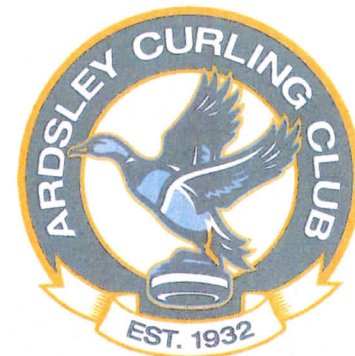


2020





Welcome

Greetings all

The Ardsley Curling Club is honored and happy to welcome you to the 66th Empire State Bonspiel.

We have teams from both near and far. Some of you have been here before and for some it is your first time. We at Ardsley Curling are hopeful that you will return in the future.

We look forward to good competition, great food, great entertainment, and most of all great camaraderie in the true "Sprit of Curling"

A special thank you goes out to all of our volunteers. The list is extremely long and I'm sure to leave someone out. We would just like to give a general thanks to you all. Without their hard work, an event such as this would never happen. When you see some of them running here and there, take a moment to give them a thank you.

We hope that you have a fabulous time and enjoy. Please let us know if you need anything.

Have a Rockin' Good Time and Good Curling

Nancy Clancy
Gudrun Sablow
Empire State Bonspiel co- chairs

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F. Substitutions:

4.) Ties are to be broken with the play of a full end.

1.) Teams shall not start any game, under any circumstances, with less than four (4) players.

2.) If at any time during the Bonspiel after registration, a substitute is required to complete a four person team, the substitute(s) may be obtained from the home club of the team involved, time permitting, or from the Host Club. Only two substitutes are allowed on a team during a game and shall be allowed to play in any position at the discretion of the Skip. A minimum of two (2) curlers from the regular team must be present to play or the game will be declared a forfeit.

3.) Any team which chooses to forfeit a game without consulting the Bonspiel Chair and exhausting all possibilities for substitutions will be declared ineligible to continue to compete in the bonspiel.

4.) When during a game, a player is unable to continue because of illness, accident or any other valid reason, the team to which she belongs may:

a. Finish the game with the remaining three players, in which case the first two players shall deliver three stones each, or

b. Bring in any qualified substitute for the remainder of the game.
At the start of any subsequent game there must be four players on the team.

5.) A player who has left the game because of illness, accident or any valid reason, may rejoin her team any time during that game unless a substitute has been put in her place on the team.

6.) No substitute sweepers are allowed.

G. Scoring:

Vice Skips (3's) will make all measurements to determine scoring stones.

Under certain circumstances, some rules may pose a problem for the Host Club and need to be changed to accommodate the Bonspiel. Rules should not be deviated from without notifying the Host Clubs in advance and getting consensus of opinion.

H. Rules of Play:

This bonspiel shall be governed by the current USCA rules as posted, unless superseded by a rule above.

Revised / Updated: 2020

EMPIRE STATE BONSPIEL RULES

All games shall be played under the current WCF (World Curling Federation) Rules of Play as they have been adopted by the USCA and current GNCC rules with the following exceptions and/or additions. A rulebook must be posted during play, local rules to be included in the Bonspiel kit. The Bonspiel shall take place annually the third (3rd) weekend in January.

