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2020 Viterra Men's Provincial Champions



2020 TELUS Junior Women's  
Provincial Champions



2020 Asham U18 Girls Provincial Champions



2020 Asham U18 Boys Provincial Champions



2020 TELUS Junior Men's  
Provincial Champions



2020 Curling Club Provincial  
Men's Champions



2020 Curling Club Provincial  
Women's Champions



2020 Dynasty Provincial Mixed  
Doubles Champions



2020 Liberty Tax Senior Women's  
Provincial Champions



2020 Strathecona Trust Senior Men's  
Provincial Champions



2020 Manitoba's Credit Unions Master  
Women's Provincial Champions



2020 Manitoba's Credit Unions Master  
Men's Provincial Champions

**2020 - 2021  
RULE SUPPLEMENT**

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# **Rule Supplement**

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***ALL CHAMPIONSHIPS WILL ADHERE TO THE MANITOBA HEALTH AUTHORITY,  
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***EVENTS MAY BE CANCELLED AT ANYTIME***

# **Code of Ethics**

## **Curlers, Coaches, Umpires**

To ensure that all curlers are aware of their responsibilities when playing the game of curling the following Code of Ethics is an official supplement to the Rules of Curling.

### **Curlers' Code of Conduct**

- I will play the game with a spirit of good sportsmanship.
- I will conduct myself in an honourable manner both on and off the ice.
- I will never knowingly break a rule, but if I do, I will divulge the breach.
- I will take no action that can be interpreted as an attempt to intimidate or demean my opponents, teammates, or umpires.
- I will interpret the rules in an impartial manner, always keeping in mind that the purpose of the rules is to ensure that the game is played in an orderly and fair manner.
- I will humbly accept any penalty that the governing body at any level of curling deems appropriate, if I am found in violation of the Code of Ethics or Rules of the Game.

### **Coaching Code of Ethics**

- The coach will act with integrity in performing all duties owed to athletes, the sport, other members of the coaching profession and the public.
- The coach shall strive to be well prepared and current in order that all duties in their discipline are fulfilled with competence.
- The coach shall act in the best interest of the athlete's development as a whole person.
- The coach shall accept both the letter and the spirit of the rules that define and govern the sport.
- The coach shall accept the role of umpires in providing judgement to ensure that competitions are conducted fairly and in accordance with the established rules.
- The coach's conduct toward other coaches shall be characterized by courtesy, good faith and respect.
- The coach shall maintain the highest standards of personal conduct and support the principles of Fair Play.

### **Umpiring Code of Ethics**

- The role of umpires in curling is different than in many other sports in that we are there to ensure a level playing field of the competition, rather than to control the play. Curling umpires give freely of their time and training for the love of the sport.
- In the name of all the competitors, the umpires promise that we shall take part in the games, respecting and abiding by the rules, which govern them, committing ourselves to a sport in the true spirit of sportsmanship, for the glory of the sport and the honour of the teams.
- Umpires strongly believe in teamwork to ensure championships run smoothly.
- Each time we finish a championship, we hope it is not our last. We like what we do, and we hope we do make a difference. Curling has been good to us and this is our way of giving back.

## **Fair Play**

- Fair Play begins with the strict observance of the written rule; however, in most cases, Fair Play involves something more than even unfailing observance of the written rule. The observance of the spirit of the rules, whether written or unwritten, is important.
- Fair Play results from measuring up to one's own moral standards while engaged in competition.
- Fair Play is consistent demonstration of respect for teammates and opponents, whether they are winning or losing.
- Fair Play is consistent demonstration of respect for umpires, an acceptance of their decisions and a steadfast spirit of collaboration with them.
- Sportsmanlike behaviour should be demonstrated both on and off the ice. This includes modesty in victory and composure in defeat.

## **CURLMANITOBA JURISDICTION**

CurlManitoba shall govern all competitions leading to and including Provincial Championships.

In all matters, the decision of CurlManitoba shall be final.

CurlManitoba is the rule and policy decision forum for Provincial Championships and Provincial Qualifying events.

