

"THE BIG CHILL"

FUNDRAISING UPDATE FOR PARKSVILLE CURLING CLUB!

As mentioned at our Fall General Meeting and in start-up of leagues last week, we need \$100,000 - \$150,000 for a new chiller that we have committed to installing at the end of the curling season this year.

We have had some great ideas brought forward and some members doing some investigation into the many grants available.

We are also setting up a trust fund to honour tax deductible donations for our capital project which may help us in applying for grants and to top up our reserve funds. The National Sport Trust Fund is administered by Sport BC and we would be eligible as an affiliated member of Curl BC. We have a very reliable consultant through Curl BC, Mr. Jack Bowman. He has worked with a number of curling clubs that have set up similar funds for capital improvements. You will be able to make donations online and tax receipts will be issued to donors directly. We will have an update on this on Thursday.

There is a **meeting scheduled for the Fundraising Committee, Thursday October 4th at 9:00 a.m. at the Parksville Curling Club.** If you have expressed an interest or would like to become part of our fundraising fun or check out what we are planning... please join us!!

If you would like to inquire further, please contact Penny Shantz at president@parksvillecurling.com or give me a call at 250-240-6988.

Thanks!

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