

# Covid-19 Procedures for CCC Academy - Fall 2020

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The Calgary Curling Club's Adult Learn to Curl program and Lite rock programs <u>are suspended for Fall 2020</u>. We hope to bring back instructional programs for the winter session, depending on guidelines and restrictions due to Covid-19. The health and safety of our members, instructors and staff are our priority, and we will continue to monitor these guidelines and timelines to determine the safest course of action this season.

A modified Junior program league and Greenhorn league will be offered in the Fall of 2020. Please note the changes to program times and restrictions for registering.

## **Modified Junior Program League (Returning participants only - Ages 11-17)**

Saturdays from 1:30-3:00pm. October 17 to Nov 28 - 7 weeks. Registration dues: \$90.00 +GST

- This program is only available to previous participants from our youth programs.
- This will be game play only, no learn to curl aspects will be involved. Adult volunteers and
  instructors will be on ice to help organize league play. Teams will be made up based on
  attendees on the day.
- Big Rock/Junior program will be a maximum of 24 participants
- All adult volunteers on ice will be required to wear a mask
- Adult volunteers will maintain 2 metres of distance between all participants on the ice
- It is not required of participants to wear face coverings while curling, but must have masks while on the warm side of the glass.
- Altered game rules from Calgary Curling Club's Covid19 Procedures Plan will apply.
- Parents or Guardians may be allowed to accompany their child in the building, please limit the number of people who come to the program and remain 2 metres physical distance between other parents/guardians. Adult guardians are required to wear a face covering while inside the building.
- We recommend players have their own brooms/sliders or shoes. All brooms and sliders borrowed by participants will be sanitized between each use.
- Rock Management curlers will only touch their own rocks during the game.
- Parents/guardians of participants will sign consent form when registering about the risks involved with participation from a health and safety standpoint.

### **Modified Greenhorn League**

#### Saturdays from 5:00pm - 6:30pm. October 24 to Nov 28 - 6 weeks. Registration \$105 +GST

- Participants must have learned to curl in a program or have had some curling experience prior to registering for this program. Sessions are game play, with an instructor providing some assistance, while maintaining physical distance of 2 metres whenever possible.
- Maximum 24 participants.
- We recommend all participants to purchase their own equipment. Used equipment will be sanitized after each use.
- Instructor will be required to wear face coverings; participants are not required to wear a mask while on the ice but must wear one when entering and exiting the building.
- Altered game rules from Calgary Curling Club's Covid19 Procedures Plan will apply.
- Every participant will only use their own set of rocks. Rocks are sanitized before every draw.

#### In the event of Illness

If the participant or an instructor exhibits any symptoms of COVID-19 (See AHS COVID-19 Fact Sheet/Checklist) prior to the lesson, please stay home and contact the program coordinator, Kaitlin at 403-283-8381.

If a volunteer or participant feels ill or exhibits any symptoms of COVID-19 during the program, we will direct you to immediately go home and arrange for transportation if needed (do not use public transport like trains, buses, taxis, or ride share programs). We recommend that you do the online AHS self-assessment and get tested for COVID-19 if necessary.

If a participant contracts COVID-19 and may have exposed the program to the virus, communication will be released to all participants to alert them of a potential exposure. The program will be postponed for 14 days in the event of a confirmed exposure.

#### **Refund Policy:**

The CCC is a non-profit organization. Our costs are generally front-end loaded, with hiring seasonal staff, installing the ice, and this year especially, preparing the club for your arrival and for safe curling for all. Because of this financial structure, in the event the club is forced to closed for Covid-19 related issues or a government forced closure, we have put in place a refund policy that will allow for some flexibility in uncertain times, while also recognizing that there are expenditures for the club that we need to take into consideration. We will keep you updated on all changes to the regulations as the season progresses and are hoping for a full and rewarding (while different) curling season. We appreciate your understanding and patience as we make our way through this time with you. The following refunds will be applied in the event of a closure:

Before program start date (Oct 17 for Juniors and Oct 24 for Greenhorn): 100% refund

After the first lesson has taken place: 80% refund

Between First and 3rd lesson: 50% refund

After 3<sup>rd</sup> lesson: 0% refund.

Please note that refunds will be to the payment type used to sign up, with the exception of e-transfers, which will be refunded by cheque. Members will have the option to donate part or all of their refund to the Club.

#### Facility use:

Please use contactless payment methods or debit/credit cards as much as possible when registering for programs. Payments can be done over the phone with credit card, and through e-transfers.

We recommend you arrive no more than 10 minutes ahead of your scheduled time on ice. When inside the building, always maintain a physical distance of at least 2 meters from others and you must wear a face covering. We request that you arrive wearing your curling clothes ready to play as locker rooms will be limited use. Shoes will be changed onsite continuing to follow the physical distancing measures.

Registrations can be made through email or phone on or after September 22, 2020. Email <a href="mailto:kaitlin@calgarycurlingclub.com">kaitlin@calgarycurlingclub.com</a> to register for the Greenhorn League or Junior Program. Registration forms for the Junior Program will be found on <a href="https://www.calgarycurlingclub.com">www.calgarycurlingclub.com</a>.

Registration for Junior Program League and Adult Greenhorn League Starts September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2020 and open to first come first served.