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Notice!

In September of last year the Board of Directors advertised in major newspapers in Western Canada for the position of General Manager of the Prince George Golf and Curling Club.

A total of 32 applications were received. These applications were then screened and a short list of the best candidates was made.

On February 5, 1994 the Board of Directors extensively interviewed the short listed candidates.

On behalf of the board of Directors I am pleased to announce to the membership and staff of the Prince George Golf and Curling Club that Michael Mathews has been hired as the new General Manager.

> Jack Mackenzie President

President's Report

What a great curling season!

Three provincial representatives. First and foremost Diane Dalio's rink with Donna Gervais, RaeAnn Copeland and Lorraine Flannigan, the Ladies' B.C. Provincial Champions. Lots of TV coverage putting Prince George back on the curling map.

The Jim Horswell rink with Bud Burbee, Neil King and Bob Miscovitch, Senior Men's Provincial Champions and the Tom Carmichael Rink with Rick Delorme, Art McKay and Bill Fillion, the B.C. Legion Provincial Champions.

Let's not forget the Bob Ursel and Kevin Smale Men's teams who qualified for the final eight with Bob Ursel's team coming third to Rick Folk, the Brier winner. Also, the Junior Zone winners, the Corey Kilden team representing us very well in Prince Rupert.

A big hand to Glen Pierce, who was busy trying to qualify for the Seniors and Mixed curling payoffs, but still took the time to coach the Ladies B.C. Champions and the Junior Zone winners.

A lot of the praise for this year's results has to go to the Curling Committee which looks after and organizes all the curling events for the year. What a good idea it was to include ladies, men's juniors and Senior's teams in the Super League to give everyone the opportunity to curl against great competition. It's this competition that creates the champions we have. Congratulations to all of you and the club looks forward to another great year next year. Jack Mackenzie

President

Pro Shop News

The Pro Shop is now open and we invite you to come in and see our new equipment and spring fashions.

We will have some "Spring Specials" available for the month of April that will let you start the season with some great sav-

All our Top-Line clubs will sell for 20% off to keep us competitive with other golf shops. If we do not have what you want, we can get any product.

There will also be some good clothing specials. Watch for our special "Sale Table" which will be an ongoing feature throughout the season.

For those of you who wish to practice a lot, there will be a seasonal Driving Range Pass. Adult fees will be \$80.00 per season and Junior fees will be \$40.00 per season.

Club storage will be up \$2.00 to \$80.00 for the season. This covers club storage, cleaning and use of a pull cart for the season. We really need your support in this area to get as many bags in storage as possible to maintain our service level. There are plenty of bag storage spots for everyone and we hope you will take advantage of this. Have your clubs clean all the time and avoid having to take your clubs out of the car every time (storing clubs in your trunk is not good for them).

A good idea for spring is a tune-up lesson to start the season on the right note. Geoff, Ken and I will be available for lessons as soon as the net is fixed.

TIP! Take extra care in loosening up and stretching those winter muscles before you hit any shots.

I would like to give a warm welcome to all the new members, who I am sure will quickly realize they have joined one of the finest and friendliest clubs anywhere.

We look forward to seeing you all and having a good start to another great season at the club.

Laurie Pierce

Georgian Contest

The membership number hidden in the March Georgian has not been claimed. Contest prize is a gift certificate good for dinner for four at the Club.

If you find your membership number hidden in this issue of the Georgian, please give Mike a call at the Club, 563-0357.



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25th Annual Mixed Spiel

Thirty-four teams took part in our 1994 Mixed Bonspiel, held February 25th, 26th and 27th. Thank you to all our sponsors and the curlers for making it a success. The banquet was once again, excellent. Thank you to Vern and his staff. The large dance floor was great; thank you, Flo and also Vera, for your help.

The Elimination Draw was a big hit and our #1 winner was Art McKay. Also approximately 24 other prizes were given out. A big thank you to BC Gas, Croft Hotel, BTS-NIF (Byers Transport Systems), Toronto-Dominion Bank and Central Husky for their generous donations and their continued support. Another big thank you to our Event & Trophy Sponsors.

