

# Table talk Jan 24, 2011

Hannay's Men's Open Bonspiel. We have 32 registered and a wait list of 7 teams. We would like to welcome visitors to the bonspiel and hope that you enjoy yourself. Shawnessey Gallagher is the chair person. Our thanks to our main sponsor Hannay's Ltd for their support. They will be providing a vehicle for us to use as a shuttle service and we thank them. Bring friends and family to enjoy the curling which starts Friday at 1 pm.

Division sponsors are the Imperial Group and Global Door and Windows. Sheet sponsors are UAP Napa Auto Parts, Richard's Service Station, St. Louis Hardware and Caissie Populaire. Labatts are also a sponsor and the bar will only be their products.

Provincial Mixed: The weekend of March 18<sup>th</sup>., the Mixed provincial will be held at our club. It is an event that we are happy to be hosting and an opportunity to showcase our club and communities. We hope to be entertained with good curling and good curlers.

Many aspects of staging this competition will be looked after by the NBCA. The responsibility of the club is to run the event per the directives received from the association. A variety of jobs will be needed to be filled such as timing of games, updating the webcast as the games progress and other jobs related to running a bonspiel. Training for some of these tasks will be provided by the association a few days prior to the event so we will be comfortable with our tasks. A few fun events are planned as well.

We are hoping for 20 volunteers to help run this event smoothly and remember more is less. A sign up sheet is on the scoreboard. Chair person Paulette Girvan.

Friday Supper will be on Feb 4 from 5 to 8pm and on the menu is Pork Chop Supreme.

Curl for cancer will be on Saturday Feb 19<sup>th</sup>. and please consider entering a team to help raise funds for the cancer Society. Chair persons are Terry and Denise Tweedie.

Commercial League Sponsors. In our Sunday night commercial league we have 17 teams and the majority of teams have corporate sponsors. Committee is Glen Daigle and Ron Robichaud. This week we are listing the first half of the sponsors and skips.

Babin Paving	Everard Richard
Bay Tech College	Mark Carruthers
Bonar Law Memorial	Troy McKenzie
Cartier Coop	Wesley Johnson
Daigle Survey	Glen Daigle
Imperial Group	Gilles Robichaud
Napa Auto Parts	Ross Agnew

Dominion Bonspiel will be held at Heather Curling Club- St Andrews and the St. Stephen Curling club on March 17-20. The Club must register if we are to send a team and make a deposit. If there is interest in going we will reserve a men and ladies team. Club representative will be determined by a play off format. Our deadline for interest is Friday Jan 29 th. Registration fees are \$160 per team. Last year fees included hotel accommodations.

Congratulations to Megan and Rob Woodburn who were one of 3 top finalists in the unlucky travelers contest and had a trip to New York. They were not the top finalist but enjoyed their trip. If I were them I would avoid helicopter rides in the future.

Monday-Tuesday Leagues: New schedules are posted for Monday and Tuesday leagues as well as list of players. We were able to reduce the number of repeat games. With 2 byes per week it is difficult to make a perfect schedule. Any major errors please let us know. Committee is Delphis Cormier and Louis Emile Daigle.

Assurance Gallant Ladies Bonspiel. A wrap meeting is planned for Monday February 7, 2011 at 5:30 pm. Every one is welcome as they review the bonspiel and look forward to 2012. A list of winners and runner ups is posted on the board and on the website.

Team Night. Match committee are reviewing playoff format(s) and length of season to accommodate them. Expect information shortly which will be posted.