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## **TUNNEL TOWN CURLING CLUB BRIEF CHRONOLOGY OF THE CLUB HISTORY**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>EVENT</b>
<b>JULY 1958</b>	THE <b>DELTA ICE STADIUM SOCIETY (DISS)</b> WAS FORMED
<b>SEPT. 1958</b>	THE DISS OBTAIN DELTA APPROVAL TO USE <b>HANGER NO. 1</b> AT THE <b>BOUNDARY BAY AIRPORT</b>
<b>OCT. 1958</b>	THE DISS HOLD <b>BOND DRIVES</b> IN DELTA TO RAISE MONEY FOR INSTALLATION OF AN ICE ARENA AND CURLING RINK IN HANGER NO. 1
<b>JAN. 1959</b>	<b>LADNER CURLING CLUB</b> HOLDS MEETING TO RECRUIT MEMBERS
<b>FEB. 1959</b>	DELTA ICE STADIUM AND CURLING <b>RINK OPENS</b>
<b>OCT. 1959</b>	THE LADNER CURLING CLUB SELLS <b>MEMBERSHIP BONDS</b> TO FINANCE CURLING FACILITY OPERATIONS
<b>JUNE 1962</b>	THE <b>TUNNEL TOWN CURLING CLUB (TTCC)</b> WAS FORMED TO REPLACE THE LADNER CURLING CLUB AND TAKE CONTROL ALL CURLING AT THE DELTA ICE STADIUM
<b>JAN. 1972</b>	DELTA <b>ICE STADIUM CLOSED</b> DUE TO STRUCTURAL CONCERNS
<b>OCT. 1972</b>	<b>SOUTH DELTA RECREATION CENTRE OPENS</b> WITH A FOUR SHEET CURLING RINK
<b>OCT. 1974</b>	THE SOUTH DELTA RECREATION CENTRE CURLING RINK <b>EXPANSION OF TWO ADDITIONAL SHEETS OPENS</b>
<b>SEPT. 1975</b>	TTCC HAD <b>745 MEMBERS</b> AND EVENING LEAGUE <b>DUES WERE \$48</b>
<b>FEB. 1984</b>	<b>FIRST MENS PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONSHIP</b> TO BE HELD IN AN ARENA HOSTED BY TTCC
<b>SEPT. 1985</b>	TTCC HAD <b>535 MEMBERS</b>
<b>AUG. 1992</b>	DELTA INSTALL <b>CONCRETE FLOOR</b> FOR THE CURLING RINK
<b>SEPT. 1995</b>	TTCC HAD <b>379 MEMBERS</b> AND 12 JUNIORS, FOR THE 1995/96 SEASON. EVENING LEAGUE <b>FEES WERE \$180</b> PLUS GST PLUS PCCA/BCLCA DUES, AND \$110 (20 GAMES) FOR DAY TIME SENIORS

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<b>FEB. 1996</b>	TTCC OPERATE BC GOV'T <b>CASINO</b> AND PURCHASE AN <b>ICE KING SCRAPER, JET ICE WATER TREATMENT SYSTEM, POOL TABLE, SHUFFLE BOARD, ETC.</b> WITH THE REVENUES
<b>NOV. 2000</b>	DELTA & TTCC COMPLETE <b>NEW TROPHY CASE</b>
<b>DEC. 2000</b>	DELTA INSTALL <b>METAL HALIDE LIGHTS</b> IN CURLING RINK
<b>AUG 2001</b>	TTCC USE BC <b>GAMING GRANT</b> TO HELP FUND DELTA'S INSTALLATION OF A <b>DESICANT DE-HUMIDIFICATION SYSTEM</b> FOR ARENA AND CURLING RINK
<b>AUG. 2003</b>	TTCC AND DELTA SHARE COST OF INSTALLING NEW <b>GRANITE TILE BASES ON THE CURLING ROCKS</b>
<b>JAN. 2004</b>	TTCC <b>PURCHASED A "NIPPER"</b> HAND POWERED ICE SCRAPER IN JANUARY 2004.
<b>SEPT. 2004</b>	TTCC AND DELTA SIGN AN AGREEMENT UNDER WHICH <b>TTCC LEASES THE LOWER AND UPPER LOUNGES, AND OPERATION OF THE BAR.</b>
<b>SEPT. 2005</b>	TTCC HAD <b>382 MEMBERS</b> AND 14 JUNIORS, FOR THE 2005/06 SEASON. <b>EVENING LEAGUE FEES WERE \$242</b> INCL. CURL BC DUES AND BANQUET, PLUS GST
<b>AUG. 2006</b>	THE MUNICIPALITY <b>REPLACED THE "CHILLERS"</b> OR REFRIGERATION UNITS.
<b>AUG 2008</b>	DELTA MUNICIPAL STAFF <b>REMOVED THE T-BAR CEILING FROM THE UPPER LOUNGE</b> AND PAINTED THE OPEN WEB STEEL JOISTS AND CORRUGATED STEEL CEILING. THEY <b>INSTALLED NEW LIGHTING AND SOUND SYSTEM.</b>
<b>NOV. 2008</b>	AFTER A POWER FAILURE DURING THE MIXED BONSPIEL DELTA <b>INSTALLED A NEW ELECTRICAL TRANSFORMER AND PANEL</b>
<b>DEC. 2009</b>	DELTA <b>REPLACED THE CARPET AND VINYL FLOORING IN THE LOUNGE</b> INCLUDING THE BAR AND WASHROOMS, IN DECEMBER 2009.
<b>JAN. 2010</b>	A <b>NEW LEASE CONTRACT</b> WAS NEGOTIATED DURING THE SUMMER AND FALL OF 2009 AND <b>SIGNED</b> IN JANUARY 2010?
<b>AUG. 2010</b>	TTCC PURCHASED <b>NEW CHAIRS FOR THE UPPER LOUNGE,</b> WITH THE OLD UPPER LOUNGE CHAIRS BEING RELOCATED TO THE DOWNSTAIRS LOUNGE.

