



Looking to the Future Sustainability of the Summerland Curling Club Nine Identified Priorities

At it's Feb. 22, 2026 meeting the SCC Executive looked at the raw data from the Looking to the Future of the SCC event and tried to identify the most pressing concerns for our club raised by the comments. The following nine items were listed as priorities.

On Sunday March 15, 2026, from 6:30pm – 7:30pm, the SCC Executive and those who attended the initial Looking to the Future Sustainability of the SCC event on January 31 event will meet and place those priorities in order from most pressing to least pressing.

We will also begin to identify strategies to address the concerns and create small working groups to move the work forward for the top concerns.

The SCC Executive will begin its regularly scheduled meeting at 7:30pm. Anyone who is interested is welcome to attend this meeting.

The Nine Priorities

Ice Technician

- Plan for Job Expansion
- Plan for if they become ill
- Plan for if our current Ice-Maker does not re-apply for the job

Transitioning Novice Curlers from the Fun Leagues into the other leagues

- Clear descriptions and expectations of each league

Education

- Helping Novice Curlers become Intermediate Curlers

e.g. Teaching Strategy, Improving delivery, Roles of Individual Team Members, Curling Etiquette
Adjusting Practice Times

Integration of New Curlers into SCC Club Culture and Curling Culture in General

How do things happen?
League responsibilities
Draw start Times and Late Draws

Volunteer Management

Grow the Volunteer Base
 Providing a clear list of volunteering opportunities
 When-Where-How
Job Descriptions
Watch for Volunteer Burnout

Succession Planning

Open Executive Meetings
Job Descriptions

Communication and Publicity

Attract New Curlers
Keeping Membership Informed
Keep Community Informed

Building and Equipment Upkeep

e.g. Carpets at Ends of Curling Sheets, Lounge colour, Kitchen Upgrades, Ice Making Equipment, Stone replacement, Stone Handle Replacement
Working with the District – consulting and cost sharing

Managing club Finances

League Fees
Budgeting for Future Expenses
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