'A' EVENT - Overwaitea Foods

1st Dave Winkel, Dot Pratt, Berie Pratt, Sandy Pratt

2nd Dale McMann, Merle Allen, Lorne Allen, Daphne McMann

3rd Denis Dunkley, Leah Delisle, Gerry March, Shirley Dunkley

4th Rick Fewster, Julie Bruintjes, Buddy Bruintjes, Saima Fewster

'B' EVENT - Canada Tust

1st Bill Lim, Suzanne Minck, Claude Kutyk, Carla Walker
 2nd Mike Mathews, Chris Carson, Sid Hawes, Joyce Michaud
 3rd Larry Parker, Lorri Kidd, Laurie Kidd, Charmaine Parker
 4th Anita Pendergast, Russ Trenaman, Betty Trenaman, Ken
 Pendergast

'C' EVENT - Croft Hotel

1st Bill Lim, Suzanne Minck, Claude Kutyk, Carla Walker
 2nd Mike Mathews, Chris Carson, Sid Hawes, Joyce Michaud
 3rd Larry Parker, Lorri Kidd, Laurie Kidd, Charmaine Parker
 4th Anita Pendergast, Russ Trenaman, Betty Trenaman, Ken
 Pendergast

'D' EVENT - Lakewood Electric Ltd.

1st Keith Sales, Janice Lazzarin, Jay Lazzarin, Diane Sales
 2nd Corey Kilden, Kerry Kilden, Ron Kilden, Melissa Webster
 3rd Byron Gallagher, Kim Winkel, Mike Gallagher, Kay-Lynn Love
 4th Fred Withey, Carol Withey, Wayne Colliss, Linda Colliss

We hope everyone enjoyed this bonspiel and we look forward to seeing you all back again along with some more of your friends.

Kay & Ed Goodkey

From the Superintendent

With the warmer weather, we pushed the snow off the greens starting on Monday, February 28, 1994. It took Glen 3½ days to clear the snow off the old greens.

Once the snow was off the greens and the temperature warmed up we were able to push the ice off the greens. It took two weeks to get the ice off the old greens, with the exception of four days during that period, we pushed ice every day. The greens are very wet after the ice comes off so I let them dry out a little before I cover them with tarps. All greens are fungicided to prevent any development of disease.

With the golf season approaching, some things to remind you about:

- replace all divots
- repair ball marks
- keep power and pull carts outside white lines
- when leaving #4 to go to #6 tee, please avoid crossing in front of #16 green. Stay to cart path.

Stephen Kerbrat
Course Superintendent



Mixed Spiel - "A" Event - Overwaitea Foods Skip Dave Winkel, Third Dot Pratt, Second Bernie Pratt, Lead Sandra Pratt



Mixed Spiel - "B" Event - Canada Trust Skip Bill Lim, Third Suzane Minck, Second Claude Kutyk, Lead Carla Walker



Mixed Spiel - "C" Event - Croft Hotel Skip Art Robin, Third Brenda Peacock, Second Gary Peacock, Lead Marina LaBar



Mixed Spiel - "D" Event - Lakewood Electric Ltd.

Skip Keith Sales, Third Janice Lazzarin, Second Jay Lazzarin,

Lead Diane Sales

The 46th Annual Ladies Bonspiel

Thirty-eight (38) rinks entered the Prince George Ladies' 46th Annual Bonspiel held on March 11, 12 and 13, 1994. Ten of these teams were from out of town and one local team was skipped by a lady all the way form Nelson, B.C. (Mrs. Marg Salekin). The event winners were as follows:

'A' EVENT - Porter & McMillan Insurance trophy Shawn Hartman, Trudy Cowger, Lorren Amorson, Shelly Godberson (Fort St. John)

'B' EVENT - The Citizen Trophy

JoAnn Hartnett, April Audet, Carol Buholzan, Colleen Coben (Quesnel)

'C' EVENT - Lakewood Electric Trophy

Roseann Mullner, Josie Mueller-Abriel, Joyce Birlew, Mary Hickman (Prince George)

'D' EVENT - B.C. Chemicals Trophy

Charmaine Staley, Randy Petkau, Diane Sweet, Faye Kelly (Prince George)

The theme of this year's bonspiel was the "Flower Power 1960s" which was an immediate success. Several teams enhanced this 1960 remake of Woodstock with very unique costumes. Cathy Cameron's adaptation of "free love" was a hit! *Thanks, Ladies!*

Friday night's Hospitality Night was sponsored by Dave George of Spee-Dee Printers, Mark Wilson of Diachem, and Susan Weatherly of Prince George Office Supplies. I think we all enjoyed the free wine/beer and excellent hors d'oeuvres! Karaoke by Phil Smith was once again a tremendous success. Cathy Cameron (formerly Patsy Cline) was the winner of the Karaoke prize of the free limo ride and Keg gift certificate (P.S., Patsy, you were awesome!). Everyone enjoyed and participated this year, if only in laughter!

