber type runner. Never ever walk on the courts as they are very slippery and dangerous.





Mission Statement

The Greater Edmonton Shuffleboard Association (GESA) is a non-profit organization that promotes the game of floor shuffleboard with the goals of fun, social interaction, the challenge of competition, and wellness through exercise, for individuals of all ages and abilities.

Promoting Shuffleboard

Promoting interest and play in the game of floor shuffleboard and providing a social atmosphere for members to enjoy a game of shuffleboard is our main goal. The Arizona shuffleboard rules are used as our guideline.

GESA is non-profit, non-sectarian and non-political.

Each year we host many fun events. E.g., Horse Collar, Turkey Shoot, a Novice Tournament, Strategy Clinics, Rules & Etiquette Clinics, Team Tournaments, and both a Ladies and Men's Club Champion event. The Battle of the Sexes Event is a fun battle between the boys and the girls. See who wins the bragging rights to say "we play better than youuuuu!" Fun events and challenging games for all. Our Doubles Tournament fills up quickly so sign up soon. Some events were not run during Covid-19 for obvious reasons. However, as life returns to normal events will be reinstated.



YOU'RE INVITED

In floor or court shuffleboard the board is 6' wide and 39' long with a 6' shooting area at each end. Floor shuffleboard is a strategic game in which players use cues to push weighted 6" discs, sending them gliding down the narrow and elongated court, with the purpose of having them come to rest within a marked scoring area.

Find out why you don't want to go in the "kitchen"!!

- We provide a positive atmosphere and a great facility for members to gather and enjoy the game of shuffleboard.
- Equipment, supplies, and schedules to play shuffleboard, are available for your enjoyment.
- Everyone is welcome.

If you have enjoyed floor, stick or ice curling, air hockey, bowling, bocce, croquet, or billiards, shuffleboard is the game for you!

Newcomers can ask for a free lesson and get the basics down.

Don't be shy - please just ask.

OPEN PLAY:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday:
10 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.

Thursday evening: 7:00 p.m.

Membership: \$55.00 (May to August)

Drop In: \$5.00 daily (inc. free lesson)

Horse Collar is a variation of the floor shuffleboard game and event days and times will be posted at the club as well as on our website.



Shuffleboard is a sport for everyone, young and old.

It requires no great physical strength yet it is a game of skill and strategy. In shuffleboard, one tries to score, prevent the opponent from scoring, or both. Floor shuffleboard is a strategic game. The basic strategy involves both offense and defense. If it is your turn to shoot first, you are automatically on the defensive, because your opponent has the last shot of the frame. If you simply put your first shot into the scoring area, your opponent will knock it off, and if you then score with your second shot, the same will happen, and so on until you have used your last shot, and your opponent will knock that off and probably score. To combat this you can use the strategy of blocking and hiding - that is, your first shot will be a guard disk shot to a location so that it blocks your opponent from that part of the scoring area that you can still place a good disk. Your second shot will be the one to play into that hiding place you created with your first shot, so your opponent cannot hit you out directly.

Come on down, have fun, and play a game.