It remains the responsibility of the players and coaches to read and adhere to the rules of curling published by Curling Canada and the Competitors Guide.

Any questions should be directed to CurlManitoba.

## **Refund Policy**

### **Electronic Entry**

- The deadline date for electronic entry is also the deadline for withdrawing from the competition.
- Until the deadline date, a full refund will be issued but once the deadline passes NO refund will be issued.

### **CurlManitoba Programs**

- Full refunds will be issued if CurlManitoba cancels a program.
- If a participant withdraws from any program five or more working days prior to the start date, a full refund less \$30.00 administration fee will be issued.
- Four days or less no refund will be issued without a valid medical certificate or in extenuating circumstances, which are at the discretion of CurlManitoba.

**Full refunds will be provided if the event is cancelled due to COVID-19**

# **CurlManitoba**

These general rules apply to all Regional Qualifiers, Berth Bonspiels, Manitoba Open and Provincial Championships.

Bonspiels with a Berth are NON-CurlManitoba events except the Manitoba Open.

All CurlManitoba member clubs MUST be a member in good standing with CurlManitoba NO LATER than December 15, 2020.

Manitoba Curling Club lists are to be submitted, with the required membership demographics, by December 15, 2020. Should a club not be a member or not have submitted their list by December 15, 2020 their members will be ineligible to compete in CurlManitoba qualifying and provincial events for the 2020-2021 season.

If a team or player needs to join another club, which is in good standing, the team or player will be given until December 31, 2020.

All CurlManitoba rules and Competitor Guide information will supersede the General Rules of Play published by Curling Canada.

The CurlManitoba Competitor Guide governs all CurlManitoba Provincial Championships and qualifying events.

The General Rules of Curling as published by Curling Canada shall govern all matters not dealt with in the CurlManitoba's Competitor Guide.

Curling Clubs may have their own rules, for their own leagues and their bonspiels with a berth, which will supersede all General Rules of Play published by Curling Canada and/or CurlManitoba.

## **TERMS**

The Manitoba Curling Association Inc. shall be referred to as **CurlManitoba**.

The Canadian Curling Association shall be referred to as **Curling Canada**.

## **APPLICATION**

All competitions leading up to and including the Provincial Championship shall be played under CurlManitoba's Competitor Guide and the General Rules of Curling as published by Curling Canada. In case of a conflict, any special rules shall take precedence.

## **ALCOHOL**

The consumption of alcohol by athletes, coaches and umpires is not permitted at Junior Events, U18 Events and Youth Events.

# CurlManitoba General Rules of Play

**CurlManitoba reserves the right to alter any CurlManitoba draw**

1. At the scheduled time for games to begin, the CurlManitoba Representative shall ring a bell to signify the start of the game. If a team is unable to commence play at the designated time, it shall be assessed the following penalty:
  - If the delay of the start of play is 1-15 minutes, then the non-offending team receives one point after one minute and will have last stone in the first end of actual play. One end is considered complete.
  - If the delay of the start of play is 16-30 minutes, then the non-offending team receives one additional point after 16 minutes and will have last stone in the first end of actual play. Two ends will be considered completed.
  - If play has not started after 30 minutes, then the non-offending team is declared the winner by forfeit with a score of 2-0.
  - At that time, the non-offending team may access the ice for practice.
  
2. All Games will be 10 ends, except:

• Manitoba Open	8 end games
• Manitoba HALFspiel	8 end games
• Seniors, Masters, U18 and 4 person Mixed	8 end games
• Youth Winter & Spring Bonspiel: U13, U15	8 end games
• Mixed Doubles Championship	8 end games
  
3. The bell indicates that the end in progress shall be completed and one more shall be played.
  - 10 End games:  
A bell will ring at 2 hours and 15 minutes, which indicates to finish the end and play one more. A second bell will ring at 2 hours and 35 minutes, which indicates to finish the end and the game, is deemed complete.
  - 8 End games:  
A bell will ring at 1 hour and 50 minutes, which indicates to finish the end and play one more. A second bell will ring at 2 hours and 10 minutes, which indicates to finish the end and the game is deemed complete.
  