Saturday night's dinner was surpassed by none. Chef Vern Olsen of the Prince George Golf & Curling Club out-did himself. An excellent meal. Vonda Hofferd did an excellent job as MC for the evening (thanks, Vonda, you were great). Saturday night was highlighted by the presence of the Prince George Firemen, who for a fund-raising campaign raised \$300.00 on behalf of Muscular Dystrophy and kept the ladies dancing all night! (Rumour has it that next year they will be back with more dance partners for us!) A special thanks goes out to Nicki Warner and Blake King for making the arrangements to have the firemen attend.

Shel Jacobsen Financial Services deserves our special thanks for his extreme generous sponsorship of our spiel. Coffee and donuts Saturday morning were enjoyed by all as well as the Happy Hour Saturday night which Shel also sponsored!

Ron Phillips also deserves a big "Thank You" for arranging to have the men curlers clean the ice throughout the weekend. Ron was also our costume judge (which was a tough job!) The Charmaine Staley team won this prestigious event!

Thanks also goes out to the wonderful ladies who ran the registration desk on Friday night. Thank you, Mavis MacDonald, Gladis Cormack, Lois Schaeffer, and especially Vera Rohel who helped run the desk as well as doing up our draw!

Fred and Vonda Hofferd made those awesome PEACE necklaces, which everyone (being sports) wore all weekend. THANK YOU! A big thank you also goes out to the wonderful bar and waitress staff at the club who were outstanding all weekend. They participated in the 1960s theme and joined in on the fun.

The tremendous success of this year's bonspiel was directly related to the great participation of all the ladies both on and particularly off the ice. Thanks to Barb Boese for suggesting the great bonspiel theme!

I owe a special thanks to all those ladies who worked so very hard at organizing this year's event. They were:

Charmaine Staley, Barb Boese, Joanne Choquette, Julia Cooke, Roseann Mullner, Cindy Peppler, Nuala Gelz, Vonda Hofferd, Judy Black, Debbie McPhee, Cheryl Wood, Sandra Kutyn, Nicki Warner, Linda Murray, Lois Schaeffer, Joyce Michaud, Mavis MacDonald, Gladis Cormack, and Vera Rohel.

Linda Murray and Nicki Warner did an excellent job on the prizes this year. This is a lot of work and these girls spent hours and hours shopping for us. Thank you!

Sandra Kutyn, this year's president, deserves a special mention and our gratitude. Without her excellent organizational skills, her patience and guidance, as well as her unlimited energy and enthusiasm this bonspiel would never have been the success it was! Thank you Sandra!

Thank you, everyone and I hope to see everyone back again next year!

Faye Kelly Bonspiel Chairperson



Porter & McMillan Insurance Trophy - "A" Event Skip Shawna Hartman, Third Trudy Cowger, Second Loreen Amonson, Lead Shelley Godberson from Fort St. John, B.C.



The Citizen Trophy - "B" Event Skip Shirley Huculak, Third Linda Murray, Second Collette Leash, Lead Bonnie Germaniuk

Thank You

The Prince George Ladies' Curling Club would like to say a very special "Thank You" to all of the individuals and businesses for their donations to our Bonspiel.

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Louise Backman - Leigh Morgan Grey Beverages (Pepsi)

Jack Kelly

Lakewood Electric Trophy - "C" Event Skip Rosanne Mullner, Third Josie Mueler-Abriel, Second Nuala Gelz, Lead Cindy Peppler



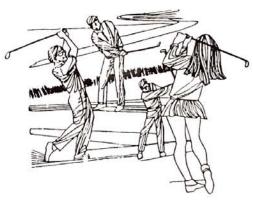
B.C. Chemicals Trophy - "D" Event Skip Charmaine Staley, Third Randy Petkau, Second Diane Sweet, Lead Faye Kelly

From the Greens Committee

There is still some confusion among the golf membership regarding play when their golf ball comes to rest in the old tree nursery to the right of the 11th hole. Some golfers are still unsure of how to proceed while other golfers take free lifts and incorrectly drop their ball outside this area. Being unsure results in slow play. When incorrect free drops are taken in this area it affects the handicaps as well as the outcome of their scores in tournaments.

