



CURLSASK



2025 - 2026 ANNUAL REPORT



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



What a season! Looking back on 2025–2026, there was plenty to celebrate for CURLSASK and curling across Saskatchewan.

Saskatchewan continued to make its mark on the national stage, highlighted by Team Wood making history as the first Saskatchewan U-18 women's team to win the Canadian U-18 Championship. An incredible accomplishment and a proud moment for our province!

Our Saskatchewan athletes also had plenty to celebrate on the international stage. Team Korte proudly represented Canada at the World Senior Curling Championships in Switzerland, bringing home a bronze medal.

It was also an incredible year for wheelchair curling in Saskatchewan. Team Saskatchewan, led by Marie Wright, earned bronze at the Canadian Wheelchair Curling Championship, adding another national medal to the province's impressive wheelchair curling history.

And on the biggest stage of all, Saskatchewan's Gil Dash was part of Team Canada's gold-medal-winning mixed wheelchair curling team at the 2026 Paralympic Winter Games in Italy. Team Canada went undefeated throughout the competition, making the accomplishment even more special.

Congratulations to Gil on an unforgettable achievement!

Beyond the results on the ice, this season was once again made possible by the incredible people who make up Saskatchewan's curling community. From our athletes and coaches to our volunteers, officials, clubs, ice makers, sponsors, and fans, thank you for the time, energy, and passion you continue to bring to our sport.

There is so much to be proud of from the 2025–2026 season, and even more to look forward to as we continue building the future of curling in Saskatchewan.

Thank you for another memorable year, and here's to an exciting season ahead!

Darcey Huyghebaert
CURLSASK President

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STAFF



Steve Turner
Executive Director



Pat Simmons
Director of High Performance



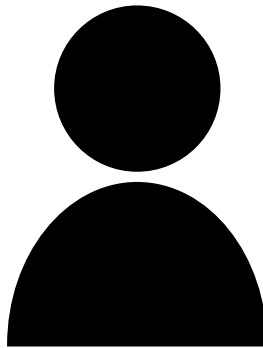
Michele Mathews
Office Coordinator &
Adapted Sport



Patrick Kippax
Participation & Inclusion
Coordinator



Jamie Regier
Community Development
Coordinator



TBD
Event Coordinator



Kelcee Kennedy
Marketing and Media
Coordinator



Lauren Speidel
Summer Curling Camp
Coordinator



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BOARD MEMBERS



Darcey Huyghbaert
President



Michael Leier
Vice-President



Avrey Clein
Financial Director



Adam Bukurak
Board Member



Amy Hogemann
Board Member



Carla Speidel
Board Member



Gaylene Simpson
Board Member



Jan Pogorzelec
Board Member



Shannon Laventure
Board Member

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COMMITTEES

Finance & Operations

Darcey Huyghbaert - President

Michael Leier - Vice President
Avry Cline - Financial Director
Steve Turner - Staff Member
Michele Mathews - Staff Member

Oversee finance and operations of CURLSASK ensuring all funding, policy, bylaw and legal requirements are met.
Oversee the fiscal requirements of CURLSASK.

Governance

Michael Leier - Committee Chair/Vice-President

Jan Pogorzelec - Board Member
Avry Cline - Board Member
Steve Turner - Staff Member
Michele Mathews - Staff Member

Oversee and maintain the development of bylaws and policies of CURLSASK meeting legislative requirements, goals, and objectives of CURLSASK; oversee the governance of CURLSASK, ensuring/promoting effective and efficient operations within legislative and bylaw requirements.

Competition & High Performance

Gaylene Simpson - Committee Chair/Board Member

Adam Bukurak - Board Member
Amy Hogemann - Board Member
Pat Simmons - Staff Member
Steve Turner - Staff Member
Kevin Glessing - Chief Umpire

Oversee CURLSASK competition processes. Provide support, education and opportunities as they related to competitive curling; oversee the High-Performance objectives and strategic direction.

Recognition

Carla Speidel - Co-Chair/Board Member

Shannon Laventure - Co-Chair/Board Member

Kelcee Kennedy - Staff Member
Jamie Regier - Staff Member

To celebrate and honour outstanding achievements, contributions, and milestones in the sport of curling at local, provincial, and national levels.

