DELTA THISTLE CURLING CLUB

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Thirsty Thistle News:

The Thistle will be opening during the open house. Hours to be posted for the month of September.

Delta Thistle Website

Andrew has redesigned the website and there now is a vast number of links and information available. Your faithful newsletter will still get you the details as well but check into the site for the most current ice time rental availability, events, and happenings.

Youth Coaching Clinics

Coaching clinics will be held on September 14th and 15th from 9am to 5pm. Spots are limited to twenty participants and register on the website.

Skills Clinic

DTCC will be offering three skills clinics for those seeking to sharpen their skills or to get a head start on getting back into the groove of the season:

- Sept 11th: Delivery Skills
- Seth 12th: Advanced Delivery Skills
- Sept 13th: Throwing/Delivery Skills

Sign up for one or all three sessions on the website. Costs are \$70 per session.

Learn to Curl

Five sessions starting Oct 7th for \$115.00 A great way to bring those friends, loved ones and couch curling fans out to get some exercise and libations!

DTCC League Registration



Registration is Open for all leagues, and this must be done through the website. There are no partial half season payments this year. New this year is the \$40 all in all-season spare fee which allows any non-registered player to play all year as opportunities to spare arise. Also, the Little and Mini Rocker leagues are back for two separate sessions with the 4-6 age group starting this September.

DTCC Open House

Once again, we are kicking off the season with our always well attended open house. **The Thirsty Thistle lounge will be open**.

September 17th to 20th from 5pm to 8pm. Bring along your friends and family to introduce them to the game of curling. Times and volunteer shifts to be posted.

Practice Ice Times

For all the keeners eager to get sliding before the season starts, we have practice ice times available:

Practice ice time: Sept 16th to the 21st: 10am to 4pm.

Practice ice is also available on Saturdays from 12pm to 2pm (excluding bonspiels)

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Volunteering Corner

We require members to be available for the open house dates of Sept 17th to the 20th.

Our carpentry/small projects list has grown once again, and we are looking for help with these small club improvements.

Last year we had great successes with our club bonspiels, but they need great energetic volunteers.

You too can wear a placard of Scratch tickets!

More options for volunteers to be posted in coming newsletters.

For info on these or other volunteer opportunities contact:

604-594-2323 info@deltathistle.ca

League Reps

With league play starting next month we are searching for individuals with a social flair for keeping your league informed as well as knowing the feel and character of your league: in-season activities have included 50/50 draws and mid-season potlucks.

DTCC Pro-Shop

Our outdated inventory has been liquidated and new arrivals of brooms, gloves and sliders are instock now. Hours are M-F: 9-5 and evenings during league play.

Locker Rentals

Locker rentals may be added online at the time of registration or from the front office. They sold out quickly last year so do not delay!

The Thirsty Thistle Swag

Thirsty Thistle apparel is back again. Order forms to come out soon with colour combinations and pricing.





DTCC Bonspiel / Special Dates Schedule

Senior Ladies: Oct 25-27th
 Remember When: Nov 8-10th
 Daytime Senior: Dec 10-12th

Mad Hatter: Jan 1-5th

• Wheelchair Provincials: Feb 22nd-23rd

Master's: Feb 24-26th

Sturling Curling: March 8th