4. Manitoba Open and Manitoba HALFspiel a bell will be ring at 1 hour and 45 minutes.
  
5. For Mixed Doubles a bell will be rung at 1 hour and 15 minutes.
  
6. Unless specified, a game may be conceded at any time by the losing team:
  - No points will be counted for an incomplete end when both teams still have stones to be delivered.
  - No points are awarded when one team has delivered all their stones and have stones counting.
  - If one team has delivered all their stones and the other team has a stone remaining and is counting, points will be awarded accordingly.

NOTE: An end is considered complete and the next end is in progress when the final

stone of the end has reached the delivery end t-line.

7. A team may start any game with three players except in 4 person Mixed competitions.
  - A player who has left a game because of illness, accident or other extenuating circumstances may rejoin their team.
  - A player may enter a game between ends or during an end already in progress, **providing** they are able to deliver a stone (of the player who is leaving) within the team's established delivery rotation.
  - The alternate player replaces the sidelined player for the end they leave. At the beginning of the next end, the alternate player may deliver stones in any position of the delivery rotation of their team. The team **must** re-declare their delivery rotation including the skip and vice-skip.

Otherwise, no change in position played shall be made once the game has commenced.

8. Teams must play with the stones provided and the colour chosen on the sheet assigned. Under no circumstances can stones be moved from one sheet to another.

NOTE: players to touch only their own stones

9. In the event of any disagreement between skips, the Event Representative shall be consulted. The Event Representative shall call the On Call Umpire if they cannot make a decision.

10. In the event of a tie, the game is to proceed until a point is scored to decide the winner. Play will continue in the normal end rotation.

11. Should any emergency arise during the time of a CurlManitoba event, CurlManitoba may change the CurlManitoba General Bonspiel Rules.

12. To be eligible for a berth in any CurlManitoba event a team must have won a minimum of one game during the event. EXCEPTION: North Sport Region

13. All teams advancing to a Provincial Championship must have at least three players that participated at the qualifying event in which the team earned their berth to a Championship. Each of those three players **MUST** be present and play in the Championship.

14. It is at the discretion of each club to decide whom they will accept as associate or regular members of their club. Such decisions must be made and a member list must be submitted to CurlManitoba by December 15 th, 2020 allow those individuals to be eligible to play in Provincial Championships.

15. No ice preparation shall occur during the course of a game at any CurlManitoba event.

EXCEPTION: Provincial Championships

**CurlManitoba will follow all Curling Canada rules  
unless indicated in the Competitors Guide**

## COMPETITOR TEAM FEES

1. All teams must submit the current season's Competitor Team Fee plus GST to CurlManitoba for each category that a team competes in.

**Categories:**

Junior, Men, Women, Senior, Mixed, Wheelchair	\$ 150.00/Team
U18	\$ 100.00/Team
Masters	\$ 60.00/Team
Curling Club	\$ 20.00/Team

2. A team winning a Provincial Berth through a non CurlManitoba Bonspiel with a Berth must pay the Competitor Team Fee immediately upon acceptance of the berth.

Competitor Team Fee is due for each category and must be paid prior to the entry deadline date of all CurlManitoba events.

**NOTE:** All Competitor Team Fees MUST be paid on our website at [www.curlmanitoba.org/competitions/curlmanitoba-fees](http://www.curlmanitoba.org/competitions/curlmanitoba-fees)

# CurlManitoba Special Events

## **YOUTH WINTER BONSPIEL** **POSTPONED**

The divisions and eligibility of the bonspiel will be:

1. U13 Open is a maximum of 12 years of age as of December 31, 2020, Born January 1, 2008 or later.
2. U15 Open is a maximum of 14 years of age as of December 31, 2020, Born January 1, 2006 or later.
3. U17 Mixed Doubles is a maximum of 16 years of age as of December 31, 2020, Born January 1, 2004 or later.