Marketing and Media

Carla Speidel - Co-Chair/Board Member

Shannon Laventure - Co-Chair/Board Member

Kelcee Kennedy - Staff Member

Guide the board in the process of creating and maintaining the Strategic Plan; oversee communication, marketing, and sponsorship to promote and support curling in Saskatchewan

Community Development

Amy Hogemann - Committee Chair/Board Member

Adam Bukurak - Board Member
Jan Pogorzelec - Board Member
Michael Leier - Vice-President
Jamie Regier - Staff Member
Michele Mathews - Staff Member

To develop and assist communities to deliver participation and recreation-based programs. Plans and oversees the Provincial Day of Curling.

Safe Sport

Avry Cline - Committee Chair/Financial Director

Gaylene Simpson - Board Member
Steve Turner - Staff Member
Michele Mathews - Staff Members

To develop, maintain and enforce policies regarding screening volunteers to ensure the safety of all participants in CURLSASK events.

Woman in Curling

Jan Pogorzelec - Committee Chair/Board Member

Amy Hogemann - Board Member
Carla Speidel - Board Member
Gaylene Simpson - Board Member
Shannon Laventure - Board Member
Kelcee Kennedy - Staff Member
Michele Mathews - Staff Members
Lauren Speidel - Staff Member

To support, empower, and retain women and girls in the sport of curling throughout Saskatchewan by providing meaningful opportunities for participation, leadership, development, and community connection.

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FINANCE AND OPERATION

ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

Oversee finance and operations of CURLSASK ensuring all funding, policy, bylaw and legal requirements are met. Oversee the fiscal requirements of CURLSASK.

2025–2026 SUCCESSES

- CURLSASK continues operating from a strong and stable financial position.
- Operations have been tracking on budget
- Revenues were at 99% of budget targets.
- The organization remains financially strong, with total assets of ~\$1.07M and net assets of ~\$1.05M.
- Successfully managed 15 month budget this year, to realign fiscal year.
- Received the Spark Ideas Grant which is being used to fund the new participation and inclusion coordinator.
- Overall, CURLSASK is stable long-term due to strong reserves.

CHALLENGES

- Inflationary cost pressures continue to increase event hosting and travel related expenses, pushing expenses 6% over budget. Recommend increasing event registration fees from \$50 to \$75/team to offset increasing costs.

GOALS FOR 2027

- In conjunction with Curling Canada's membership fee changes, evaluate CURLSASK member fees compared with other jurisdictions, look into incorporating member insurance into fee structure.

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GOVERNANCE

ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

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2025–2026 SUCCESSES

- Developed a comprehensive and enhanced Board Training and Onboarding Program, scheduled for implementation in the 2025–2026 fall term.
- Advanced policy work to support and promote gender equity within the Board of Directors.
- Updated governance policies to clearly define board member expectations and strengthen accountability measures.

GOALS FOR 2027

- Review all current policies of CURLSASK and adjust as needed
- Complete a bylaw review and make recommendations for amendments
- Work on standardizing policy format

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SAFE SPORT

ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

To develop, maintain and enforce policies regarding screening volunteers to ensure the safety of all participants in CURLSASK events.

2025–2026 SUCCESSES

- Comprehensive review of the Safe Sport Policy Manual, focusing on clarity, completeness, and alignment with evolving national standards. To ensure safe sport practices and policies for all curlers.
- Significant discussion centered on upcoming changes from Curling Canada related to National Sport Integrity alignment. These changes include the introduction of a national complaint intake system that will triage and redirect complaints to provincial systems where appropriate. CURLSASK's current Safe Sport framework was noted as robust and largely aligned, positioning the organization well for integration.
- The committee also identified opportunities to enhance the visibility and accessibility of Safe Sport resources. This includes developing a dedicated Safe Sport webpage that consolidates policies, reporting processes, timelines, and educational materials (e.g. UCCMS, CCES links, and Sideline Learning).

CHALLENGES

- A key challenge identified is the lack of a clearly defined and publicly accessible privacy and confidentiality policy. While elements exist within HR and governance materials, there is no consolidated, public-facing version aligned with Safe Sport expectations.
- There is also ongoing complexity in aligning three layers of policy frameworks: Sask Sport requirements, Curling Canada national policies, CURLSASK internal policies. Ensuring consistency and avoiding duplication or gaps across these layers remains a significant workload.
- Additional challenges include:
 - Limited awareness and education at the club and participant level regarding Safe Sport responsibilities and Code of Conduct expectations
 - Incomplete documentation or difficulty locating legacy policy materials due to past restructuring and system transitions
 - Need for clearer guidance on how complaints flow between CCES, Curling Canada, and provincial systems
 - Balancing the workload of utilizing legacy safe sport policy frameworks to deal with complaints and corrective action plans; while updating and reviewing the new safe sport policies.

