

Get ready for the 2018 PIC!

Final preparations are underway for this year's 19th Annual Pacific International Cup—a gathering of top club curlers from British Columbia, The Yukon, USA, Australia, Singapore and other countries. This year's event runs April 11-15 at Richmond Curling Centre in Richmond, B.C. As usual, your volunteer committee has been hard at work making sure everything

is ready when teams start arriving. From hotel shuttles, to embroidery of crests on jackets, to publishing daily newsletters, and organizing the "World Championship One-End Bonspiel"--you'll receive first class treatment off the ice to go along with first class ice and rocks for top competition. We look forward to seeing you in April!

We need your help!

The PIC Volunteer Committee--and editors of "The PIC Times" are looking for your help! Please send us short biographies of your team and team members (and photos!) for use in our "Meet the Teams" section (email via: newsletter@picup.ca). And please contact your own local media to let them know you are competing in this year's event. Usually a few paragraphs emailed to a local newspaper, radio or TV station, might generate a pre-view story. Please provide them with our website address <http://www.picup.ca/home.php> and social media contacts (in the blue box below) so they can get more information, and follow your results online.

Support Our Sponsors!

For all participating teams staying at our sponsor hotel: **Pacific Gateway Hotel at Vancouver Airport**, there is a free shuttle service available to and from the Richmond Curling Centre.

Key West Ford graciously provides us with vehicles so we can provide transportation to the PIC participants.

And don't forget all our other sponsors below! Without them, we could not put on this great event. Please support all our sponsors so they can continue to support the PIC.

2018 International Men's Teams: Alaska, Arizona, Australia, California, Nevada, Oregon, Washington, Yukon

2018 International Women's Teams: Alaska, Arizona, Australia, California, Minnesota, Nevada, Oregon, Singapore, Washington, Yukon

Sweeping Moratorium

As of the 2017 PIC, we are following Curling Canada's rules regarding sweeping.

You can find more information here: <http://picup.ca/sweeping.htm>

Silent Auction

Don't forget your silent auction items! All proceeds go to our official charity partner, Spinal Cord Injury BC. Learn more at: <http://sci-bc.ca/>



2017 Champions - Washington (Granite CC of Seattle) and Richmond CC

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