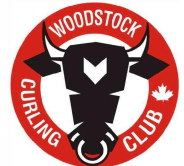


WOODSTOCK CURLING CLUB

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Greetings. I have had the pleasure of meeting some of you already, and for those whom I have not yet met I look forward to doing so over the next few weeks. The program starts Oct 18th – 1:00 pm for the Little Rocks and 2:00 pm for the Bantams.

My name is Carlos Gregorio – that is Greg as in Gregory and Orio as in the Oreo cookie!! ☺ I have taken on the responsibility of the Youth Curling Program here at the Club and I am looking forward to, together with several volunteers, instructing your son/daughter. Although I have coached highschool curling and Bantam teams over several years, this facet is new to me and there are bound to be a hick-up or two along the way – I ask that you please bear with me. I am attempting to institute a few new ideas to hopefully enhance the previous program and I value any feedback that you can provide.

I will attempt to communicate with you either through email, newsletters, phone, or face-to-face. Please do not hesitate to discuss any concerns or ask any questions of me directly. If you too would like to try the game or to assist behind the glass or out on the ice, don't hesitate to step forward. My home number is 421-1367.

A few items require your attention on the first day:

- Medical/consent forms (pink sheet) – please make sure that you complete the form and leave it with me before you leave on the first day (you will need your child's OHIP card and emergency contact information)
- Activity Fee – \$30/child to a max of \$60/family will be collected; please have exact change or a cheque (payable to Carlos Gregorio) available. The monies will go towards purchasing food, prizes, etc. for special events. A financial statement will be provided to you from time to time to let you know of the status of the funds.
- A sign-up list will be posted near the Little Rocks / Bantam information board (around the bar, next to the windows) for you to indicate when you will look after providing treats / hot-chocolate after the practices/games. We will provide you with the hot-chocolate and cups; you need to heat the water and provide the munchies. You may have to sign-up more than once and your help is truly appreciated. The kids look forward to this after being out on the ice. Of note, please do not bring apple cider into the Club – one of the children is allergic to it. Thank you.
- Equipment reminder – Little Rocks need bicycle helmets. Shoes used out on the ice **MUST NOT** be ever worn at school or out on the ice. We need to keep these shoes as clean as possible so as to not wreck the ice surface/curling stones. Do not have your child wear jeans – sweat pants and layered clothing will suffice.
- If you know of friends who would like to join, please pass my name/number along and have them contact me before the Sunday of practice. I may accept registration on a Sunday but will not allow the child to curl on that Sunday.

The following are the scheduled Sundays for the Youth program:

October 18, 25	Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31(tentative)
November 8, 15, 22, 29	Feb. 7, 21, 28
December 6(tentative), 13 (xmas party)	Mar. 7, 14, 21, 28

