



Utica Curling Club 106th Annual MITCHELL BONSPIEL

Mitchell Medal – 132nd Anniversary
Allen Medal – 105th Anniversary

January 12 - 15, 2017

• 4 Game Guarantee • 8 End Games • 6 Events

Please join us at the Utica Curling Club for our famous Men's Mitchell International Invitational Bonspiel. Alexander Mitchell, patron of the Grand National, placed the medal in competition in February of 1885. This year will mark the 103rd anniversary of the event in Utica.

The Mitchell will be played at the Utica facility featuring 6 sheets of ice, a large bar, dining room and lots of parking. There are 6 events with a 4-game guarantee "knock-out". Sign-up is limited to 36 teams. We will reserve a spot in the bonspiel for last year's participants until Dec. 2, 2016. After that new entries are accepted in the order received. Last year the bonspiel was filled in November, so get your entry in ASAP. Your check is not cashed until you are accepted into the Bonspiel, and you are informed of your acceptance.

The entry fee is \$420.00 U.S. funds; same great meals and extras. Meal ticket books are \$100.00 for the fifth man; guests or spouses \$90. No post-dated checks accepted.

Hotel Info, Blocks of Double Rooms:

Holiday Inn, New Hartford @ \$75.00 plus tax (315-797-2131). Reserve rooms by Dec. 12th

Ramada Inn, New Hartford @ TBA plus tax (315-735-3392)

Hampton Inn & Suites, New Hartford, @ \$109 plus tax, Phone (315) 793-1600.

Please send entry form and check to:

Kevin Stevens

7729 Treeline Drive

Liverpool, New York 13090

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Fax: NO Fax available

To enter over the Internet, download a Mitchell entry form at the UCC Website www.uticacurlingclub.com and e-mail to Kevin Stevens. Your check must be received before we accept your entry. We will not cash your check until you are officially entered.



The Utica Curling Club is a smoke-free facility.
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Schedule of Events

• Thursday, January 12

Curling Draws - 4:45 pm, 7:00 pm and 9: 15 pm
Welcoming Party with Toddy Bowls & hors d'oeuvres
Buffet Dinner 6:00-9:00 pm

• Friday, January 13

Continental Breakfast
Curling 8:30 am through 5: 15 pm
Dutch Treat Lunch available at Club
7:00 to 8:00 pm - Toddy Bowls
8:00-9:00 pm - Banquet (business casual minimum please) and Program
9:30 pm -1:00 am – Entertainment / Games
Shuttle Service to Motels at Selected Times to 2:00 am

• Saturday, January 14

Continental Breakfast
Curling 9:00 am through 10:00 pm
12:00 pm - 3:00 pm - Lunch at Members' Homes
5:00 - 9:30 pm - Fish Fry/ Parmesan Chicken at the UCC
9:30 – 1:00 am – Music / Entertainment
Shuttle Service to Motels at Selected Times to 2:00 am

• Sunday, January 15

Continental Breakfast
8:30 am - Curling Semi Finals
11:15 am - Finalist Parade with Piper
11:30 am - Curling Finals, Six events
2:15 pm - Awards Ceremony / Pizza & Wings



Alexander Mitchell, a Scott from Aberdeenshire, moved to Milwaukee in 1839 as the representative of a Scottish insurance company. He became a leading banker, industrialist and then President of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. In December 1884, he donated the Mitchell Gold Medal for annual competition to be "played in the Eastern and Western sections alternately with the Gordon Champion Rink Medal". Mr. Mitchell died of pneumonia in the spring of 1887. The last Western Competition was held February 1898 in St. Paul. After that the Mitchell was held only in the East. In 1916 the Utica Curling Club was made the permanent host of the Bonspiel.

See you at the Mitchell!

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