



**Bradford Curling Club**

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Hello, it's the last day of January, let's hope February is kinder to us.....Congratulations to two curlers with Bradford ties, Frank Badowich is off the Winnipeg to curl with the Wyllie Allan rink, in the Canadian Police Curling Championships, while Jane Hooper-Perroud travels to Ennismore, as part of the Marilyn Bodogh skipped foursome, to play in the OCA Senior Ladies Provincials.....Plans are complete for the Family Day Open House and Mixer Jitney, both held on Feb. 15<sup>th</sup>, check the BCC website for details. The Open House is to be held between the hours of 10:00 AM and 4:00 PM, while the Jitney starts at 7:00 PM.....By the way Bob Kelsey is still looking for help at the Open House, this is to assist the new curlers and acquaint them with the game, if you can spare a couple of hours email Bob at, [bob.kelsey059@sympatico.ca](mailto:bob.kelsey059@sympatico.ca) and let him know.....Another greatly successful Leads and Seconds bonspiel was held last Saturday, introducing many new curlers to the club. A big thank you to Barb Miedema, Carolyn Johnstone, Sue Kelsey and Brian Febel for their organizing of the event. More information on the BCC website and many revealing pictures on the club Facebook page....Bill Bennett has information out on the Spring Golf Tournament check the board at the club or the website, under Events, for more. Make sure you sign up as this event is always sold out....Also the date is nearing for our Yuk-Yuk night, just 8 more sleeps, there may be a few stray tickets still around, check with Anna Royce directly if you do not have yours yet.....Don't forget the BCC has a couple of promotions out there in the community.... One is Pro Oil Change, located up there by the Home Depot, just mention that you are from the Bradford Curling Club and a portion of the sale will go back to the club, it does not cost you anything.....Another is Tee Times Indoor Golf, down by the 400 and Highway 7, if you are headed south and want to play some simulator golf before you head out, tell them you are from the BCC and there is a special deal waiting for you. If Ryan Lamb is there at the time say hello to him.....Congrats to Archie deRidder, the big 1500 plus points winner in the CYOR Thursday 'Jerk the Joker', he was a sole winner and not part of a team ticket.....Rob Foster had a bit of a setback after his heart surgery and spent a few days back in the hospital, with an unrelated condition, but is back at home now and on his road to recovery.....The BCC is hosting the Men's Silver Tankard in February and it would be nice to have a club entry, sign up has to be done online, see the OCA website for entry details.....I have to honestly say I do not know if I would make it through the winter without curling, especially this year.....Until next time, wouldn't you just love to play the 'Stadium Hole' at TPC Scottsdale. I can hear the booing now, dream on Walter. And how about Graham DeLaet's Thursday outfit, made Rickie Fowler's orange look tame.