



Tunnel Town Curling Club  
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## **Tunnel Town Curling Club**

### **Board of Directors Meeting Minutes**

### **March 11, 2026**

Location: Ice Chip Lounge

Time: 5:00pm

**Attendees:** Rick Gillis, Sandra Boisvert, Dave MacCulloch, Neil McLennan, Clarice Brabbins, Ron Phillip and Carole Diaz

**Regrets:** n/a

**Prior Minutes:** Approved February 11, 2026 minutes

#### **Presidents Report:**

- Discussion regarding bar renovations, preliminary is to hire Project Manager/Designer to assist with concept design, cost estimate etc before making a proposal to the City of Delta. The bar will have a similar footprint to what is already in place.
- Discussion regarding ice conditions (ice bowling, weekday and weekend ice shaving), Sandra (club manager) had been speaking to City Staff about the improvement of the ice, ice maintenance is completed 2 times a week (versus 1 a week). Discussion about having the rocks sanded a few more times over the season, seeing lots of improvements for ice conditions and movement of the rocks.
- Discussion about ice nipper, it's been previously discussed. Concerns raised by City Staff are concerns about the weight and ability to move the nipper.

#### **Financials:**

- Discussion regarding financial highlights
- Bar sales up 1.1% from last year
- Pro-shop sales similar to last year
- Curl BC fees higher than last year
- Bar wages lower than last year
- Discussion regarding funds for volunteers/staff appreciation. Unanimous agreement for funding.



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### **Club Manager Report & Operations:**

- The bar dishwasher needs replacing (the old one is 15 years old). Unanimous decision to approve purchasing a new dishwasher.
- Discussion regarding club advertisement for 2026/2027, agreement to draw up contract (scope of work will be defined) have a designated representative offer advertisement opportunities.

### **Other Business**

- Discussion regarding removable hacks, how the ice is cleaned in and round the hacks.
- Congratulations to Neil McLennan's team who won the bonspiel in Richmond.
- Discussion regarding fundraising policy, there were a couple of requests to sell raffle tickets, and girl guide cookies. Discussion about our policies and how we implement them. Will discuss the requests individually.
- 2026 Gala, end of year party is April 11, 2026. Looking for some volunteers to assist with event set up, decorating and take down. An online link was sent out to all club members.
- Ice Chip lounge, discussion regarding cable boxes and how some need replacing.
- Discussion regarding ice shed overhead cameras (each sheet of ice has an overhead camera over the house/rings) and how they need to be calibrated/maintained. Sandra will be speaking to The City regarding maintenance of those cameras.
- Discussion regarding replacing and mounting 2 new large screen TV's (there are two large flat screens that do not work), unanimous approval to replace the 2 large TV's and approval to have a third party company install and mount new TV's/cable boxes.
- Discussion regarding creating a competitive day time seniors curling league. Suggestion to send out a survey to members regarding interest for the league, further discussion is needed. Neil McLennan will be following up with day time seniors members to discuss and will report back.
- **Next Meeting** – April 8, 2026 / AGM April 15, 2026

**Meeting adjourned 6:15pm**