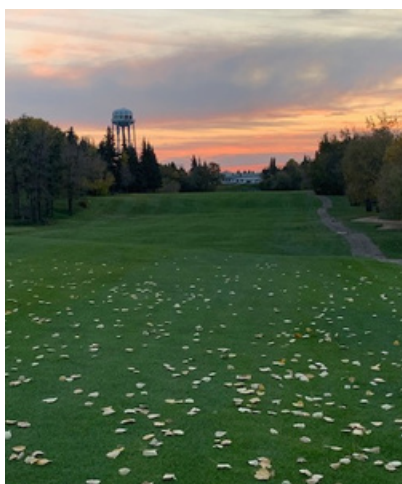




One of the many changes this season - our hedges getting cut back so we can see you better ☺.

What's up?

The time has come for us to say good-bye to the golf course for another season. The weather was so cooperative that the tee sheet was nearly full for the entire month of September! This has been an absolutely amazing year. After Thanksgiving we start our closing procedures and undertake our move to the curling club. We can't wait to see our curlers back on the ice!



Lamont Curling Club Golf Tournament

On Saturday, Oct. 5th the Lamont Curling Club held their fundraising golf tournament at our club. They have been working very hard to raise money to replace their ice plant and they would like to thank everyone that participated in this great event. We are so happy that we could help support another local curling club and we wish them luck in their continued fundraising.



Upcoming Events:

Friday, October 10th

- Deadline for curling registration

Monday, October 13th

- Thanksgiving Day
- Last day of golf operations (weather permitting)

Tuesday, Oct. 14th & Wednesday, Oct. 15th

- Office closed for transition to curling club. We will re-open on the 16th.

Saturday, October 18th

- Open House at curling club
- 12 pm to 2 pm

Monday, October 20th

- First day of curling season! 🇨🇦

Saturday, November 1st

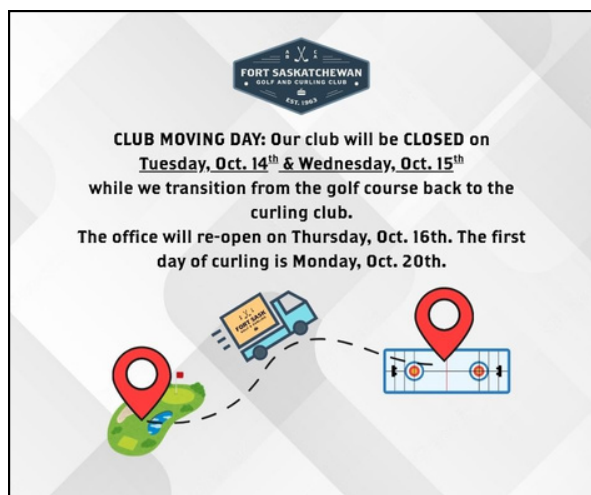
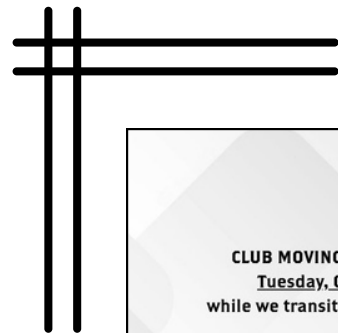
- Stirling Bonspiel
- Registration is open

Saturday, Nov. 15th & Sunday, Nov. 16th

- Senior Bonspiel
- Registration is open

Saturday, Nov. 22nd & Sunday, Nov. 23rd

- Curling Alberta coaching clinic
- Fort Sask Curling Club
- Registration is open



Pro Shop

We're clearing out all remaining stock in our Pro Shop! This is it, your last chance to grab some new golf gear at discounted prices. Help us make room for new 2026 merchandise! And enjoy discounts everyday on golf too!



Fort Saskatchewan Golf and Curling Club

October Green fee sales and year-end Proshop blowout!

Starting October 1st and for the remainder of the 2025 golf season, green fees will be \$25.00 for nine holes and \$40.00 for eighteen holes, 7 days a week! This deal does not include carts. Book your fall tee times 5 days in advance @ www.fortsaskgolf.com or calling the Proshop @ (780) 998-2255. The course as well will not be aerated till the end of the season!!!

Proshop year-end sales!!!

All clothing starting October 1st will be 35% off. All accessories including hats 30% off and all 2024 golf clubs 25% off!

Happy fall golfing and thanks for making 2025 such a fantastic year!!!