We would like to remind the golf membership that all the "Ground Under Repair" stakes have been removed from this area. If your ball comes to rest in the old tree nursery you will have to play it as it lies, according to the rules of golf.

This spring an effort will be made by the grounds crew to fill in any holes where trees have been removed, level all old tree plugs, and clean up the area around the remaining trees.





Re/Max Centre City Super League

As the 1993-94 curling season comes to an end, congratulations go out to the Super League overall and the Playoff Championship teams.

Overall Winners

1st Bob Ursel

2nd Darren Smale

3rd Laurie Rustad

Playoff Winners
1st Dean Doyle
2nd Laurie Rustad
Consolation Winner
Pat Maurad

Many thanks to Re/Max Centre City Realty for their support this year. We look forward to their continued support.

This was another extremely successful year for the Super League with many teams representing our club at the Zone level right up to the Diane Dalio and Jim Horswell rinks at the Canadian Women's and Senior Men's championships.

Have an excellent summer and see you all in September.

Cliff Warner Chairman



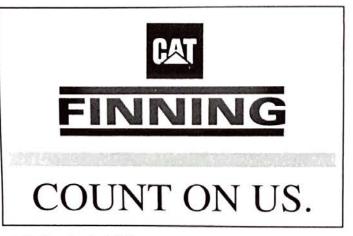
Super League Playoff Champs

Dan Gaboury, Dean Doyle, Blaine Black, Ken Warn



Super League Overall Champs

Mike Edwards (Re/Max Rep); Sandy McDonald, Bob Ursel,
Joe Rae, Dave Johnson (missing from photo)



From the Icemaker

Once again it's time to pack away the curling shoes and bring out the golf clubs. I hope the 1993/94 curling season has been both successful and enjoyable.

I would like to take this time to thank my staff for all their hard work over the winter.

I'd like to thank Ray, Ron, Cory, Steve and Glen from the shop, Bart and a special thanks to my assistant John Wercholuk for the extra time and effort he put into his duties. A job well done!!

From all the ice crew and myself, have a good summer and see you all next fall.

Murray Kutyn Ice Maker

From the Curling Committee

The Curling Committee meets on the first Wednesday of each month at 6:30 pm.

We offer our congratulations to all zone representatives and regional winners from our club.

We are very proud of the Diane Dalio Rink with Donna Gervais, Rae-Ann Copeland and Lorraine Flannigan representing B.C. at the Canadian Ladies Scott Tournament of Hearts in Kitchener-Waterloo, Ontario and the Jim Horswell rink with Bud Burbee, Neil King and Bob Miscovitch representing B.C. at the National Senior Championships in Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan.

Congratulations also to Sandra Kutyn for her design of our new curling club crest. Sandra received a \$100.00 gift certificate from this contest.

All final results in curling that have not been mentioned during the season will be published in the May issue of the Georgian.

We, as a club, encourage your participation and input, so if you have any concerns, comments or views please contact one of the following committee members.

Betty-June Gair - Chairperson

Laurie Rustad Joe Rea

Cathy Cameron Blaine Black

Blake King Cliff Warner Dennis Megale Sandra Kutyn

Trust you all enjoyed the wind-up wine and cheese party on March 23rd, and hope you come forth with new ideas for next season.

Betty-June Gair Curling Director



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Ladies' Golf Club

Welcome, ladies, to another year of golfing. As I write this the weather is not what one would consider golfing weather, but we know it's time to get out the equipment and check to see if those favorite outfits still fit.

The Umbrella Club meets once monthly on the second Wednesday of each month. This year our meetings will be held in the Games Room. The purpose of these meetings is to discuss any and all concerns from both ladies' sections. If necessary, concerns are taken to other club committees. Should you have any concerns, please bring them to the attention of the executive of the Umbrella club, listed:

President Kim Lancaster Vice President Sheena Pattullo Past-president, Simon Fraser Co-Captain Amy Ali Diane Sweet Secretary-treasurer Day Ladies' Captain Marion Hausot Evening Ladies' Captain Cloey Hooper Eve. Ladies' Vice-Captain Janice Lazzarin Junior Girls Rep Mary Lund Green Committee Lorraine Dorosh House Committee Pat White Simon Fraser Co-Chair Nettie Price

During the 1993 season our course was re-rated and the Slope System is in effect as of January 1, 1994. The rating from the ladies' tee is 76.1. The score cards will show the new rating. The handicap stroke holes will show the same as last year on the score cards, but we are in the process of making some revisions.