### **Rules**

1. All team members must reside in Manitoba.
2. Team composition is open and a team may consist of 4 males, 4 females or any combination of males and females.
3. All games will be 8 ends with a minimum of 6 ends to be completed.
4. A mercy rule is in effect. After 4 ends the team and coaches may decide to concede, BUT play the required 6 ends with the coach's assistance on the ice.
5. 1 hour and 50 minute bell with a second bell 20 minutes later.
6. The Cresting Policy is NOT in effect.

### **Spares**

1. Spares are allowed. Spares must register with the Event Representative prior to playing. Spares must meet the age requirements. Spares cannot have competed in any other division of the bonspiel.
2. Following the registration of their four players, should a player(s) be unable to play due to extenuating circumstances (injury, illness) the team will be permitted to use up to two eligible spares or have the option of continuing with the remaining three players. A spare is a temporary player who may play the position of the missing player or lower.

### **Time Outs**

1. U13—Time outs will consist of two 1-minute time outs that can be called any time during the first 4 ends, coaches are allowed on the ice for ends 5-8.
2. U15--Time outs will consist of one 1-minute time out that can be called any time during the first 4 ends, a 3 minute 4<sup>th</sup> end break and two 1-minute time outs that can be called in the last 4 ends in all games. Extra Ends will have one 1-minute time out.
3. U17-Time outs will consist of two 1-minute time outs. Extra ends will have one 1-minute time out.

### **Coaches**

1. Respect in Sport Certification is mandatory.
2. Prior to the start of competition teams may register a Coach/Adult supervisor.
3. Certification is not required. However, completion of Club Coach OR Competition Coach Trained is STRONGLY RECOMMENDED.

### **Long Term Athlete Development**

Please refer to the Long Term Athlete Development section on page 10.

## LONG TERM ATHLETE DEVELOPMENT

The emphasis of the Youth Winter Bonspiel will be based on the Long Term Athlete Development Model with the emphasis on Fair Play and Development of athletes and coaches.

### Development:

A coach and/or umpire will be present at all games to assist coaches and teams with etiquette, rules and behaviour.

### Fair Play:

The objective is to promote social interaction and fair play within a curling event while encouraging all athletes to play to the best of their ability and to make an effort to experience success during the game.

Everyone should adhere to an honesty policy with regard to rule interpretation and proper conduct.

At the conclusion of each game, the team will rank the opposing team on a scale of 1 to 5.

Any team that does not hand in their ballots at the conclusion of a game will be eliminated from the right to be included in the fair play ranking and prizes.

If a team wishes to comment on the ranking they provided to the other team please write it on the ballot at the bottom or on the back.

### Ranking System:

1 Point	Team was unfriendly and uncooperative, constantly talking while the opposition is throwing, standing in the way, game not enjoyable to play.
2 Points	Some discipline shown by some players but not enough to improve the game, one or two players friendly, game not enjoyable to play, not sure if you want to play this team again.
3 Points	The team for the most part followed the rules, the game was OK, your team enjoyed the competition, team needs to make a few small adjustments to their play.
4 Points	Enjoyed the game, opposition was friendly and obeyed the rules. Showed respect for their competition, the other teams, coaches and umpires or event representatives. The competition was good.
5 Points	Really enjoyed the game. This team represents the spirit of Fair Play! They showed respect, demonstrated integrity, were more concerned about doing their best than winning the game. Acknowledged good performances by both teams, showed support for their teammates when something didn't go their way.

## **The MANITOBA OPEN and the MANITOBA HALFspiel format may change due to Covid-19**

### **Rules**

1. Items contained in the CurlManitoba Manitoba Open Rules will take precedence over the CurlManitoba General Rules.
2. This is an open bonspiel; however, teams competing for Provincial Berths must also comply with all eligibility rules required to compete in the Viterra Championship. Members of teams that do not meet the eligibility rules shall be ineligible for provincial berths. An ineligible member of a team makes the whole team ineligible.
3. Three teams will win berths to the Viterra Championship through the Manitoba Open.
  - One berth each to the Asham Event Winner if the team is not eligible the berth will go to the Finalist
  - If the Asham Event winner is awarded the berth there are 2 remaining berths for 3 teams.
    - Asham Finalist
    - Free Press Winner
    - Nott Autocorp WinnerThese 3 teams will playoff for 2 berths if all 3 teams are eligible.