Gift Certificates?

Have a gift certificate stashed away in your wallet or tucked away at home? Club gift certificates can be used to pay for food & beverage at the 19th Hole, as well as for rounds of golf and merchandise in the Pro Shop. Dig out your gift certificate(s) and treat yourself!

Looking 🧐 for a gift for someone? 📺 Gift certificates can be purchased for that special occasion in our Pro Shop, or throughout the winter at the curling club.



Course Update

October is here and it's the most important month of the year! The work that gets put in will dramatically impact the ability to survive the coming winter season. Cultural practices are key to the survivability, so aeration of greens and tees is paramount. We do a large hollow core aeration on both greens and tees to remove organic content. On average, with a ½" size tine, we can displace roughly 10% of the green. Those channels that are created are then filled with sand and provide a place for air exchange to happen. It is the air exchange that give the greens and tees a greater chance to survive the winter. As we get closer to the end of October we will treat most areas of the course with fungicide before covering the greens. This year we will be implementing 2 different methods of covering the greens: 1st being what we have been doing for numerous years which is a medium layer of sand to prevent desiccation from exposure if we don't get adequate snow cover. The issue with this method is we are not protected from premature snow melt through the winter which caused us a lot of issues last winter. The 2nd method is a 2-step tarp system. We will be putting down a matting called futerra which helps with air exchange and a non-permeable layer on top of that. The benefit of this system is that there is no desiccation of the turf, and no moisture can get through so the likelihood of disease is greatly reduced. The courses that have implemented this system have had rave reviews in their greens coming through winters in way better condition than without. Also, this month we will be blowing the irrigation system out with a large compressor. This job typically takes 6-7 hours and is imperative to surviving winter freeze up.

- Jerry Kinzer, Superintendent

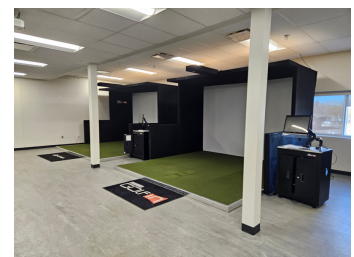
Worker Bee



There is a lot to do to close up the course and winterize it so that it is in tip-top shape for next year. We are looking for a few people to help us out with course cleanup. Watch for an email to be sent out with a date.

Golf Simulators – **SOLD**

We are sorry to announce that our golf simulators have been sold and we will no longer be offering virtual golf at the curling club over the winter. We understand that this is disappointing to many of our guests. Thank you to everyone that enjoyed them over the past several seasons!



Drop a Note in the Suggestion Box

Have a suggestion or concern? Have a thought you'd like to share with the golf committee or the board? Drop a note in the suggestion box located in the Pro Shop. We value your feedback!



2025 Last Chance Tournament

It was a beautiful day for the last club tournament of the season. Thank you to everyone that joined us! Congratulations to the winners – it was a clean sweep by the Ferrises and their partners!



Leslie Elliott & Carla Ferris



Justin & Mike Ferris



Men's & Ladies Winners



Thank You Golfers!

Thank you to all of our golfers and guests for another amazing season here at the Fort Saskatchewan Golf Course! We appreciate everyone that has played, booked an event, and volunteered. Our course exists for the benefit of the community and we are so proud to be a part of it. We look forward to welcoming you back for the 2026 season. Watch for our golf Ice Tee Newsletter to be released in late winter with membership and league information.

Volunteer Appreciation Event

We couldn't do it all without our volunteers! So many have taken the time to contribute to the club and we want to thank all of you. Watch for more information to come regarding our volunteer appreciation event to be held at the curling club.

Welcome Back Curlers!

The curling season is almost here!
The season begins on Monday, Oct. 20th.



- League schedules will be sent out by email by Friday, Oct. 17th.
- If you have not filled out your waiver please do so as soon as possible. A copy can be found on our website.
- Waivers MUST be filled out by ANYONE stepping on the ice. Please have any subs fill one out and return it to the office before participating.



Looking For a Few More Teams!

Some of our leagues still really need more teams to fill up their schedules:

- Tuesday Stirling – 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm
- Wednesday 8-Pack (Learn to Curl) – 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm
- Friday Adult Open – 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm
- All other leagues (except Wed. Srs.) still have room for a few more too.

If you are interested, give us a call at (780) 998-3372 or email us at fortsaskgolfcurling@shaw.ca. Don't have a team? We may be able to help! Please share with friends and family that might be interested as well.