GOALS FOR 2027

- Share Safe Sport Policy Manual updates based on committee feedback, with the members
- Distribute updated policies to the Board and membership for full review (post-integration of Curling Canada updates)
- Develop a centralized Safe Sport webpage with clear navigation, resources, and reporting guidance
- Prepare a summary of Curling Canada's National Sport Integrity updates and circulate to the members

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COMPETITION AND HIGH PERFORMANCE

ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

To oversee CURLSASK Competition processes.

Provide support, education, and opportunities as they relate to competitive curling.

Oversee the Safe Sport requirements as set forth by SaskSport.

Oversee the High-Performance objectives and strategic direction.

2025–2026 SUCCESSES

- Full complement of provincial competitions.
- Successful joint Men's and Women's Provincials in Melville with province wide televised games.
- High performance program adapted to direct resources to developing competitive U18, U20, and U25 players/teams.
- U18 Women's National Championship Gold Medal

CHALLENGES

- Coordination of resources for provincial events as a result of a compacted Olympic year schedule.
- Implementing consistent events for multiple championships due to multiple factors, including open registrations and varying formats for national championship events.

GOALS FOR 2027

- Continue to increase efficiency and entertainment experience by streamlining Men's and Women's championship into one event.
- Implement adjustments to High Performance program to strive for strategic plan metrics and resource efficiencies.
- Evaluating event outlines to determine areas to be remain consistent and those to adjust specific to each competition.

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MARKETING & MEDIA COMMITTEE

ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

Guide the board in the process of creating and maintaining the Strategic Plan; oversee communication, marketing, and sponsorship to promote and support curling in Saskatchewan

2025–2026 SUCCESSES

- Two new policies, Logo Usage and Pin, developed.
- New photo collage contest launched for the Provincial Day of Curling.
- Provincial Day of Curling event was successful with 150 school children in attendance with the support from SaskMilk.
- New format for the monthly newsletter. Highlights with links to the longer articles allows for easier reading and visibility of all articles.
- Continued success with CURLSASK sponsors.
- Continuing to create engaging content across multiple social media platforms to promote CURLSASK events, fundraisers and curlers.

CHALLENGES

- The Provincial Day of Curling schedule needs updating to incorporate lessons learned regarding school participation and staff support.
- Continued low Provincial Day of Curling contest submissions even with the new photo collage contest. Needs further review and planning for next year.

GOALS FOR 2027

- Continue to promote provincial events and curlers, especially with hosting the 100th Brier in Saskatoon, in a way that helps grow interest in curling in the province.
- Review and explore new promotional strategies to support recognition initiatives and improve participation & engagement throughout the season.

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COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

To develop and assist communities to deliver participation and recreation-based programs. Plans and oversees the Provincial Day of Curling.

2025–2026 SUCCESSES

- Membership Growth: Reached 12,461 members, an increase of 121 members from the previous season, along with an increase of 4 clubs, bringing the total to 119 member clubs.
- Greg Ewasko Tour: Organized opportunities with Greg Ewasko, Curling Canada's Head Ice Technician, to provide hands-on sessions tailored to Saskatchewan curling clubs to share his knowledge and expertise.
- Club Survey Development: Developed a new Club Survey to identify club needs related to finances, youth programming, and other areas. The information collected will help inform future initiatives and support provided by CurlSask.
- Member Assistance Program: Distributed \$140,000 through the Member Assistance Program to support member clubs.

CHALLENGES

- Volunteer Recruitment: Continued challenges with volunteer recruitment, particularly in the areas of officiating, event support, and district-level engagement.

GOALS FOR 2027

- Develop Club Resources: Use information gathered through the Club Survey to develop practical resources that help member clubs create and deliver sustainable programming, increase membership, and better understand and utilize the support available through CurlSask.
- Strengthen District Engagement: Clearly define District Coordinator roles and fill vacant positions to strengthen district-level engagement and support.
- Expand Club Learning Opportunities: Host CurlSask webinars to provide information and practical guidance to clubs interested in local programming opportunities, including Adult Learn to Curl, Junior Rotating Fours, and Adaptive Sport.

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WOMEN IN CURLING

ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

To support, empower, and retain women and girls in the sport of curling throughout Saskatchewan by providing meaningful opportunities for participation, leadership, development, and community connection.

