



MITCHELL BONSPIEL
 Mitchell Medal – 133rd Anniversary
 Utica Curling Club 150th Anniversary



January 11 - 14, 2018

• 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 also marks the 150th Anniversary of the Utica CC!

The Mitchell features 6 sheets, a large bar, dining room, great food, and lots of parking. Bus service provided Friday and Saturday evening. Sign-up is limited to 36 teams. Spots reserved for last year's participants until Dec. 1, 2017. 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 informed and accepted into the Bonspiel. The entry fee is \$420.00 U.S. funds; extra meal packages for fifth man \$100.00; guests \$90.00. No post-dated checks.

Please send entry form and check to:

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 7729 Tree Line Drive
 Liverpool, New York 13090

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 Cell: 315-225-3729

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.

Following hotels are booked under UCC bonspiels. Call to reserve rooms by December 15th.

Hampton Inn and Suites

201 Woods Park Drive, Clinton, NY 13323, 315-793-1600
 Direct reservation links will be available on UCC web site
 \$109, includes breakfast (5 min from club)

Homewood Suites

185 Woods Park Drive, Clinton, NY 13323 315-801-7200
 \$109, includes breakfast (5 minutes from club)

TownePlace Suites

4760 Middle Settlement Road, Whitesboro, NY 13492 315-732-2500
 \$79 (King + sofa bed) or \$109 (2 queens)
 Includes breakfast (4 minutes from club)

Utica Curling Club
 8300 Clark Mills Road • Whitesboro, New York • 13492-3912



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Schedule of Events

• Thursday, January 11

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 12

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)
9:30 pm - 1:00 am – Entertainment / Games
Shuttle Service to Hotels at Selected Times to 2:00 am

• Saturday, January 13

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 Dinner at Club
9:30 - 1:00 am - Music / Entertainment
Shuttle Service to Motels at Selected Times to 2:00 am

• Sunday, January 14

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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