

As you have likely already heard, **the province of Ontario is moving into the Grey – Lockdown Public Health Measures starting on December 26th for a period of 28 days. Unfortunately these public health measures restrict the Aylmer Curling Club from operating, so we will be forced to close effective that date also.**

Like you, we have many questions about what the future holds for our curling season. Will the measures be lifted after 28 days? Will we be able to reopen sometime in late January? What happens to my membership fees if we are unable to reopen this season? Unfortunately, we do not have answers to those questions at this time. We ask for your patience as we navigate this uncharted territory. At this time, let's just continue to do our part in supporting these public health measures through our everyday life so that hopefully Covid-19 begins to subside.

Given this news, the financial sustainability of our club will be put under further pressure. We appreciate that the holiday season can be a very challenging time financially, but we respectfully ask those who may be able to support either personally or corporately to consider donating to the [Aylmer Curling Club Sustainability Fund](#). As a reminder donations to this fund are given an official charitable tax receipt. We would also encourage you to share the fundraising link to family, friends and neighbours in the hopes that they might also support our cause. We all have a vested interest in ensuring our club is here for years to come. Thanks for your consideration and support.

As a Board of Directors team we commit to keeping you as informed as possible as we progress over the coming weeks. With that said it's safe to say that we will not have any concrete answers until mid-January. Hopefully by then we can get a sense on whether the restrictions appear that they will be lifted. If you do have any specific questions or suggestions, please send an email to the Aylmer Curling Club at info@aylmercurling.com. We will do our best to answer your questions and take all suggestions into consideration as we make decisions in the future.

Until that time, we wish everyone a safe and happy holiday season.

Aylmer Curling Club – Board of Directors