



Hello. Last year was not a good year for Around the House, but this year things will change and I promise we will get more information out, by this means, then we did last year.....Golf has not finished by any means for this season, but the Deadender's League has, as they held their wind-up a few weeks back, the last game was played and prizes were handed out on August 30<sup>th</sup>. Mike Donelle came out on top, the top five list and a few comments can be seen on the website Home Page. Thanks to Brian Febel and Greg Ind for their organizational skills, about 30 curlers took part in the inaugural season of the league. Become part of it next year it was a good time and kept the curlers in touch with each other during the off season.....While we are thanking people, through the work of our Retention Committee, headed up by Kim Moyles, and the manual labour of Bob Kelsey and Glenn Goshulak, we have a great promotional sign on the east end of the building, this is very visible from Marshview Blvd. showing people that there is in fact a curling club in Bradford.....Curling started early for one team, Team Hardman once again took a trip south to Knoxville, TN and played in the Rocky Top Open for the second season, they could not replicate last years 4 and 1 record but reports are they had a great time. Maybe that was the problem, they had too good a time.....Pleased to say the Bradford Curling Club has finally entered the Tech World, as we now have Online Membership Registration and payment along with the same for our Bonspiels. The membership component is complete but not all Bonspiels are on the website as yet. These will be there before the season starts.....Just when does the season start, the ice is schedule to be completed on Oct. 10<sup>th</sup> with clinics, practice ice and the early Bird taking up the first week and a half. Leagues will start on Monday the 22<sup>nd</sup>, there may be one Sunday league starting on the 21<sup>st</sup> but that will depend on numbers registered.....While talking about ice, the Directors have taken the leap and this year will see the installation of Jet Ice's end to end system. This will bring an end to painting, of both the white surface and the circles, and will provide us with uniform colouring for our ice surface. Thanks to Russ Gale for negotiating the purchase of this system and for coming up with a payment plan which we could not turn down.....Back to golf. BCC has applied to marshal a hole at next year's CP Women's Canadian Women's Open being played at the Magna course in Aurora. If you did not get the email with all the information, it will be on the website in a few days. If you did receive the email, and are interested in volunteering, please register right away as we need 20 volunteers to be accepted and these opportunities will be snapped up by local golf courses.....Until next time keep an eye on the TV for some events being televised in the next few weeks, right now it is the Curling World Cup from China.