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<b>SEP. 2010</b>	TTCC HAD <b>317 MEMBERS</b> AND 45 JUNIORS, FOR THE 2010/11 SEASON. EVENING <b>LEAGUE FEES WERE \$260</b> INCL. CURL BC DUES, <b>PLUS \$35 FOR THE BANQUET</b> , PLUS HST, FOR A <b>TOTAL OF \$330</b> . HOWEVER, A SECOND LEAGUE WAS ONLY AN ADDITIONAL \$130.
<b>DEC. 2010</b>	THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DEDICATED AN AREA AT THE EAST END OF THE UPPER LOUNGE, CONSISTING OF A SOFA, 2 CHAIRS, COFFEE TABLE WITH AN ENGRAVED PLAQUE, <b>TO MEMORY OF JOYCE FISHER</b> , A FORMER CLUB MANAGER AND LONG TIME MEMBER.
<b>APR. 2011</b>	THE MUNICIPALITY INSTALLED <b>"E" REFLECTIVE INSULATION</b> AND <b>NEW MERCURY VAPOUR LIGHTING</b> ON THE CEILING OF THE CURLING ICE AREA,
<b>AUG 2011.</b>	THE MUNICIPALITY REPLACED THE CARPET IN THE <b>LOWER LOUNGE WITH LINOLEUM.</b>
<b>AUG 2011</b>	THE CLUB PURCHASED <b>24 NEW LOCKERS</b> FOR THE LOWER LOUNGE.
<b>OCT. - NOV. 2011</b>	THE CLUB PURCHASED A NEW <b>BAR FRIDGE, KEG FRIDGE, &amp; CASH REGISTER</b> FOR THE LOUNGE AND A NEW <b>COMPUTER</b> FOR THE OFFICE.
<b>APR. 2012</b>	THE CLUB CELEBRATES ITS' <b>50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY.</b>
<b>JAN. 12, 2013</b>	THE CLUB <b>HOSTS</b> TEAMS FROM <b>SCOTLAND</b> IN THE WEST TOUR DRAW 13, OF <b>THE STRATHCONA CUP</b>
<b>JAN. 2014</b>	STANLEY PARK BREWING CO. DONATES TWO NEW <b>43" TVS</b> TO REPLACE THE OLD 32" ONES.
<b>AUG. 2014</b>	THE <b>STRIKING BANDS</b> ON THE <b>CURLING STONES</b> ARE <b>REFINISHED</b> AND <b>NEW HANDLES</b> INSTALLED
<b>SEPT. 2014</b>	STANLEY PARK BREWING DONATE A NEW <b>54" TV</b>
<b>DEC. 2014</b>	THE CLUB TAKES OPTION TO <b>EXTEND THE LEASE</b> OF THE UPPER AND LOWER LOUNGES FROM DELTA, FOR ANOTHER <b>3 YEARS.</b>
<b>MAR. 2015</b>	THE CLUB RECEIVES A <b>\$6,000 GRANT</b> FROM TE BC GAMING COMMISSION.
<b>MAY 2015</b>	THE CLUB REACHES <b>AGREEMENT</b> WITH <b>14 ORANGES</b> SOFTWARE INC TO HAVE THEM RE-DESIGN CLUB'S <b>WEB-SITE.</b>