If one of the teams, Asham finalist, Free Press winner OR Nott Autocorp winner, are ineligible, the berths will be awarded to the remaining two teams.

If two of the teams, Asham finalist, Free Press winner and the Nott Autocorp winner, are ineligible one berth will be awarded to the remaining team.

The final berth will be determined on a countback and playoff game (s) within the Free Press and Nott Autocorp Events at the same level.

The playoff game will be determined by CurlManitoba immediately and the teams will be contacted.

4. No team member additions or substitutions will be permitted after the commencement of the bonspiel. (Roster changes will be accepted by the CurlManitoba Office until the official bonspiel start time-6:00PM Thursday.)
5. Spares will be allowed in the bonspiel as long as they are not a registered member of another team in either the Open Bonspiel OR the HALFspiel. However, when teams reach the 16's of the three 'berth-qualifying' events (Asham, Free Press, Nott Autocorp) spares are **NO** longer allowed. Teams must play in the 16s and from that point forward (8s, 4s, 2s) in the bonspiel with registered team players and will sign a competitors' game card to verify eligibility.
6. The Broom Moratorium is **NOT** in effect. Any team earning a berth must adhere to the Broom Moratorium during the Viterra Championship.

7. There will be no practice ice allotted.
8. All games will be 8 ends. The bell will ring at 1 hour and 45 minutes indicating that the end in progress shall be completed and one more shall be played. Unless specified, a game may be conceded at any time. In the event of a tie, the game is to proceed until a point is scored to decide the winner.
9. In all games where six ends or more have been played and play cannot be continued due to ice conditions and/or problems within the building, such as power failure, condensation falling etc, and subject to approval of the Umpire on duty at Headquarters, the game shall be considered a completed game. All games called prior to the completion of the sixth end shall be declared no contest and replayed. This rule shall not apply to games where two penalty points have been awarded and a game declared complete due to a team being late.
10. Should any emergency arise during the time of the bonspiel, CurlManitoba may change the CurlManitoba General Bonspiel Rules.
11. Curling teams and/or individual curlers may be disqualified from the competition for non-compliance with these bonspiel rules at the discretion of CurlManitoba and/or the Bonspiel Committee.
12. Format
 

* 8 end games	* 1 hour 45 minute bell
* No pre-game practice	* Coin toss for last stone
* Stone colour pre-assigned	
13. The top of the scoreboard is the team named first in the draw.

## **MANITOBA HALFspiel      POSTPONED**

### **Rules**

1. Items contained in the CurlManitoba Manitoba HALFspiel Rules will take precedence over the CurlManitoba General Rules and the Manitoba Open rules.
2. Spares will be allowed in the bonspiel, as long as they are not a registered member of another team in either the Manitoba Open OR the HALFspiel.
3. All games will be 8 ends. A bell will be rung at 1 hour and 45 minutes indicating that the end in progress shall be completed and one more shall be played. Unless specified, a game may be conceded at any time. In the event of a tie, the game is to proceed until a point is scored to decide the winner.
4. In all games where six ends or more have been played and play cannot be continued due to ice conditions and/or problems within the building, such as power failure, condensation falling etc, and subject to approval of the Umpire on duty at Headquarters, the game shall be considered a played game. All games called prior to the completion of the sixth end shall be declared no contest and replayed. This rule shall not apply to games where two penalty points have been awarded and declared complete due to a team being late.

5. Should any emergency arise during the time of the bonspiel, CurlManitoba may change the CurlManitoba General Bonspiel Rules.
6. Curling teams and/or individual curlers may be disqualified from the competition for non-compliance with these bonspiel rules at the discretion of CurlManitoba &/or the Bonspiel Committee.
7. Format
  - \* 8 end games
  - \* 1 hour 45 minute bell
  - \* 4 events, 3 game guarantee
  - \* No pre-game practice
  - \* Coin toss for last stone
  - \* Stone colour pre-assigned
8. The top of the scoreboard is the team named first in the draw.

