



'Our 22nd Year'

New Location for 2018: North Bay, ON
July 2 – July 6, 2018

REGISTER AND TRAIN WITH YOUR TEAM AT THIS YEAR'S CAMP!

Hello everyone:

After 21 years, we are very excited to announce that for the second year, we are again accepting **Team Registrations** to the **Amethyst Curling Camp** which is moving to North Bay this year. Teams can now benefit from attending the **Amethyst Curling Camp** together to grow their knowledge of the game. As a team, you will be able to experience many of our top coaches from Ontario and other parts of Canada. Besides the development of your skills, your team will meet other young athletes who love the sport and wish to improve too.

As a team, you will have several classroom and on-ice sessions including:

- Delivery Analysis
- Practice Drills
- Physical Training
- Goal Setting
- Sweeping Analysis
- Practice Games
- Nutrition
- Team Dynamics
- Strategy and Tactics
- Mental Toughness
- Practice Planning
- And Much More!

The cost for this weeklong training camp be **\$3,524.00 + HST (\$456.00) = \$3,980.00** per team or **\$881.00 + HST (\$114.00) = \$995.00** per individual. The camp cost includes accommodations, meals, coaching, and instruction, as well as bus transportation during the camp. It will also include all the extra events we are planning: swimming, mini-putt, a dance, a camp T-shirt and a camp picture. Preference for **team registrations** will be given to Northern Ontario curling teams. Ontario Curling Association teams are welcome to register and attend, with preference given to those teams who have not yet signed-up to attend the Trillium Curling Camp.

Our team registration form can be accessed and downloaded online, via both the Northern Ontario Curling Association website: <http://curlno.ca/programs/camps/> or the **Amethyst Curling Camp** website: www.amethystcurling.ca (under the heading: 'Registration'). Should you wish to have a hard-copy of the registration forms mailed to you, we ask that you please contact the Northern Ontario Curling Association office.

If you decide to come to the **Amethyst Curling Camp** as a team, your team coach is more than welcome to attend with you! Your coach will be allowed to listen and work with you throughout the week, but the cost for your coach to attend will be at the team's own expense. Should your coach wish to attend, please have them contact the Camp Director, Leslie Kerr for more information.

North Bay offers us an absolutely great venue and an opportunity to change up the camp a bit. All curling will be done at the North Bay Granite Club on arena quality ice, and Canadore College will be the residence setting. All campers (regardless of where they live) must stay on campus with the rest of the campers. Unfortunately, we are unable to offer the option of a bus to camp from the Northwest this year so campers will have to arrange their own transportation to and from camp. Pickup and return to the local bus station or airport will be provided.

The registration form and payment are to be sent to Leslie Kerr, whose address is at the end of this introductory letter. Leslie and the NOCA staff will be coordinating the acceptance of registrations. Please send the applications by mail or Priority Post and keep a record of the tracking number. Please do NOT use any courier service.

If you decide to make the **Amethyst Curling Camp** a part of your summer plans (as a team), you will be placed in a 'Team Group' to hone your skills. Individual campers, on the other hand, will be placed in one of three groupings: Red-Blue, Green-Purple, or Gold-Black. For more detailed information about individual registrations, please read the definitions on the registration form or in the Amethyst brochure.

Registration to begin our curling camp will take place at Canadore College between 5:30 pm and 6:30 pm on Monday July 2, 2018. A map and other important materials will be sent to you in late May or early June. Camper pickup will be on Friday, July 7, 2018 at 1:00 pm at Canadore College.

We hope that you will join us for another great year!

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Summary Information about the Amethyst Curling Camp:

- * Information, and team registration form for the 2018 **Amethyst Curling Camp** are available at either of these sites: www.amethystcurling.ca <http://curlnoc.ca/programs/camps/>
- * A deposit cheque for \$2,000.00 (team) or \$500.00 (individual) and a second cheque post dated to April 30th for \$1980 (team) or \$495 (individual) must accompany the registration form. One cheque for each application, please (if sending in applications individually).
- * Please read the Privacy of Information Policy in the Policy Manual on the NOCA website: <http://curlnoc.ca/about-noca/>. By signing the application, you are authorizing NOCA and the camp to use camp information and camp pictures on our social media.
- * Your cheque is to be made payable to "NOCA", or "Northern Ontario Curling Association".
Send to:
NOCA, P.O. Box 940, Atikokan, ON POT 1C0, Attention: Amethyst Camp.
- * Please send it by regular mail or Priority Post.