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<b>SEPT. 2015</b>	THE CLUB RECEIVES A <b>\$18,000 GRANT</b> FROM THE BC GAMING COMMISSION.
<b>SEPT. 2015</b>	THE CLUB PURCHASED A NEW <b>COOLER, DISHWASHER &amp; POINT OF SALE SYSTEM</b> FOR THE LOUNGE.
<b>SEPT 2015</b>	THE MUNICIPALITY INSTALLS A <b>NEW ROOF ON THE CURLING RINK</b>
<b>SEPT 2015</b>	TTCC HAD <b>341 MEMBERS, AND 24 JUNIORS</b> , PLUS ABOUT 24 NOVICE LEAGUE MEMBERS FOR THE <b>2015/16 SEASON</b> EVENING LEAGUE <b>FEES WERE \$352</b> (INCL. CURL BC DUES), PLUS HST, FOR 1 EVENING, \$502 FOR 2, AND \$627 FOR 3. A DAYTIME LEAGUE COST \$272 OR \$382 FOR 2 DAYS. THE AWARDS BANQUET COST AN ADDITIONAL \$40.
<b>SEPT. 2016</b>	THE CLUB PURCHASED A <b>PIZZA WARMING OVEN</b> FOR THE 2015/16 SEASON
<b>SEPT. 2016</b>	AN <b>OPEN LEAGUE</b> REPLACED THE MIXED LEAGUE ON WEDNESDAY EVENING FOR THE <b>2016-17 SEASON</b>
<b>OCT. 2016</b>	TUNNEL TOWN RECEIVED A <b>\$18,000 GRANT</b> FROM THE BC GAMING COMMISSION FOR THE 2016-17 SEASON.
<b>MAR. 2017</b>	NINETEEN SEPARATE FILES CONTAINING THE <b>CLUB HISTORY AND RECORDS</b> WERE PUT ON THE CLUBS WEB SITE.
<b>APR. 2017</b>	THE CLUB HELD THE <b>AWARDS BANQUET IN THE TSAWWASSEN SPRINGS BALLROOM</b> FOR THE FIRST TIME.
<b>APR. 2018</b>	THE CLUB PRESIDENT PRESENTED THE <b>INAUGURAL 30 YEAR PINS</b> TO THOSE INDIVIDUALS WHO HAD BEEN MEMBERS FOR THAT MANY SEASONS.
<b>SEPT. 2018</b>	THE CLUB ADOPTED THE <b>5 ROCK FREE GUARD ZONE RULE</b> FOR LEAGUE PLAY FOR THE 2018-19 SEASON.
<b>OCT. 2018</b>	A <b>DOUBLES LEAGUE</b> WAS STARTED ON SATURDAYS FOR THE <b>2018-19 SEASON.</b>
<b>OCT. 2018</b>	THE CLUB RECEIVED A <b>\$18,000 GRANT</b> FROM THE BC GAMING COMMISSION FOR THE <b>2018-19 SEASON.</b>
<b>MAR. 2019</b>	THE CITY HIRED A CONTRACTOR TO INSTALL A <b>CLOSED CIRCUIT TV CAMERA</b> OVER EACH HOUSE ON EACH OF THE SIX SHEETS OF ICE, AND <b>SIX 42 INCH LG MONITORS</b> ABOVE THE WINDOWS IN THE LOUNGE. THE CLUB PAID FOR THIS.

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<b>JUNE 2019</b>	THE CITY HIRED A CONTRACTOR TO: INSTALL AN <b>ELEVATOR</b> AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE CURLING CLUB, <b>REMOVE THE KITCHEN EQUIPMENT</b> FROM THE CONCESSIONS AREA IN THE CLUB'S LOWER LOUNGE, INSTALL A <b>HANDICAP WASHROOM</b> AND MODIFY THE MEN'S AND LADIES WASHROOM IN THE UPPER LOUNGE.
<b>AUG. 2019</b>	THE CITY PURCHASED A NEW BOSS BATTERY POWERED <b>ICE SCRAPER</b> IN THE SUMMER OF 2019
<b>SEPT. 2019</b>	TTCC HAD <b>442 MEMBERS</b> FOR THE 2019/20 SEASON. EVENING LEAGUE <b>FEES WERE \$375</b> PLUS HST, FOR 1 EVENING, \$525 FOR 2, AND 650 FOR 3. A DAYTIME MASTERS LEAGUE COST \$210 OR \$405 FOR 2 DAYS. THE WEDNESDAY MORNING LADIES COST \$295. THE AWARDS BANQUET GUEST TICKET COST AN ADDITIONAL \$50.
<b>MAR. 2020</b>	THE CLUB ENTERED INTO A <b>NEW FIVE YEAR LEASE AGREEMENT</b> WITH THE CITY.
<b>MAR. 2020</b>	THE 2019-20 <b>CURLING SEASON WAS TERMINATED</b> PRIOR TO COMPLETION OF THE PLAY-OFFS DUE TO THE <b>CORONA VIRUS PANDEMIC</b> .
<b>SEP. 2020</b>	THE <b>ELEVATOR CONTRACT</b> WAS FINALLY <b>COMPLETED</b>
<b>OCT. 2020</b>	<b>CURLING COMMENCED UNDER COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS</b> WITH ALL LEAGUES OPERATING BUT ONLY 65% OF THE MEMBERS RETURNING.
<b>DEC. 03 2020</b>	THE <b>CLUB WAS CLOSED</b> UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE DUE TO A NEW PUBLIC HEALTH ORDER.
<b>JAN. 17 2021</b>	THE <b>CLUB WAS OPENED TO MEMBER ONLY PRACTICE</b> BUT WITH SEVERE RESTRICTIONS.
<b>FEB. 17 2021</b>	THE PRESIDENT ISSUED AN EMAIL STATING THAT THE <b>CLUB WOULD BE CLOSING EFFECTIVE FEB 27, 2021</b> , IN RESPONSE TO COVID-19 PUBLIC HEALTH ORDERS

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