

👉 Thanks to everyone who filled out our post-shutdown survey! We really appreciate it and it will help us plan when things get to the planning stages. We don't really know when that will be but at least we can say we had a head start! It's still open if you wanted to give us your input: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1DCh4z0USwE0iCKH3gO8mpG-n3Xbaoj9dnFjk3a-YfXs/viewform?edit_requested=true

👉 In the survey, we also asked what everyone out there was doing! It's fun to see all the different things that you guys are doing to stay busy when there's no curling, so I figured I'd highlight a few of them below and in future emails.

👉 Steve Sampson has been recreating famous paintings using props/costumes from his home!



👉 Chris Skidmore has been working hard on his backyard garden, growing many vegetables from seeds! He also has 12 fruit trees.



☺ Dan Higginbotham has been using the downtime to continue to research and write his historical fiction novel. It's something he's been working on for 4 years and has taken him to Scotland many times. Here's a brief summary of what we can expect in 12-18 months: *"Foreshadowing Eyes" spans 500 years from the time of Mary, Queen of Scots to twentieth century America. As tragic events occur, Sir Robert Rose, Mary's loyal knight, knows their outcome but continues to carry out his duties with honor. When tragic events strike Anne Taylor's life, an odd occurrence leads her on a trail back to Scotland. A journal discovered near North Berwick reveals a harbinger experienced by both Rose and Taylor in their respective life times. Rose lived his life fully while guarding this secret until his death...will Anne?*

☺ Nick Vida spends his downtime looking at the sweet adorable face of his son, Niles!





🍷 Laura Lunetta spends every waking moment making focaccia. No seriously. I get the texts. It's all the time. 🍷



🍷 Timarie Shelton has been doing a lot of hiking in the Confluence/Auburn/Cool area. It's been beautiful weather lately, perfect for those long hikes!



🍷 We have 24 members in the middle of our first ever E-League. We've curled in 8 games and have 3 games left in this league! It's super fun and an excellent way to work on strategy. Just head over to <http://www.flyordie.com/>, locate CURLING, and start playing. It's free and you can be as incognito as you want. 🤫



🏴‍☪️ Want to see what it's like in our E-League? Our next games are on Thursday 4/30. We have 6 games going at 7:00pm and then 6 more at 8:00pm. You can watch them while they play because we're going to have a Zoom-stacking party! Starting at 6:45pm, I'll open a Zoom meeting and share my screen as we move throughout the games.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84289935171?pwd=S0QwbElpWG5UNHNWWjhtai81YU9aUT09password=curlsacto>

Feel free to drop in throughout the evening as we broomstack and watch some e-curling. This is your chance to see the faces of your curling buddies!!! It will be just like we're in the bleachers at Skatetown except your drink of choice 🍷🍹🍺🍻🍾 is free. We'll probably run another league after this one concludes, so it's a good way to see what it's like in case you were on the fence.

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1. BROOM
2. NARROW
3. BUTTON

4. SLIDER
5. TAKEOUT
6. TEAM
7. HURRY
8. BONSPIEL
9. CRUSH
10. STONE
11. PEEL
12. CURLING
13. BRUSH
14. BARREL
15. BEER
16. HOGLINE
17. SWEEPING
18. END
19. HACK
20. HOUSE
21. FREEZE
22. LEAD
23. VICE
24. KEEN
25. DRAW
26. DELIVERY
27. HAMMER
28. SKIP
29. GUARD
30. HEAVY
31. PEBBLE
32. RINGS
33. RINK
34. SHEET
35. SHOT
36. TAP
37. WEIGHT
38. BURN
39. CORNER
40. STEAL