



## THE TORONTO CURLING ASSOCIATION

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### TCA Update – November 2010

The curling season is underway at last! Over the past week, the first two TCA-sponsored bonspiels came to a successful close. The Toronto and District Ladies' bonspiel wrapped up with its victory dinner on Thursday evening at Mississauga Golf and Country Club. The winner of this year's open event was the Aileen Filman team from York Curling Club in Newmarket, while the senior division was won by Connie McDermott and her team out of the Unionville Curling Club. And on Sunday, the Business Women's bonspiel held its finals at Richmond Hill Curling Club. Walking away with the main event championship was Anne Dunn and her team from Galt Curling Club. For a complete list of winners and runners up of all events, just go to [www.torontocurling.com](http://www.torontocurling.com) and click on the link to the event pages.

Next up in our schedule is the Dominion Junior/Bantam bonspiel which will run from December 28-30, 2010. An entry form is available on the TCA website. And to kick off the New Year, the TCA Goldline Men's bonspiel will begin play on Saturday January 8, with finals to be held at High Park Club on Saturday January 15, 2011. It is easy to sign up: just go to the TCA website and follow the links (you can also sign up on the posters which should be posted at your clubs).

We will end off the season with our mixed bonspiel, running from February 23-27, 2011. The event will again feature a gala dinner/dance on the Saturday evenings for all participants at Bayview Golf and Country Club. We encourage you to sign up soon!

For those clubs participating in the junior development lottery, pick up of the tickets is anticipated to begin the week of December 4, 2010, which is just a few weeks away. For those clubs needing more time, or perhaps even more tickets, please contact JD Etter. Net proceeds of the lottery flow back to the clubs, so please encourage your members to buy tickets as this is a great way to support junior curling. (Reminder: please do not mail money or ticket stubs to the TCA; these will be picked up directly by a member of the TCA board).

An item of interest to all female curlers: each year, several teams from the GTA have participated in the Sewell Bonspiel at the Fairmont Le Chateau Montebello in beautiful Montebello, Quebec. This year's event runs from January 9-12, 2011. Teams travel together by bus, leaving from Weston Golf and Country Club on the morning of January 9, returning at dinner time on Wednesday January 12. By all accounts, a fabulous time is had by all. We have provided a link to information on the event as well as a registration form. Registrations are due by December 10, 2010, so act now if you want to take part.

This year, we are pleased to the support shown to us by Goldline, The Dominion General Insurance Company, The UPS Store, and Delmanor Seniors Communities. But, as always, we would like to have new partners join us and support our events. If you or a club member may be interested in sponsoring an event, please contact Beth Woolnough at [ewoolnough@publicnet.ca](mailto:ewoolnough@publicnet.ca) or (416) 744 9561. Many sponsorship levels are available to potential sponsors; send Beth an e-mail and she'd be happy to send you a sponsorship package.

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