- A. Eligibility:** Any curler who is a member in-good-standing of a Curling Club is eligible to curl in the Empire State Bonspiel.
- B. Order of Acceptance:**
- 1.) Two (2) teams from each Host Club. Note: A team cannot be entered under the name of a Host Club unless they are involved in the Host Club's playdowns and designated to fill one of the guaranteed slots for each Host Club or have been designated by their Club(s) to enter the event in the Club's name or have been asked by the Host Club(s) to enter a team to fill the Bonspiel.
 - 2.) Any Team that includes Charlene Fitzgerald (not included in Schenectady's two entries)
 - 3.) The winning team from previous year.
 - 4.) All team members from the same Curling Club.
 - 5.) Composite teams that meet the eligibility rule. (1st-come/1st-registered/1st-pay basis.
 - 6.) Teams entering in the name of a Paper Club that meet the eligibility rule (1st-come/1st-registered/1st-pay basis).
 - 7.) Additional teams from the Host club will be accepted. (see Eligibility. Guidelines #5)
- C. The Team:** A team must have the full complement of four (4) eligible players who register at the Bonspiel site. Leads will toss for last rock. A fifth (5th) person will be allowed to register on a team. That fifth (5th) will pay an additional 25% of registration fee and be eligible to receive the Empire State medal along with the others.
- D. Rotation of Players:** A change in team line up must be submitted at least 15 minutes prior to the next game.
- E. Time Limit:**
- 1.) All games will be eight (8) ends, including the finals.
 - 2.) The bell will be rung at the start of each draw and any team not ready to play shall forfeit one point and one end for each full 15 minutes of delay. At the end of 60 minutes the game will be declared a forfeit.
 - 3.) Games will not be timed. Skips shall be responsible for insuring that play proceeds with all reasonable speed. It is expected that an eight end game will take no more than two hours to complete. When slow play is identified (one end behind other play), a member of the host committee can warn both teams and request they speed up play. If any team is warned in two different games, a vote by two representatives of Empire State Bonspiel Committee shall be taken to determine if the second game will be declared a forfeit. The voting members in this decision must be from two different clubs and not by a club whose team is playing in the game in question.

Schedule of Events

Thursday, January 16

Draws: 2:00 pm, 4:30 pm, 7:00 pm, 9:30 pm

6:00pm -7:30 pm - Lite supper

Friday, January 17

Draws: 8:00 am, 10:15, 12:30, 1:00 pm, 3:15 pm

7:00 am – 9:00 am Continental Breakfast
11:30 am - 1:30 pm Lunch

Dinner at: The Stone Manor
101 Saw mill River Road
Hawthorne, NY 10532
6:30 - Cocktails

Saturday, January 18

Draws: 9:00 am, 11:30 am, 2:00 pm, 5:00 pm, 7:30 pm

8:00 am – 10 am Continental Breakfast
11:30am – 2:00 pm Lunch
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm Dinner

Evening entertainment:
Karaoke, Raffle, Silent Auction

Sunday, January 19

8:00 am – 10:00 am Continental Breakfast
11:30 am – 1:30 pm Lunch

Draws:

9:00 am E semi final, C semi final
11:30 am D and E Finals
2:00 pm A, B, C Finals

