



**MISSION AND BENEFITS OF THE
CIRCUIT PROVINCIAL DE CURLING JUNIOR
2010-2011**

From this point onwards, the terms CPCJ, CQ and CO will be used to represent the terms Circuit Provincial de Curling Junior, Curling Québec and organizing committees respectively.

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Offer a network of tournaments, targeted at junior and juvenile curlers, which is comparable to the principles of the World Curling Tour.

1. THE BENEFITS OF THE CPCJ FOR THE PARTICIPATING TEAMS

- 1.1. Allows teams to evolve and develop within a framework of structured competition.
- 1.2. Be familiar with the rules which are in effect in adult competitions
- 1.3. Permit a team to improve their performance and classification as well being able to provide a performance indicator compared to other teams in the province
- 1.4. The top 4 men's and women's teams from each category with the most points accumulated over the year will be invited to the CPCJ Provincial Final.
- 1.5. Cash prizes will be awarded to the winning team and the finalist of each category at the conclusion of the CPCJ Provincial Final.
- 1.6. The final standings of the Junior Category at the CPCJ Provincial Final will be used to determine the teams that will qualify for the OVCA Superspiel in Ottawa. The number of spots allocated to Quebec is at the discretion of the OVCA Superspiel host committee. Depending on the number of entries available to Quebec, CQ, conforming with the PDE, will propose to the OVCA host committee that the teams be invited based on the following order of priority:

Regular Years	The Year Preceding Canada Games
1. The CPCJ Champion teams from the <u>Junior Category</u> . <i>Provisions 3.1, 3.2 and 3.3 of the specific rules are applicable.</i>	1. The teams that will be representing Quebec at Canada Games. <i>Provisions 3.1, 3.2 and 3.3 of the specific rules are applicable.</i>
2. The defending Provincial Junior Champions (Équipes Québec). <i>Provisions 3.1, 3.2 and 3.3 of the specific rules are applicable.</i>	2. The CPCJ Champion teams from the <u>Junior Category</u> . <i>Provisions 3.1, 3.2 and 3.3 of the specific rules are applicable.</i>
3. The CPCJ Finalist teams from the <u>Junior Category</u> . <i>Provisions 3.1, 3.2 and 3.3 of the specific rules are applicable.</i>	3. The defending Provincial Junior Champions (Équipes Québec). <i>Provisions 3.1, 3.2 and 3.3 of the specific rules are applicable.</i>
	4. The CPCJ Finalist teams from the <u>Junior Category</u> . <i>Provisions 3.1, 3.2 and 3.3 of the specific rules are applicable.</i>

Note: If teams are ineligible for the following year, CQ will use the CPCJ standings as the guide for invitations for the OVCA Superspiel.

1.7. The final standings of the Juvenile Category at the CPCJ Provincial Final will be used to determine the teams that will represent Quebec at the U18 Canadian Championship for the following year. *For example, the teams who win the CPCJ in March 2010, will represent Quebec in 2011..*

Note: Every 4 years, the year before the Canada Winter Games, the juvenile champion will represent Quebec at the Canada Games. In this case, the finalists in the juvenile sections will be invited to the U-18.

1.8. The final classification will aid in the identification of certain athletes who will be eligible for certain programs and services provided by CQ.