



This Invitation is extended to your team for entry into the 2017 Atkins Curling Supplies Classic, October 13-16, 2017

The 2017 Atkins Curling Supplies Classic will take on a new look this season. After many years of running a Women's Event, the Atkins Classic will add a Men's Event for the upcoming season. The bonspiels format will also change from the previous round robin pool format, to triple knockout. The bonspiel will feature a 16 Women's team triple knockout and a 16 Men's team triple knockout both with 8 qualifiers. The Atkins Curling Supplies Classic will once again be affiliated with the World Curling and Manitoba Curling Tours (WCT/MCT), with teams accumulating CTRS points, tour order of merit, and maintained on the money/point lists of the respective tours.

Atkins Curling Supplies will remain the Title Sponsor and will be joined by several companies supporting the event at various sponsorship levels. Rob Atkins owner of Atkins Curling Supplies is proud to announce that the Assiniboine Memorial Curling Club will continue to be the host club of the Atkins Curling Classic. Club Manager Paul Batchelor assures that the hard working staff and volunteers of the AMCC will do their utmost to assist in delivering another first class Event.

Teams will compete for a Total Purse of \$20,000 CAD (\$10,000 Women's Event and \$10,000 Men's Event) and Canadian Team Ranking System (CTRS) points. All games will be 8 ends, 4 rock free guard zone. Play will commence Friday Oct 13th late afternoon/evening with the top eight teams advancing to the Championship Round, with the finals being completed Monday Oct 16th.

Cheques to be made payable to '**Atkins Curling Supplies Classic**' and may be postdated to September 1st, 2017. Entry deadline is Wednesday, September 13th, 2017. Entries will be accepted on a **first received basis**.

Total Purse \$20000 (\$10,000 Women's + \$10,000 Men's)

Women's Event

Champion (1 st)	\$2500
Runner-Up (2 nd)	\$1800
Semi-Finalists (3rd/4 th)	\$1250
Qtr. Finalist (5 th -8 th)	\$800

Men's Event

Champion (1 st)	\$2500
Runner-Up (2 nd)	\$1800
Semi-Finalists (3rd/4 th)	\$1250
Qtr. Finalist (5 th -8 th)	\$800

Entry Fee \$600 CAD

*Purse and Payouts based on full event entry.

Please send the completed entry form (attached) with a cheque (\$600 CAD) to:

Atkins Curling Supplies Classic
c/o Atkins Curling Supplies
310-550 Century St.
Winnipeg, Mb Canada R3H-0Y1



We ask that all teams entering the bonspiel register the team and respective team members on the World Curling Tour website. Please register for both the World Curling Tour (WCT) & the Manitoba Curling Tour (MCT). Teams must be registered so that all CTRS points, tour order of merit, and money lists can be maintained. Teams must compete with a minimum of 3 registered team members to be eligible for points and rankings.

Please contact us should you have any questions atkinsclassic@atkinscurling.com.
Questions related to the venue can be directed to Paul Batchelor, dpbatchelor@hotmail.com
204 479-7528.

Please Specify Women's Event _____ or Men's Event _____

Contact Name:

Email:

Phone Number:

Team Name:

Fourth:

Third:

Second:

Lead:

Fifth:

Coach:

Club:

Teams from outside of Manitoba please specify club details, prov., country, etc.
