1. Happy 2020 to all of you! We hope that your holiday season was fantastic and we look forward to seeing you at Winter League!

2. MoPac's 5&U Bonspiel to be held in Seattle on 5/1-5/3 will open its registration on MONDAY JANUARY 6th at 12:00pm PST. WCCC is guaranteed two team spots so register quickly. The other teams will be placed on the waitlist and on January 21st, remaining spots will be filled with teams in order by date/time. So register your team of 4 as soon as you can. All the details will go live at <u>http://www.mopacca.org/</u>. Last year we sent 6 teams so make sure you register your team even if you know you are going on waitlist -- there's a good chance you'll still get to go!

3. Registration for The Barrel will open on January 10th at noon PST. We'll be hosting this event for the 4th year at Skatetown Ice. Join us on March 27-29. All the details will be located on our website: <u>http://winecountrycurlingclub.com/barrel-2020/</u>

4. Curling Night in America starts airing THIS FRIDAY, JANURY 3rd at 6:30pm on NBCSN. It will continue on Friday nights for the next few weeks and we have two WATCH PARTIES scheduled. Join us at The BonnLair (<u>http://www.bonnlair.com/</u>) on JANUARY 10th at 7:00pm and on FEBRUARY 21st at 8:00pm. Find the rest of the schedule here: <u>https://www.teamusa.org/USA-Curling/Events/Curling-Night-in-America/Winter-2020-Broadcast-Schedule</u> and tune into NBCSN when you can't watch with us! Want to set up a watch party of your own? Find a spot, make sure they've got NBCSN, and then let us know! Bring us to your favorite spot so that we can share our love of curling!

5. Tony is finalizing our Winter League schedule and it should go live in the next few days! Tuesday Team League starts on 1/7. Sunday Leagues start on 1/12. Tuesday Doubles start on 1/14. That's plenty of time to clean your grippers, your sliders, and your broom pads!

6. Want to curl at the dedicated ice facility in Tahoe? We have WCCC ice available on Saturday, January 25th. Sign up here for one of three pickup games! <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0a4badad2aa3f94-wccc</u> It will be \$20 per game. LTEC's new club is located near the casinos in South Lake Tahoe. It's a 2-sheet club and the warm room is complete! Come up the mountain and take a look!

7. Did you know? Our current number of bonspiel travelers is at 53 with Tony Kelly having curled in Orange County and Tim Sauter/Matt Olsen having curled in Denver just this week!!!!!!! More proof that WCCC likes to travel. And we're pretty good at it too: <u>http://winecountrycurlingclub.com/2019/09/15/2018-2019-wccc-travel/</u> and <u>http://winecountrycurlingclub.com/2018/08/15/wccc-likes-to-travel/</u> Going somewhere? Make sure we know about it so we can add it to the list!

8. 2019/2020 Membership is closing soon. Make sure you're registered with the club so that you get all the benefits of being a WCCC

member: <u>https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdp7Zg8hkhOZsIdGCLevaSmxPachXRM0efFRTM6XfHa-n8LsA/viewform</u> Membership is required for league play.