2025-2026 SUCCESSES

- Women in Curling Summit – Martenville, Sask. – August 29, 2026
- Girl's Rock – Club delivery and supported by CURLSASK
- Sponsorship – Foster a relationship with Sask Polytechnic
- Milestone – working with the National WIC committee and accessing supports and resources to enhance the opportunities for the WIC Sask event.
- Partnership with the Martenville Curling Rink

CHALLENGES

- The committee was able to accomplish our targets and deadlines regarding planning the event. Due to the event being held Aug 29 and people are on holidays and not thinking about curling – we were challenged to attract registrant.
- This event is self sustaining and is paid via CURLSASK support, sponsorship and registration fees.

GOALS FOR 2027

- Exit Survey will be conducted from participants and committee member and suggestions to be considered and changes made if it is deemed to positively impact the event.

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RECOGNITION COMMITTEE

ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

To celebrate and honour outstanding achievements, contributions, and milestones in the sport of curling at local, provincial, and national levels.

2025–2026 SUCCESSES

- First year of the committee, with work beginning from the ground up
- Researched existing curling awards and recognition programs, including the Saskatchewan Sports Hall of Fame, Curling Canada Hall of Fame and Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame
- Introduced Team of the Year, Coach of the Year and Volunteer of the Year at the annual CURLSASK Banquet, while continuing the Club of the Year award
- We had a great first season as a new committee, lots of growth, development and future plans discussed.

CHALLENGES

- Limited awareness of new awards and nomination criteria

GOALS FOR 2027

- Continue new awards and explore additional categories
- Promote awards and nomination criteria earlier
- Send Awards Gala “Save the Date” earlier
- Explore ways to showcase award winners at the banquet
- Continue the Year in Review video
- Increase high school involvement with CURLSASK
- Use award nominations to identify candidates for other halls of fame and recognition programs

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Board of Director Nominations

RECCOMENDATION FROM THE SELECTION COMMITTEE

The 2026 Candidate Selection Committee is composed of the current President, Vice President, Finance Officer, and two external members. The Committee uses the board's self-identified Skill Competency Matrix to evaluate all candidates seeking nomination. The Skill Competency Matrix takes existing board members self-identified skills and helps determine areas of skill where the Board of Directors is lacking.

You can view the 2026 Competency Matrix [here](#).

Directors at Large wishing to seek re-election must also apply using the same methods as new candidates to ensure equitable access for the nomination process. The Committee evaluates all candidate submissions against the matrix using the candidate's submitted resume, their application responses, and an interview. The candidates are then rated on the same Skill Competency Matrix by the Committee to determine who is the best suited to fill the gaps identified by the existing board.

After the completion of the application process, interviews, and rankings, the Candidate Selection Committee recommends to the CURLSASK Membership to elect:

Scott Henbury

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Board of Director Nominations

The Candidate Selection Committee posted the call for nominations March 18, 2026, and nominations closed May 15, 2026. Candidates who submitted a nomination are listed below (in alphabetical order), along with their current job title, a short self-described bio, and their self-described reason for wanting to be on the Board:



SCOTT HENBURY

SUTHERLAND CURLING CLUB



Lives in Saskatoon



Works as Vice President of Sales

Scott is a recreational curler from the Sutherland Curling Club. He identifies as being skilled in leadership, strategic planning, and governance. He is bilingual (French/English). His reason for wanting to be on the CURLSASK Board is; “I am interested in joining the CURLSASK Board because it provides an opportunity to contribute to an organization I have been connected to and supported for many years, both personally and professionally. I am passionate about the long-term success of curling in the province and believe my experience and skill set can add value in helping support that continued growth and development.”



STEVE LAYCOCK

NUTANA CURLING CLUB



Lives in Saskatoon



Works as a Compensation & Benefits Manager

Steve is a former competitive curler based out of the Nutana Curling Club. He identifies as being skilled in leadership, project management, and strategic planning. His reason for wanting to be on the CURLSASK Board is; “With having reached the tail end of my competitive curling career, I am interested in finding new ways to stay involved and help my favourite sport thrive. I have done a lot of work with U15 curlers in Saskatoon and want to ensure there is healthy future for the sport for these individuals.”

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2023-2028 STRATEGIC PLAN

The time to update our Strategic Plan was crucial as we adjust to the changes in sport delivery. Board and staff met on 3 occasions to discuss the future of our provincial sport. Here are some highlights.

VISION

To share the power of sport through our passion for curling.

MISSION

To promote and develop curling in Saskatchewan by providing leadership, services and programs for the curling community, from grassroots to elite in a safe and inclusive environment.

