



Superior Curling Club

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SCC 2020 / 2021 COVID Safety RULES

These RULES will be in place as we begin the 2020/2021 season. As the situation is rapidly changing, these RULES may be modified throughout the season. Thank you in advance for cooperating and keeping us all safe while we enjoy the “Roaring Game”!

- We are going to need volunteer assistance from all members to make the season safe and successful! You will be asked and expected to help with cleaning, icemaking, instruction, etc. Thanks for helping us through these difficult times.
- Stay home if you are feeling ill, have any COVID symptoms, have a fever, or have had recent contact with a COVID positive person. If you have had contact you should be tested and not curl until you have a negative test!
- Players are to come dressed ready to curl and just change shoes. Locker rooms will be closed as they are very small.
- Masks to be worn at all times in the building INCLUDING on ice during games. If you cannot wear a mask, you cannot curl.
- Beverages limited to bottles and cans only (no mixed drinks) to eliminate ice machine access, etc. Drinks will continue to be allowed on ice. Designate one person per team to fetch drinks to minimize crowding around cooler. Mask must be worn other than when actually taking a sip.
- Teams to do coin toss (or other method – rock paper scissors, e.g.) before heading to ice. Sheets A & C will start play and store rocks at far end. Sheets B & D will play the normal way. No handshakes, just a hearty “good curling”. Move to your position and do not gather behind the hacks. Exit and leave by the nearest door to your sheet. Return rocks to proper starting position at end of game! Move rocks with you broom, not your hands.
- One sweeper per stone per team. Other sweeper can time the rock to stay involved. Help others learn this skill!
- Players to maintain 6’ distance at all times.
- No sweeping by the skip or vice during opponents shot (i.e. stay behind the house at all times until your team’s turn).
- Benches will not be placed on ice. Stand at least 6’ apart while not involved.
- There will be a buzzer at 20 minutes before the next shift. When the buzzer sounds, finish the end you are on; game over. Ties will stand (no skips rocks or extra ends) and will entered into the standings as a tie.
- Each team/player is expected to wipe / sanitize their own rock handles, club brooms, stabilizers, etc. (before and after play). Winning team is to wipe / sanitize the mop handle, dust pan, score markers, etc. Volunteers and staff who use scrapers, nipper, pebbles, etc. are expected to wipe / sanitize them after use.
- The kitchen will be closed. No food is to be prepared (or brought in).
- Socializing is limited to 4 people per table. Members are expected to clean up and sanitize their own tables. Teams will on occasion be asked to clean common areas (door handles, counters, bathrooms) before or after games. A schedule and checklist will be provided.