

Port Moody Curling Club

Curling In September

September 02, 2021



Your Safety Is Our Priority

The PMCC Board, Covid Committee and League Representatives have always been and will continue to be focused on a safe return to curling this season for all our members.

Please remember that this plan will most likely change as conditions and regulations are updated.

We ask that everyone be patient, be considerate and be respectful of your fellow curlers and staff.

Many have expressed safety concerns and would appreciate you adhering to our safety guidelines. Thank you in advance for your compliance and we're looking forward to seeing everyone back on the ice!


BC's Proof of Vaccination

- Following new requirements announced on August 24 by the Provincial Health Officer (PHO) for all members and visitors.
- Need to show proof of at least one COVID-19 vaccination by September 13th, 2021.
- Proof of full immunization by October 24th, 2021.
- PMCC requires all members and visitors born in 2009 or earlier (12+) to be vaccinated by the above dates if they curl or visit any curling area in the recreation center.

How To Prepare For The Vaccine Verification

- As of September 13, 2021 all members and visitors using the curling areas will be checked for their first and/or second vaccination by a representative of PMCC.
- Curlers must arrive at least 20 minutes before the start of their first league game so that they can have their vaccinations verified.
- Before September 13, 2021 all curlers need to prepare for vaccination verification by going to <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/covid-19/vaccine/proof>

Equipment

- PMCC will be lending out equipment on a day to day basis this year. PMCC will supply sanitizing wipes for the cleaning of the equipment but the responsibility of the care (cleaning) and the returning of the equipment will be on the individual using the equipment.
 - If a team chooses to "share" their equipment amongst their team that is their **CHOICE**. They will be responsible for that equipment and ensuring it is cleaned.
 - PMCC will not supply sanitization material for that purpose nor take any responsibility if anything should occur in the "sharing" of equipment.
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In The Recreation Facility

- Masks are **required** for the safety and comfort of fellow curlers, staff and other user groups.
- Masks are **required** upon entry to the recreation facility.
- Hand sanitizer is readily available at the front entrance of the facility for all users.

On The Ice

- Masks are optional when engaged in physical activity on the ice.
- Markers will be in the ice outside the hog lines for social distancing.
- Sanitizing wipes will be available to clean rock handles (each team is responsible to clean their own rocks at the start of their game).
- Lysol sanitizing spray will be used to spray the scoreboards (the team that is keeping score will be responsible to spray down the scoreboard at the end of the game).
- Curling will be played by the regular rules and format.
- Games will be 2 hours in length with the exception of the doubles being 1.5 hours.

In The Lounge/ Bar Area

- When not seated Masks are **required** for the safety and comfort of fellow curlers and staff.
- There will be no jumping from table to table to socialize.
- Staff will be required to wear masks in this space.
- Maximum of eight people per table.
- Maximum capacity is 75 occupants.
- Hand sanitizer will be readily available in the bar area.

These requirements are subject to change without notice.