RESPECT

We respect the individuality of all our Curling Centres and the unique needs of each member and strive to earn their respect through open, honest, transparent and collaborative communication.

We respect that we have limitations and are realistic and honest about our capabilities.

COURAGE

We will make decisions for the good of curling and have the courage to make the right decision even if it is difficult and not the most popular one.

We acknowledge that mistakes are an integral part of life and are an opportunity to learn and improve. We will acknowledge our mistakes to become better in the future.

INCLUSIVITY

Our members are our friends first. We will treat each person with utmost respect and integrity we would our closest family members. We recognize the uniqueness within our membership and encourage diversity, equity and inclusion on our sport.

We are committed to strengthening our Indigenous supports and programming and ensuring we follow Truth and Reconciliation Calls to Action for sport.

TEAMWORK

Curling is a community and a team. We are united by a passion for our sport.

We will foster strong cohesion through teamwork, collaboration, and cooperation to support the collective curling community.

We are united by shared team goals that drive collective decisions that are for the betterment of the sport as a whole.

**VIEW THE 2023-2028
STRATEGIC PLAN**

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COMPETITIONS

U18 PROVINCIALS - ESTEVAN CURLING CLUB

BOY'S TEAM 1: ESTERHAZY

SKIP BRANDON WEISS, THIRD JOSH LUSSIER,
SECOND TYLER DERKSEN, LEAD CARTER
NELSON, AND COACH MARK WIESS

BOY'S TEAM 2: SASKATOON - NUTANA

SKIP QUINN SNOW, THIRD DAVID DENIS,
SECOND LIAM REGUSH, LEAD TRISTAN HEAL,
AND COACH DANIEL DENIS

GIRL'S TEAM 1: SASKATOON - SUTHERLAND

SKIP RENEE WOOD, THIRD EDIE JARDINE,
SECOND AMELIA WHITING, LEAD WINNIE
MORIN, ALTERNATE ABBY HOGEBROOM, COACH
DWAYNE YACIHW



PHARMASAVE®

U20 PROVINCIALS - SWIFT CURRENT CURLING CLUB

MEN'S TEAM: SASKATOON - SUTHERLAND

SKIP ROGAN SNOW, THIRD NATHAN ROY,
SECOND DOMINIC BARLOW, LEAD COLE
HILDERMAN, AND COACH RICHARD ROY

WOMEN'S TEAM: SASKATOON - NUTANA

SKIP CHLOE SEMENIUK, THIRD LEAH
BEAUSOLEIL, SECOND KELSEY WALL, LEAD
LINDSAY MILLER, AND COACH NICOLE
BEAUSOLEIL



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COMPETITIONS



PRAIRIE PINNACLE - MELVILLE

REGINA - HIGHLAND

SKIP JOLENE CAMPBELL, THIRD ROBYN
SILVERNAGLE, SECOND RACHEL BIG EAGLE,
LEAD DANYA DEMMANS
COACH: BEN GAMBLE



TANKARD - MELVILLE

REGINA - HIGHLAND

SKIP KELLY KNAPP, THIRD BRENNEN JONES, SECOND
DUSTIN KIDBY, LEAD MATT RING, AND ALTERNATE
TRENT KNAPP
COACH BRIAN MCCUSKER



MIXED DOUBLES PROVINCIALS - EVERGREEN CURLING CLUB - NIPAWIN

SASKATOON - NUTANA

NANCY MARTIN, STEVE LAYCOCK



MIXED PROVINCIALS - MARTENSVILLE

REGINA - HIGHLAND

TYLER HARTUNG, CHRISTIE GAMBLE, JAYDEN
SHWAGA, STASIA WISNIEWSKI



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COMPETITIONS

MASTERS PROVINCIALS - TISDALE

MEN'S TEAM: WEYBURN CURLING CLUB

SKIP JIM NIKOLEJSIN, THIRD JAIME MILLER, SECOND RAY CALBOW, LEAD DARCY CRETIN

WOMEN'S TEAM: YORKTON CURLING CLUB

SKIP CATHY INGLIS, THIRD JOAN MCCUSKER, SECOND PATSY KUSPIRA, LEAD BEV FUCHES



BIKTRIX SENIOR PROVINCIALS UNITY CURLING CLUB

MEN'S TEAM: WADENA RE/MAX CURLING CLUB

BRENT FRANKO, VERNE ANDERSON, MURRAY SUNDERLAND, AND DWIGHT POMEDLI

WOMEN'S TEAM: SASKATOON - SUTHERLAND

AMBER HOLLAND, JILL SHUMAY, SHERRI SINGLER, TRENNA PEDERSON



CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS - SWIFT CURRENT CURLING CLUB