## **AGE REQUIREMENTS**

### **(for any category with an age restriction)**

U13	Under 13	12 years of age maximum on December 31, 2020, born January 1, 2008 or later.
U15	Under 15	14 years of age maximum on December 31, 2020, born January 1, 2006 or later.
U17	Under 17	16 years of age maximum on December 31, 2020, born January 1, 2004 or later.
U18	Under 18	17 years of age maximum on June 30, 2020, born July 1, 2002 or later.
U21	Under 21	20 years of age maximum on June 30, 2021, born July 1, 2000 or later. NOTE: One overage player allowed born July1, 1999-June 30, 2020
Seniors		50 years of age or older as of June 30, 2021, born June 30, 1971 or earlier.
Master		60 years of age or older as of December 31, 2020, born December 31, 1960 or earlier.
Club		One player allowed born after June 30, 2001.

# CHAMPIONSHIP BERTH ALLOCATION

## 12 TEAM U18 CHAMPIONSHIP

### Gender Specific (Male) and Gender Specific (Female)

Berth 1 – 8	Eight Berths awarded to the winning team for each of the five Sport Region Qualifiers: North (1), East (1), West (2), South (2), Winnipeg (2)  NOTE: West divided into West 1 and West 2. South divided into South 1 and South 2. Winnipeg will have one Regional with 2 Berths.
Berth 9 – 10	Two Berths awarded to the Sport Region(s) with the highest participation ratio.
Berth 11 – 12	Two Berths awarded to the U18 Berth Bonspiel.

**NOTE:** A one- time exemption is available for coaches in a U18 event providing the coach signs an agreement with CurlManitoba stipulating their intent to be qualified by November 30, 2021

## 16 TEAM JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

### Gender Specific (Male) and Gender Specific (Female)

Berth 1 – 8	Eight Berths awarded to the winning team for each of the five Sport Region Qualifiers: North (1), East (1), West (2), South (2), Winnipeg (2)  NOTE: West divided into West 1 and West 2. South divided into South 1 and South 2. Winnipeg will have one regional with 2 Berths.
Berth 9 – 11	Three Berths awarded to the Sport Region(s) with the highest participation ratio.
Berth 12-13	Two Berths awarded to the Junior Berth Bonspiel.
Berth 14	One Berth awarded to the Manitoba Junior Curling Tour highest ranked team at the conclusion of the MJCT Championship in the fall of 2020.
Berth 15	One Berth awarded to the Larry Jones Classic Bonspiel with a Berth.
Berth 16	One Berth awarded to the Swan River MJCT Bonspiel with a Berth.

## 12 TEAM SCOTTIES TOURNAMENT OF HEARTS

**8 TEAMS**

### Gender Specific (Female)

Berth 1 - 4	Four Berths awarded to the winning team for each of the five Sport Region Qualifiers:  Note: North (1), West (1), South (1), East and Winnipeg combined (1)
Berth 5	One Berth awarded to the <u>top Manitoba team on the Canadian Team Ranking System</u> (CTRS) at the conclusion of the 2019-2020 season subject to the following terms: 1) the team comprises of at least 3 of the 4 or 5 members of the previous year's CTRS registered team, and 2) the team must declare in writing by September 30, 2020 their intention to utilize this entry into the Provincial Championship, and 3) in order to remain eligible for the CTRS Berth, all 4 or 5 players must meet the eligibility requirements in the year of the Championship.
Berth 6	One Berth awarded to the <u>top Manitoba team on the 2020-2021 Canadian Team Ranking System</u> (CTRS) as of December 5, 2020 subject to the following terms: 1) the team comprises of at least 3 of the 4 or 5 members of the current year's CTRS registered team, and 2) in order to remain eligible for the CTRS Berth, all 4 or 5 players must meet the eligibility requirements in the year of the Championship.
Berth 7 – 8	Two Berths awarded to the <u>Manitoba Curling Tour</u> (MCT) to be distributed by the MCT executive subject to: 1) the MCT meeting the agreement requirements, and 2) in order to remain eligible for the MCT Berth, all 4 or 5 players must meet the eligibility requirements in the year of the Championship.