VOLUNTEERS are a fundamental part of our club and an excellent way to give back. Consider signing up to help coach our 8-Pack League, Juniors, or school groups. Sharing your knowledge will help to grow the sport of curling in Fort Saskatchewan! Please contact Carol in the office at (780) 998-3372 to sign up. The coaching clinic is not required to volunteer but is a great resource. (See coaching clinic info on next page).

Try Curling Open House

Want to warm up before the season starts? Join us at the Try Curling Open House on Saturday, October 18th, from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm. Current curlers are more than welcome to stop by and throw a few rocks. Please RSVP at <https://luma.com/ec2dn8c4> to let us know you are coming 😊





Curling Membership



Again this year, every curler has paid a Curling Alberta affiliation fee with their registration. This enrolls the Fort Saskatchewan Golf & Curling Club as a member of the Curling Alberta organization. You may be wondering what our membership in Curling Alberta does for you and your club? A full guide will be emailed to all curlers once the season starts with more information, but here are a few of the highlights:

Breakdown of fees:

NEW PER-CURLER FEE STRUCTURE

PERSONAL INSURANCE	\$1
CURLING ALBERTA FEE	\$16
CURLING CANADA FEE	\$5
TOTAL	\$22

Benefits to Curlers:

- Personal accident insurance
- Access to programs such as Junior Ready to Rock
- Access to coaching courses
- Ability to participate in Curling AB and Curling CA sanctioned events
- Discounts on Budget car rentals (code W876677) and Belair insurance

Benefits to Club:

- Club support consultations
- Website resources
- Trained instructors for learn to curl programs
- Equipment loans
- Access to Curling AB programs such as Junior Ready to Rock
- Grant application assistance

Curling Coach Clinic

November 22 & 23, 2025 @ the Fort Sask Curling Club

9:00 am to 4:30 pm each day

Cost: \$150.00 (plus gst)



This season we are hosting a club coaching clinic. The Club Coach program is a workshop designed to enhance the skill set of instructors who function predominantly at the club level. The Club Coach will be competent in training curlers from youth to masters, with skill levels of beginner to intermediate. The Club Coach is able to instruct novice (Learn to Curl) and intermediate clinics. This course is perfect for those that want to become more involved in our club and work with our youth programs and Learn to Curl leagues. Open to all that may be interested. Minimum age requirement – 16 years old.

Register at the following link: <https://ab.curling.io/en/products/9519-club-coach-course-fort-saskatchewan-golf-and-curling-club> or visit the Curling Alberta website > click on Education tab > select Course Schedule, and you will find a registration link next to our club name.



**We're getting
ready...**



BONSPIELS

UPCOMING

BONSPIELS

2025-26

NOV 1	STURLING
NOV 15-16	SENIORS
DEC 6-7	MEN SPONSORED BY: HOSLER CONCRETE
JAN 24	LADIES
FEB 21	DAVE WEIR MEMORIAL STURLING
MAR 7	MIXED

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HURRY HARD!

STURLING BONSPIEL

3 Games Guaranteed!
Cash Payouts for Each Game

SAT. NOV 1
2025

6 END GAMES
\$120 per 2-person
open team
Lunch included
Drink specials all day!

START
9 AM

phone: (780)998-3372 email: gmfortsaskgolfcc@gmail.com

Registration is Open!

2025 Fort Saskatchewan Golf and Curling Club
Open Sr. Bonspiel
November 15/16, 2025

Cost: \$320 per team

Guaranteed three games and open to men, women and mixed teams. Six end games and finals will be eight ends. First 16 teams paid. Two games on Saturday and potential two games on Sunday.

First draw at 10 am with lunch on Saturday and appetizer platter for each team on Sunday, fun, lots of draw prizes and cash payouts for each pool winners. Food and drink specials on all day with a 50/50 draw, draw to the button contest after second draw and a doubles board sponsored by Sea Change Brewing for each draw.

To register please email Adam Pederson at gmfortsaskgolfcc@gmail.com or call (780)- 998-3372

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MEN'S BONSPIEL

DECEMBER 6TH & 7TH, 2025

Happy Hour
and Lunch
Specials Each
Day!

- \$400 PER TEAM
- INCLUDES SATURDAY SUPPER
- GUARANTEED 4 GAMES (BASED ON 16 TEAMS)
- \$3000 PURSE PAID OUT TO TOP 8 TEAMS (BASED ON 16 TEAMS)
- PRIZES

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