MEN'S TEAM: FOAM LAKE CURLING CLUB

SKIP GARRETT FEDAK, THIRD BRANDON ZURAVLOFF, SECOND KADEN FEDAK, AND LEAD NATHAN ZUCHKAN

WOMEN'S TEAM: SASKATOON - SUTHERLAND

SKIP ALLIE MCMILLAN, THIRD AMANDA JACOBSON, SECOND TARA SANDER, AND LEAD DANIKA GRESCHUK



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COMPETITIONS

2-PERSON STICK PROVINCIALS - WATROUS CURLING CLUB

MEN'S TEAM: REGINA - HIGHLAND
DARREN BEACH AND DARREL BEACH

WOMEN'S TEAM: PRINCE ALBERT GOLF & CURLING CENTRE
JACQUI SWIDERSKI AND PATRICIA BIBBY



WHEELCHAIR PROVINCIALS - SUTHERLAND CURLING CLUB

TEAM SK 1: MOOSE JAW CURLING CENTRE:
TEAM WRIGHT: SKIP GILBERT DASH, THIRD MARIE WRIGHT, LEAD MOOSE GIBSON, COACH BEN GAMBLE



U20 MIXED DOUBLES PROVINCIALS - TWIN RIVERS CURLING CLUB - NORTH BATTLEFORD

U20 MD CHAMPIONS: MARTENSVILLE CURLING CLUB
MELISSA REMESHYLO AND DYLAN DERKSEN
COACH: SCOTT REMESHYLO



TRIPLES CUP & ROTATING 4'S CUPS - NIPAWIN

ROTATING 4'S CUP CHAMPIONS - REGINA - HIGHLAND :
TEAM ACKERMAN: BURKE, RYDER, EDWIN, KOHEN, JASON



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VITERRA YOUTH PROGRAMS



TOTAL 83

BUNGE PRAIRIELAND CURLING CAMP SERIES

Estevan - November 9 (23)

Raymore - November 16 (16)

Ogema- January 30 (18)

Tisdale- February 7 (26)



CURLSASK YOUTH PROGRAMS

Participation numbers for each program

U9 Stepping Stones-----40

U12 Learn to Curl-----140

U18 Learn to Curl-----65

U18 Recreational 20 Week Program-----59

TOTAL 304

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ADAPTED SPORT INITIATIVES

MAJOR MILESTONES:

- ✓ Continued with declaring a champion at our Wheelchair Provincials and 2-Person Stick provincials Provincial events
- ✓ Skills Development clinics in Saskatoon and Moose Jaw with Lorraine Arguin (national winning coach) and Wayne Kiel respectively
- ✓ Received grants from Paralympics and Sask Sport
- ✓ Used the Sask Sport adapted sport grant to outfit a club with wheelchair curling equipment
- ✓ Successfully supported the Saskatoon Blind Curling League - Sticks & Stones - in their grant submission to host the Blind Curling Western Regionals (I think that's the name of it) in Saskatoon in March 2027
- ✓ Awarded a multi-year Spark IDEAS grant from Sask Sport to grow our inclusion initiatives
- ✓ Delivered wheelchair curling opportunities in Saskatoon, Regina and in inclusive classrooms in Regina Catholic School Division, and at the Regina Wascana Rehabilitation Centre



SEASON HIGHLIGHT:

Team Saskatchewan brought home the bronze medal at the national Championship in Quebec.



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HIGH PERFORMANCE REPORT

Our High Performance Director dedicated countless hours to ensuring comprehensive training for all High Performance athletes, with a particular focus on nurturing the next generation of curlers.

HP PROGRAM

U18 - 14 teams

U20 - 8 teams

U25 - 2 teams

Individuals - 5

Total athlete participation:

101

Total coach participation:

24

FUTURE PLANS

- EITC - Martensville - August 15th start
- RPC - Moose Jaw - continuation of DTE and training initiatives
- 4's CWG Trials / U18 Sask Cup 2 combo event
- Restructure of age categories and services / requirements HP and Sport Science related



HP CENTRE

Early Ice Training Centre (EITC) - Martensville -
Sept 1 - October 1, 2025

Regional Performance Centre - Moose Jaw -
October 1, 2025 - March 30, 2026

Events:

3 U18 Sask Cup Junior Tour events

3 U20 Sask Cup Junior Tour events

2 U20 MD's Sask Cup Junior Tour events

Canada Winter Games:

MD's Trials / Provincial Championship combo event -
Team Remeshylo / Derksen (Coach Scott Remeshylo). Mens and Womens teams to be determined at U20 Sask Cup #2.