**Gender Specific (Male)**

<p>Berth 1 – 8</p>	<p>Eight Berths awarded to the winning team for each of the five Sport Region Qualifiers: North (1), East (1), West (2), South (2), Winnipeg (2)</p> <p>NOTE: West divided into West 1 and West 2. South divided into South 1 and South 2. Winnipeg will have one Regional with 2 Berths.</p>
<p>Berth 9 – 10</p>	<p>Two Berths awarded to the Sport Region(s) with the highest participation ratio.</p>
<p>Berth 11</p>	<p>One Berth awarded to the <u>top Manitoba team on the Canadian Team Ranking System(CTRS)</u> at the conclusion of the 2019-2020 season subject to the following terms: 1) the team comprises of at least 3 of the 4 or 5 members of the previous year’s CTRS registered team, and 2) the team must declare in writing by September 30, 2020 their intention to utilize this entry into the Provincial Championship, and 3) in order to remain eligible for the CTRS Berth, all 4 or 5 players must meet the eligibility requirements in the year of the Championship.</p>
<p>Berth 12 - 13</p>	<p>Two Berths awarded to the <u>top Manitoba teams on the 2020-2021 Canadian Team Ranking System (CTRS)</u> as of December 5, 2020 subject to the following terms: 1) the team comprises of at least 3 of the 4 or 5 members of the current year’s CTRS registered team, and 2) in order to remain eligible for the CTRS Berth, all 4 or 5 players must meet the eligibility requirements in the year of the Championship.</p>
<p>Berth 14 - 15</p>	<p>Two Berths awarded to the <u>Manitoba Curling Tour (MCT)</u> to be distributed by the MCT executive subject to: 1) the MCT meeting the agreement requirements, and 2) in order to remain eligible for the MCT Berth, all 4 or 5 players must meet the eligibility requirements in the year of the Championship.</p>
<p>Berth 16</p>	<p>One Berth awarded to the <u>Men’s Provincial Champion</u> from the previous season if: 1) the team comprises of 3 of the 4 members of the previous year’s provincial winning team, and 2) the team declares in writing by September 30, 2020 their intention of utilizing the Berth, and 3) the team, all 4 or 5 players, meets the eligibility requirements for the year of the current Viterra Championship.</p>

## SENIOR WOMEN CHAMPIONSHIP

### Gender Specific (Female)

Teams competing for the Manitoba Senior Women's Provincial Championship shall enter an open entry bonspiel.

## 16 TEAM SENIOR MEN CHAMPIONSHIP

### Gender Specific (Male)

Berth 1 - 8	Eight Berths awarded to the winning team for each of the five Sport Region Qualifiers: North (1), East (1), West (2), South (2), Winnipeg (2)  NOTE: West divided into West 1 and West 2. South divided into South 1 and South 2. Winnipeg will have one regional with 2 Berths.
Berth 9 – 11	Three Berths awarded to the Sport Region(s) with the highest participation ratio.
Berth 12	One Berth awarded to the winning or highest finishing eligible team of the Granite Curling Club Senior Men's Bonspiel with a Berth.
Berth 13	One Berth awarded to the winning or highest finishing eligible team of the Brandon Curling Club Neil Andrews Senior Men's Bonspiel with a Berth.
Berth 14 - 15	Two Berths awarded to the Strathcona Trust Senior Men's Berth Bonspiel.
Berth 16	One Berth awarded to the <u>Strathcona Trust Senior Men's Provincial Champion</u> from the previous season if: 1) the team comprises of 3 of the 4 members of the previous year's provincial winning team, and 2) the team declares in writing by September 30, 2020 their intention of utilizing the berth, and 3) the team, all 4 or 5 players, meets the eligibility requirements for the year of the current Strathcona Trust Senior Men's Championship.

## **MASTER WOMEN CHAMPIONSHIP**

### **Gender Specific (Female)**

Teams competing for the Manitoba Master Women's Provincial Championship shall enter an open entry bonspiel.

