

Beausejour Curling Club

Sept 2026 Newsletter

The 2026/2027 curling season will be starting soon with play currently scheduled to start the week of October 12.

Registration:

We encourage members to register via email and etransfer if at all possible. A fillable registration form is available from our website. The completed form should be emailed to beausejourcurlingclub@gmail.com. Etransfers should be sent to the same address (make sure to include your name and league(s) in the message section of the etransfer). You can also register by email and then make your payment by cheque or cash at the registration evening. Please note that the fillable registration form may not work on mobile devices. You can print the form, fill it out by hand and then email a picture of it if you are unable to fill it in online.

If you wish to register in person, we will have a registration evening on **Tuesday, Sept 15** and **Thursday Sept 24** from **6:00 pm to 8:00 pm** both nights at the club. Payment may be made by cheque (payable to Beausejour Curling Club), cash or etransfer to beausejourcurlingclub@gmail.com. Please bring a second cheque for your volunteer bond post-dated to April 1, 2027. Cheques will be shredded if you do your volunteer duty. Volunteer bonds can also be paid at registration time via cash or etransfer. In the case of cash/etranfer payments, you will receive a refund cheque in the spring if you do your volunteer duty.

For any other information, please email the club at beausejourcurlingclub@gmail.com or check our website at www.beausejourcurlingclub.ca.

Please note that you must pay for your registration by no later than November 1 or you will not be allowed to curl until all fees have been paid. All teams on Wednesday Ladies, Thursday Mens and Friday Mixed must have a minimum of 4 registered and paid players by November 1. Thursday Afternoon Stick League teams must have a minimum of 2 players by November 1.

All teams should make sure they have touched base with their league coordinator to let them know they are registering this year so that draw schedules can be made up prior to the first week of curling. League coordinator names and contact information are listed in this newsletter and the league pages of the website.

Fee Increases for 2026-2027:

The league fees for Wednesday Ladies and Thursday Mens have been increased to \$150 per league. Please see the website for information on league fee amounts for 5 and 6 person teams.

The volunteer bond has been increased to \$100 for this year.

Tuesday Drop-in Recreational league has increased to \$10 per week or \$80 for a seasonal pass.

All other fees remain unchanged. A complete explanation of all fees and exemptions can be found on the Membership page of our website.

Friday Open Fun League:

The Friday Open Fun league will again curl every other Friday for the full year. A schedule of the weeks this league will curl will be posted on the website under the league page for this league.

Website and Facebook Page:

Our website can be found at www.beausejourcurlingclub.ca and our Facebook page can be found by searching Beausejour Curling Club. We will keep both updated throughout the season as a way of communicating with our members. Should you encounter any problems or broken links on either, please email beausejourcurlingclub@gmail.com so we can correct them.

Volunteer Opportunities:

Volunteer jobs coming up this year will include:

- Most leagues are looking for help organizing Christmas parties, year-end windups, 50/50 draws, etc. Contact your league coordinator if you are willing to help.
- Bonspiel help (bartenders, ice helpers, etc)
- 2-Person Stick Mixed Provincial Championships – various jobs

A volunteer signup board will be set up in the bar area so check it frequently for volunteer opportunities. Note that all bartenders must have their Serving It Safe certificate to be behind the bar. Helpers without a certificate can clear glasses but must not be behind the bar at any time. You must have your certificate on you during your shift. Volunteers doing bar shifts should bring their certificates to Lucy (our bar manager) who will take a photo of it and keep it in a binder at the bar. Serving It Safe certificates now expire after 5 years so make sure yours is current. Any bar questions should be directed to the bar manager.

The Beausejour Curling Club encourages members to obtain the Serving it Safe certification. The course is online and only takes a few hours to complete. The Curling Club will cover the cost of the program once members have successfully completed the course. See our website for a link to the online course (on the Membership page).

League Coordinators:

Tuesday AM Rec League	Fred Muth (tilly60@mymts.net) or George McDougall (poofkargeo@shaw.ca)
Wednesday Ladies League	Shona Litke (litke.shona@gmail.com)
Thursday Mens League	Robert Lidster (wendylidster@hotmail.ca) Mark Bangert (farmingrocks00@gmail.com)
Thursday 2-Person Stick League	Susan Yusishen (yusishen@gmail.com)
Friday Open Fun League	Chris Thiessen (thiessenfarms@outlook.com)

Please contact these people for any questions about the leagues. If you are interested in joining a particular league but do not have a team, let them know as they may have teams looking for new players. If you wish to spare for a particular league, please let the coordinator know.

Email Distribution List:

You are receiving this email because you were on our membership list for 2025-2026. If you are not returning this season, you may receive a couple more emails before we switch to the 2026-2027 list in November. If you wish to be removed sooner, please email beausejourcurlingclub@gmail.com and let us know. Also, feel free to forward this newsletter to anyone you know who may be interested in joining this year. Please make sure you print your email address legibly on your registration form to be included in the 2026-2027 distribution list.