Saskatchewan Winter Games:

Rotating 4's rules - completed in Meadow Lake
February 2026

Results:

U18 Women - Gold Medal

Senior Men - Gold Medal, World Bronze Medal

Senior Women - Silver Medal

Mixed - Bronze Medal

Wheelchair - Bronze Medal

Masters Women - Bronze Medal



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BUNGE PRAIRIELAND SUMMER CURLING CAMP



Bunge, thank you for all you do for youth curling in Saskatchewan. CURLSASK wouldn't be able to provide youth with so many opportunities without your help!

CURLSASK would like to send a huge thank you to everyone who made the 40th annual Bunge Prairieland Summer Curling Camp a success!

88 campers, ages 10-18
17 Instructors
6 Days
Martensville Curling Club



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SOCIAL MEDIA REPORT

The 2025-2026 season was another strong year for CURLSASK's social media channels. Our goal continued to be keeping clubs, athletes, fans, coaches, sponsors, and curling enthusiasts informed and connected with curling across Saskatchewan. Throughout the season, we highlighted Saskatchewan teams competing at all levels while continuing to promote our member clubs, programs, events, and opportunities. Collaborations with teams and Curling Canada helped extend our reach, while the excitement surrounding the 2026 Olympic and Paralympic Games brought even more attention to Saskatchewan curling and our athletes.



(Facebook & Instagram)

(August 1, 2025 - August 1, 2026)

- 3.5M views
- 40K content interactions
- 9.9K link clicks (up 59.9%)
- 769 new follows (up 12.9%)
- 54.9K visits



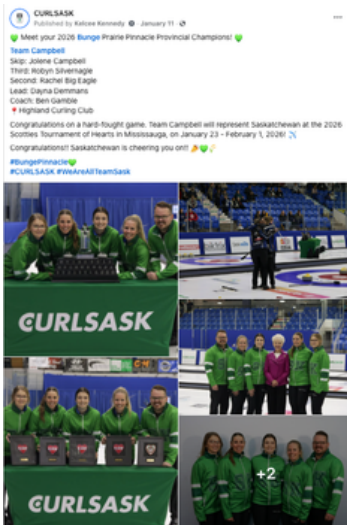
2025-2026 YOUTUBE ANALYTICS

(August 1, 2025 - August 1, 2026)

- 178.9K views
- 84.3K hours watched
- 313 new subscribers
- 7,213 total subscribers
- 23 live streams

TOP SOCIAL MEDIA POSTS:

BUNGE PRAIRIE PINNACLE CHAMPIONS



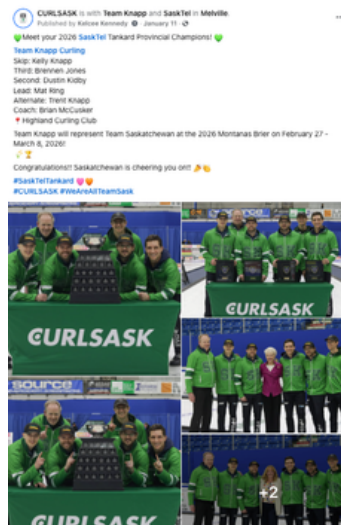
Reactions: 1.9K
Comments: 146
Views: 222.4K

TEAM SHERRY ANDERSON HOF INDUCTION:



Reactions: 1.3K
Comments: 228
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CURLSASK CLINICS



COACHES

Coaches who complete the process will become Certified Competition Coach. The coaches will be able to prepare a team to compete in regional and provincial competitions. They will be proficient at planning and executing safe and efficient practices.

What to expect in the Competition Coach Workshop:

Teaching and Learning Strategies Strategy and Tactics Delivery and Brushing Skills analysis Practice plan and Safety and EAP (Emergency Action Plan) Drills and more!!

Thanks to the support of Brian Champion, we were able to train 25 new Competition Coaches.



ICE TECHNICIANS

Assistant Ice Technician Workshops

Davidson- 19 participants

Shaunavon- 12 participants

Total: 31



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MEMBER CENTRES

2025-2026 CURLING CLUB AWARDS



FUTURE CLUB
Estevan Curling Club



CLUB OF THE YEAR
Maple Creek Curling Club



MEMBERSHIP GROWTH
Foam Lake Curling Club

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL SASKATCHEWAN CURLING CLUBS ON A SUCCESSFUL 2025-2026 SEASON!