## **16 TEAM MASTER MEN CHAMPIONSHIP**

### **Gender Specific (Male)**

Berth 1 - 8	Eight Berths awarded to the winning team for each of the five Sport Region Qualifiers: North (1), East (1), West (2), South (2), Winnipeg (2)  NOTE: West divided into West 1 and West 2. South divided into South 1 and South 2. Winnipeg will have one regional with 2.
Berth 9 – 12	Four Berths awarded to the Sport Region(s) with the highest participation ratio.
Berth 13	One Berth awarded to the winning or highest finishing eligible team of the Brandon Master Men's Bonspiel with a Berth.
Berth 14 – 15	Two Berths awarded to the CurlManitoba Master Men's Berth Bonspiel.
Berth 16	One Berth awarded to the Manitoba Credit Unions Men's Provincial Champion from the previous season if: 1) the team comprises of 3 of the 4 members of the previous year's provincial winning team, and 2) the team declares in writing by September 30, 2020 their intention of utilizing the berth, and 3) the team, all 4 or 5 players, meets the eligibility requirements for the year of the current Manitoba Credit Unions Men's Championship.

## **12 TEAM CURLING CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP**

### **Gender Specific (Male) and Gender Specific (Female)**

Berth 1 – 8	Eight Berths awarded to the winning team for each of the five Sport Region Qualifiers:  North (1), East (1), West (2), South (2), Winnipeg (2)  NOTE: West divided into West 1 and West 2. South divided into South 1 and South 2. Winnipeg will have one Regional with 2 Berths.
Berth 9 – 11	Three Berths awarded to the Sport Region(s) with the highest participation ratio.
Berth 12	One Berth to be awarded to the Host Club of the Curling Club Championship.  The teams must meet all eligibility requirements of the Championship.

## **OPEN 4 PERSON MIXED CHAMPIONSHIP**

### **Alternating Male & Female**

Teams competing for the Manitoba Mixed Provincial Championship shall enter an open entry bonspiel.

**Entries will be taken starting January 4<sup>th</sup>, 2021 and closing  
February 26<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

# **CurlManitoba Member Clubs**

## **2019-2020**

**The following Sport Regions are in effect for the 2020-2021 season.**

### **North Sport Region**

Burntwood  
Flin Flon  
Gillam  
Snow Lake  
The Pas

### **West Sport Region**

#### WEST 1

Dauphin  
Gilbert Plains  
Gladstone  
Grandview  
Hamiota  
Lansdowne/Arden  
Miniota  
Minnedosa  
Neepawa  
Newdale  
Rorketon  
Shoal Lake  
Swan River  
Wawanesa  
Winnipegosis

#### WEST 2

Boissevain  
Brandon  
Brookdale  
Carberry  
Deloraine  
Glenboro  
Glenora  
Killarney  
Melita  
Rivers  
Riverview  
Souris  
Virden  
Waskada

### **South Sport Region**

#### SOUTH 1

Baldur  
Carman  
Cartwright  
Clearwater  
Holland  
Manitou  
Miami  
Morden  
Oakville  
Pilot Mound  
Portage la Prairie  
Roland  
St. Leon  
Swan Lake  
Treherne  
Winkler

#### SOUTH 2

Altona  
La Salle  
Lorette  
Morris  
St Adolphe  
Ste. Anne  
Starbuck  
Steinbach

## **East Sport Region**

Arborg  
Argyle  
Balmoral  
Beausejour  
East St. Paul  
Eriksdale  
Fisher Branch  
Gimli  
Lac du Bonnet  
Moosehorn  
Petersfield  
Pinawa  
Pine Falls  
Riverton  
Selkirk  
Springfield  
Stonewall  
Teulon  
Victoria Beach  
Whiteshell  
Winnipeg Beach

## **Winnipeg Sport Region**

Assiniboine Memorial  
Charleswood  
Deer Lodge  
Elmwood  
Fort Garry  
Fort Rouge  
Granite  
Heather  
Pembina  
St. Vital  
Thistle  
West St. Paul