Awards following finals



TEAMS 2020

Brick House

Karen Luckey
Jean Moss
Ruth Loomis
Melissa Dominguez

Born to Curl

Elaine Ritchie
Amy Friese
Lisa Heaps
Fran O'Reilly

Bucks

Amanda Brockman
Julie Jadowski
Pat O'Donnell
Martha O'Connor

Burlington GCC

Kathy Locke
Eileen Culhane
Iva Page
Liz Allen

Curling Me Softly

Amy Costantino
Gail Boggio
Dolores Redding
Cristin Keegan

Georgettes

Ina Obernesser
Suki Miyamoto
Valeria Barreto
Diane Borgia

Manitoba Polar Bears

Denise Penrose
Cindy VanBuekenhout
Donalda Vandenberghe
Doreen Lecuyer

Niskayuna

Dorothy Szymaszek
Laura Dollins
Tina Ferrari
Joan Pearson

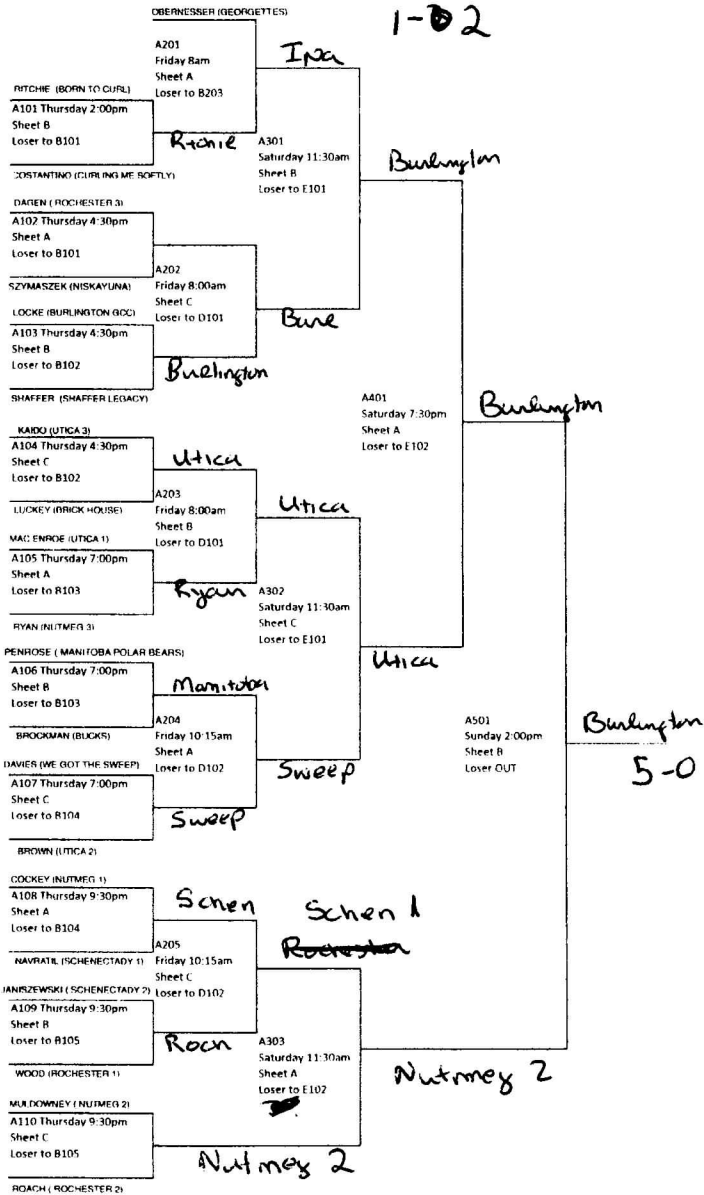
Nutmeg 1

Maura Cockey
Kitty Laroque
Jane Murray
Sue Lue

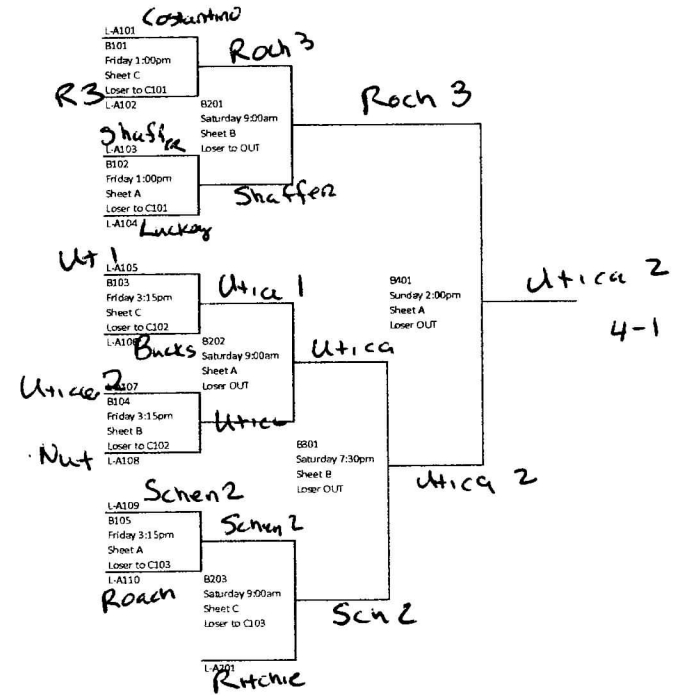
**2020 Empire State Bonspiel
Ardley Curling Club
Draw Schedule**