Curling Centres

North - 1
Lakeland - 15
Rivers West - 16
Saskatoon - 3
Regina - 2
Prairie Central - 21
Parkland - 13
South West - 28
South East - 20
119 Total 2025 - 2026 Clubs

Affiliation History

2019-2020 Members.....13, 593
2020-2021 Members..... 7, 716
2021-2022 Members..... 10, 079
2022-2023 Members11,698
2023-2024 Members11,111
2024-2025 Members12,340
2025-2026 Members-----12,461

**4 New Member Clubs
This Year!**

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MAJOR MILESTONES



Team Wood - U18 National Champions!

Congratulations to Team Wood on bringing home the gold at the 2026 Canadian U18 Curling Championships!

Congratulations to Skip Renee Wood, third Edie Jardine, second Amelia Whiting, lead Winnie Morin, alternate Abby Hogeboom, and coach Dwayne Yachiw

All of Saskatchewan is SO PROUD of you!
What an incredible achievement and so well deserved!

TEAM SCHMIRLER - WORLD CURLING HALL OF FAME

Congratulations to Team Schmirler on their induction into the World Curling Hall of Fame, one of the sport's highest honours.

The team, highlighted by Olympic gold in 1998 and three world championship titles, was recognized during the 2026 World Women's Curling Championship.

Their legacy continues to inspire generations of curlers across Saskatchewan and beyond.



Gil Dash - 2026 Paralympic Gold Medalist

It's been a golden stretch for Saskatchewan's Gil Dash. Fresh off winning gold with Team Canada at the 2026 Paralympic Games, Dash has continued to shine on the ice, capturing the 2026 provincial wheelchair curling title with his team out of the Moose Jaw Curling Centre.

CURLSASK is proud to celebrate Gil as a true ambassador for the sport, representing Saskatchewan with pride and excellence at every level.

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LOCAL EVENTS



ROCKFEST - MOOSE JAW CURLING CENTRE

Over 90 young curlers from Manitoba and Saskatchewan gathered in Moose Jaw for the U-15 RockFest Prairies

The weekend brought together athletes from across the prairies for a celebration of youth curling, filled with learning, teamwork, and plenty of great competition. From skill development sessions to game play, curlers had the chance to grow their game, build connections, and create lasting memories on and off the ice. CURLSASK is proud to partner in this incredible initiative and help grow the game at the grassroots level. The future of curling is in great hands.

MIXED NATIONALS - ASSINIBOIA

A huge congratulations to the Assiniboia Curling Club on the successful hosting of the 2025 Canadian Mixed Curling Championships! The event was a tremendous showcase of not only world-class curling but also the warmth and enthusiasm of the Assiniboia community. From the dedicated volunteers to the exceptional organization and welcoming environment, everything came together to create an unforgettable experience for athletes, fans, and visitors alike!



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REVENUE

Annual Funding
Sask Lottery Grants
Membership Assistance (MAP)

**2025-2026
ACTUALS**
(15 Month Year)

**2024-2025
ACTUALS**

407,125
97,095
137,300

304,000
63,661
137,400

641,520

505,061

Competition and Clinic Fees
Affiliation Fees Collected
Fundraising
Interest
NSO
Other Grants
Sales
Sponsorship

174,841
215,767
25,488
55,514
40,132
36,896
24,148
105,227

204,015
183,915
31,034
42,667
-
33,902
11,675
120,039

678,014

627,247

Total Revenue

1,319,534

1,132,308

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EXPENSES

Administrative Expenses

Capacity and Interaction

- Communications
- Hosting
- Marketing and Awards
- Meetings
- NSO Dues

Participation

- Competitions
- Programs
- Under-Represented Populations
- Development (Coach, Umpire, Ice Tech)

Excellence/ High Performance

MAP, Other Grants and Expenses

Total Expenses

2025-2026

ACTUALS

(15 Month Year)

625,168

2024-2025

ACTUALS

562,283

10,250

10,280

43,015

12,000

43,702

36,460

31,433

15,066

73,952

36,450

202,351

110,256

120,964

94,295

35,281

67,732

320

2,131

9,137

11,986

165,702

176,144

202,289

194,163

205,320

170,682

\$ 1,400,830

\$ 1,213,528



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