If you have played any golf over the winter months, remember to enter the scores of all games played into the computer (see Sec. 6-3(a) RCGA Handicap System, May 1, 1992, p. 9).

A Dress Code poster was designed last year and will be on display in the Pro Shop. Let's all adhere to the rules and help avoid the unpleasant job of monitoring.

Our congratulations to all of last year's winners who are too numerous to mention individually. The one exception of course are the winners of the 1993 Ladies' Club Championship: Betty-Ann Buse and Sheri Senum (runner-up). Congratulations to you both. A nice repeat of the 1992 year.

We hope to see you all at the opening banquet on April 19, 1994. Bring a friend. Please, purchase your tickets from the office by the deadline time of 12:00 noon, Monday, April 18th.

Have a great summer, good golfing and remember to have fun.

Kim Lancaster President

Reminder - Golf Dues

Any golf dues that have been charged to your Member Account must be paid in FULL by April 30, 1994 or playing privileges will be lost. NO EXCEPTIONS!



Evening Ladies Golf Club

Welcome to the 1994 Golf Season!

The nice weather is turning our thoughts to golf and we are looking forward to seeing everyone at our Opening Spring Banquet.

Your 1994 Executive is:

50/50

Cloey Hooper Captain Vice Captain Janice Lazzarin Secretary Betty Ann Buse Handicap Cathy Cameron Grace MacDonald Draw Nettie Price Bonnie Engstrom Matches Marilyn Benz Diane Sales Prizes Lona Hodgson Ruth Cambers Social Carol Haugland Karen Sweet Photography Gerry Faulder Sunshine Marie Wettlaufer Rules Gayle Magrath Ringer Board & Break 80, 90, 100 Suman Kashyap Sponsors B.J. Gair

I am looking forward to working with the 1994 Executive. Think warm thoughts and melt away this snow. Good Golfing!

Think Spring!
Cloey Hooper

Janice Lazzarin

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1994 Golf Tournament Schedule April 8 Opening Wine and Cheese April 19 Ladies' Opening Banquet

April 20 Opening Men's Night April 26 Opening Ladies' Day Opening Mixed Tournament May 7 May 15 Alexander Alexander (Ladies') May 28-29 Pepsi Texas Scramble

June 4-5 Club Championship Qualifying

June 4 Junior Open

June 11 First Round Match Play June 12 Second Round Match Play June 12 Gerry Carmichael (Ladies')

June 18 Third Round Match Play June 18 Memorial Weekend (Don Prentice, Ken Becott)

June 19 First Round Match Play June 26 Wendy's Adopt a Junior July 9-10 Prince George Lefthanders' July 11 Junior Match Play Qualifying (Rounds July 14/18/21/25)

July 16 Mid Season Mixed Tournament July 22-23 July 30-31 P.G. Men's Seniors Championship

Junior Simon Fraser Ladies' Simon Fraser August 6-7 August 12-14 Men's Simon Fraser

August 28 Chrobak Family Parent-Child

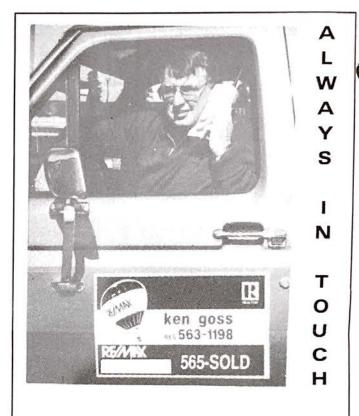
House of Flowers / Flowerland Parent-Junior

Sept. 3 Scots Cup (Mixed) Sept. 4-5 Labatt's 2 Ball Sept. 10-11

Weekend of Champions Sept. 18 Andy Honeyman (Ladies') Sept. 25

Final Men's NIght

Sept. 27 Fall Ladies' Banquet and Meeting



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Food Show PG Racquetball Tournament	Food Show Bridge Club	Food Show Ladies Opening Banquet	Re/Max Opening Men's Night Youth Soccer	21 Northwood Breakfast Gyro	22	23
24	25 Bridge Club	Opening Ladies Day	27 Senators K-40	28 Construction Assn. Crib Tournament	29	30