Day	Time	Draw	Sheet A	Sheet B	Sheet C
Thursday	2:00pm	1	n/a	A101	n/a
	4:30pm	2	A102	A103	A104
	7:00pm	3	A105	A106	A107
	9:30pm	4	A108	A109	A110
Friday	8:00am	5	A201	A203	A202
	10:15am	6	A204	n/a	A205
	12:30pm		SCRAPE	SCRAPE	SCRAPE
	1:00pm	7	B102	n/a	B101
	3:15pm	8	B105	B104	B103
Saturday	9:00am	9	B202	B201	B203
	11:30am	10	A303	A301	A302
	2:00pm	11	D101	D102	n/a
	4:00pm		SCRAPE	SCRAPE	SCRAPE
	5:00pm	12	C102	C101	C103
	7:30pm	13	A401	B301	n/a
Sunday	9:00am	14	E101	C201	E102
	11:30am	15	n/a	E201	D201
	2:00pm	16	B401	A501	C301

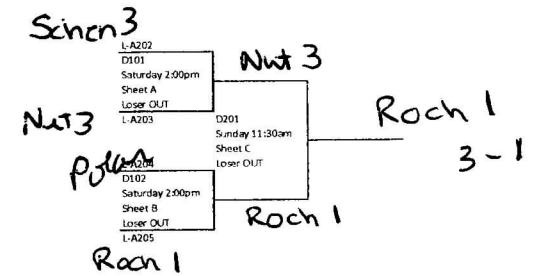
2020 Empire State Doubles
Archery Curling Club
First Event



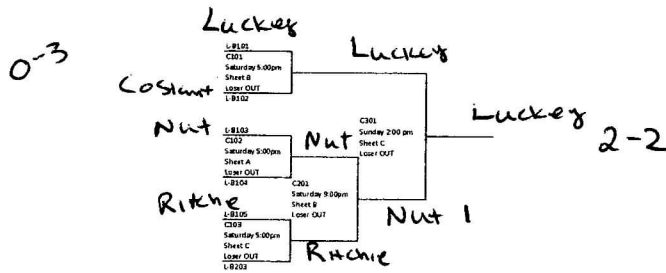
2020 Empire State Doubles
Archery Curling Club
Second Event



2020 Empire State Doubles
Archery Curling Club
Fourth Event



2020 Empire State Bioscience
Arlene Costello Club
Third Event



2020 Empire State Bioscience
Arlene Costello Club
Third Event



Nutmeg 2

Diane Muldowney
Liz Brown
Elizabeth Falsetti
Kayla Russo.

Nutmeg 3

Trish Ryan
Marianne Roggemann
Kathleen Wallace
Siri Parsons.

Rochester 1

Carol Wood
Carol Dellavilla
Wendy Strasser
Bonney Bonnett

Rochester 2

Dorothy Roach
Lynn Orr
Lynn Carpenter
Sue Burkbeck

Rochester 3

Corinne Dagen
Kathy Schmitz
Trudy Hotalling
Rachel Nadbruch

Schenectady 1

Fay Navratil
Paula Lancastr
Andrea Warr
Lynn Morrow-Ziellnski

Schenectady 2

Caitlin Janiszewski
Kimberly Berg
Kat Slye
Kathy Brown

Shaffer Legacy

Joyce Shaffer
Susan Williams
Jan Rishel
Monica Costa

Utica 1

Michelle MacEnroe
MJ Walsh
Dee Pfohl
Carol Jones

Utica 2

Cindy Brown
Lis DeGironimo
Barb Felice
Kathy Palazzoli

Utica 3

Liz Kaido
Melissa Foote
Donna Caleo
Sue Hansen

We Got the Sweep!

Pauline Davies
Catie Daly
Lynn Salmon
Erin Durba