

CHESTERMERE CURLING CLUB MEETING MINUTES
Nov. 25th , 2009 (In The Board Room)

PRESENT: Cheryl McDonald
Ron Forth
Chris Huzzey
Ken Hunt
Marla Forth

Wolfgang Janke
Les Goldstrom
Dale Zawyrucha
John Kowalchuk

A huge Welcome Back!! to President Ken Hunt who called the meeting to order at 7:04pm.

MINUTES: Minutes from the Sept. 1st, 2009 meeting were adopted as distributed.
Wolfgang Janke moved to accept the minutes. Ron Forth seconded. **Carried.**

TREASURER'S REPORT: Reports were distributed. Tammy was unable to attend.

Action to be Taken List & Outcome:

1. Check with Bob Johnson re: cameras. Bob was unable to install for this season but he is still interested when he can find time.
2. Promotional materials with logo. Links are available on our website. Teams may order collectively or individuals may order separately i.e. different colours.
3. Check with Town Hall re: Meeting dates. No meeting booked. Will check availability of CRCA Board Room.
4. Brier 50/50 grant application. Next deadline date is May 2010. Will apply for 8 flat screen T.V.'s and mounting brackets.

BUZZER TIMES: Discussion regarding play times and 'good' and 'bad' habits of curlers.
Marla moved to change the buzzer from 8:20 to 8:23 pm on Mon/Wed/Thurs/Fri. Cheryl McDonald seconded. Chris Huzzey to implement. **Carried.**

MIXED BONSPIEL: Chestermere/Indus Combined Mixed Bonspiel – Jan. 19th-24, 2010. Co-ordinated by Wolfgang, John & Brian Nocair. Wolfgang not playing this year. John to meet with Indus this week. Few entries thus far. Needing to book a caterer.

NAME TAGS: Marla to place an order. Approx. 40 to order.

WINTER FESTIVAL: Jan. 16th from 12 noon to 2pm. Marla reported she was approached by the committee to make available a curling activity and then each participant to receive a red ring symbolizing an Olympic ring. Volunteers needed on the ice to help promote the sport of curling. Ken & Cheryl offered to help.

PROMOTIONAL MATERIAL:

- The Newsy Neighbour is offering a Community group special insert. Chris will contact them and insert a blurb about our bonspiel dates and website address. Dale suggested we perhaps purchase a sponsor level in the publication and perhaps use casino funds.
- Other Curling Clubs are now emailing their bonspiel posters rather than mailing - Dale, Cheryl & Ken offered to print off any colour posters so Chris can post. Chris will request this for nearby clubs which our members might attend.

ANTIQUÉ CURLING ROCKS DONATION: Marla to place in a case when there is space available on either side of the complex. She will attach a plaque noting the details.

CLEANING OF OUR ICE: Dale questioned whether any ice maintenance personnel are using the back-pack vacuum which we purchased. Maybe an email to Deb – the manager to ask if it is working?

DOMINION CURLING CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP: Cheryl offered to call SACA and then share with us more details.

REC BOARD GRANT: Any ideas for projects? A discussion regarding perhaps re-conditioning our current rocks or perhaps placing inserts into our other set of rocks, or maybe casino funds could be used? A suggestion that we email our group for further discussion.

Meeting adjourned at 8:55 pm

NEXT MEETING: Wed. Jan. 13th 2010 at 7:00 pm. Location TBA.

Chris Huzzey, Secretary.

Action to be Taken List:

1. Check availability of Board Room.
2. Brier 50/50 grant application.
3. Change buzzer time.
4. Mixed Bonspiel.
5. Name tag orders.
6. Winter Festival volunteers – Jan. 16th
7. Newsy Neighbor article.
8. Displaying antique rocks.
9. Dominion Championship.

Person Responsible:

1. Chris.
2. Chris.
3. Chris.
4. John & Wolfgang.
5. Marla.
6. Marla, Ken, Cheryl.
7. Chris.
8. Marla.
9. Cheryl.