



Saint John Riverboat Classic

2024 Captain's Cruise News

THURSDAY 24 OCTOBER 2024

Today's Curling Draws

DRAW 1	4:30 pm
DRAW 2	7:00 pm
DRAW 3	9:00 pm



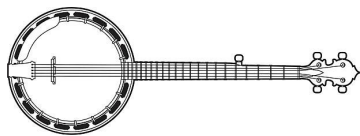
Today's Food

Hip of Beef Dinner	6:00-9:30pm
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Today's Entertainment

KV Country	7:00-9:00pm
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WELCOME TO THE 41ST RIVERBOAT



Past Captains Welcome You!

It's Autumn. The leaves are changing and the air is brisk. You've already eaten too much of that candy you thought you were going to give out on Halloween. So put down that Hershey bar and pick up a refreshing beverage. It's time for the 41st Riverboat Classic!

Captain Kevin Baxter and First Mate Rejean Larivee along with all

members of the 2024 Riverboat Crew welcome all of the curlers (and non-curlers) who came from far and away to enjoy 4 days of friendship, food and entertainment (and curling).

There are 3 big draws today. Dinner is Hip o' Beef. On behalf of the Crew, Good Curling!
- The Editor

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Special thanks to Envision Saint John for sponsoring Friday night's salmon dinner!



UNOFFICIAL UNWRITTEN RIVERBOAT RULES

Yeah yeah, you know all the rules of scoring and hog lines. But do you know about these unofficial Riverboat Classic Rules for the Bonspiel ?

For Leads:

1. Your Skip has really good hearing and thin skin. Always whisper your criticisms on ice. We know your call was better than the Skip's. Everyone knows that. But you gotta play the game. Inflate the Skip's ego. Trust me, you'll get a free beer out of it.

2. Sweeping. Oh man, those Skips like to shout, "Hurry Hard" don't they? You need to pretend to sweep and make the Skips happy. It's all in the hunching. If you lean over, you can pretend you're applying all of your weight onto your broom but in reality you're napping or figuring out your taxes or what drink you like. The Skip is happy because it looks like you were sweeping and you're happy because you know exactly what cold refreshment you're gonna order when you lose.



The Measure-thingie

For Seconds:

1. What do you guys even do? The most important shots have already been played by the leads.

For Mates:

1. Many a game has been lost because the Skip didn't follow your brilliant shot calling. I mean honestly, that double tap angle raise you wanted to try was makeable. You just have to say you're gonna do Skip's "draw for two" but in reality you can throw YOUR shot. The Skip will never know since you can't make either shot.

2. It's usually bad etiquette to go get a drink while the Skip is throwing the last rock.

For Skips:

1. Let's be honest. Your Lead is talking behind your back. He's even pretending to sweep. Your Second...what is he even doing? Oh and then there's your Benedict Arnold Mate. What to do about him? Well, the same thing you always do. Picture yourself at the Brier with 3 better players delivering perfect rocks. They leave you with that last shot which is your special angle raise takeout to score 5. Unfortunately you awake from your fever dream and you're still with your original guys. But that's ok. You're a team and you just spent 4 long hours in a car driving to Saint John. But you know what? You wouldn't want it any other way.

Well...maybe a Brier win...

BAR HOURS

Thursday	4:00pm-close
Friday	8:00am-close
Saturday	8:00am-close
Sunday	8:00am-close

All bartenders are volunteers
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generous.



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CAPTAIN'S HUMOUR LOGBOOK

A police officer pulls over a semi truck. He gets the usual license and registration, but hears strange noises coming from the trailer, so he decides to investigate. Inside, he finds 50 penguins.

"Sir, why do you have 50 penguins in your truck?" The officer asks the driver

"Well, they're my friends, and we like to go on journeys together in my truck" the man replies

"I'm sorry sir, but you can't just own 50 penguins. I'm afraid you're going to have to take them to the zoo"

The man agrees and drives off. The next day the same cop pulls the truck over again, and once again hears strange noises in the trailer. He goes to check and finds the same 50 penguins.

"I thought I told you to take these penguins to the zoo yesterday!" The cop angrily tells the driver

"I did take them to the zoo! They loved it! Today we're going to the beach"



An Irishman walks into a bar. He orders two shots, drinks them both, and then leaves.

The next day, the Irishman returns, orders another two shots, drinks them both, and then leaves.

He continues to do this for some time, when one day the bartender questions him, "How come you always order exactly two shots?"

The Irishman replies, "well, you see my brother and I used to go out drinking every night, but he lives across the country now, so every night, I order two drinks. One for myself, and one for my brother."

Things remain the same for a while until one day the Irishman

comes in and orders only one shot. The bartender becomes concerned and asks him "how come you're only ordering one shot? Did something happen to your brother? Is he ok?"

The Irishman replies, "of course not, my brother's fine. I just quit drinking"



There's this guy, Dave who absolutely hates going to the doctor. Luckily for him, his brother Henry is a veterinarian. So anytime Dave is sick, he tells Henry and Henry will say "look I'm not a doctor but here is what I would do and the medicines I would take". One day Dave breaks his leg so he calls up his brother and tells Henry he broke his leg. Henry is quiet for a bit and then says "Dave, I've got bad news"

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A man sees a sign outside a house - 'Talking Dog For Sale.' He rings the bell, the owner appears and tells him the dog can be viewed in the back yard. The man goes to the yard and sees a very nice looking Labrador Retriever sitting there. "Do you really talk?" he asks the dog. "Yes," the Labrador replies. After recovering from the shock of hearing the dog talk, the man asks, "So, tell me your story." The Labrador looks up and says, "Well, I discovered that I could talk when I was pretty young. I wanted to help the government, so I was sold to the CIA. In no time at all they had me jetting from country to country, sitting in rooms with spies and world leaders, because no one imagined that a dog would be eaves dropping. I was one of their most valuable spies for eight years". "But the jetting around really tired me out, and I knew I wasn't getting any younger so I decided to settle down. I signed up for a job at O'Hare Airport to do some undercover security work, wandering near suspicious characters and listening in. I uncovered some incredible dealings and was awarded several medals". "Then I got married, had a few puppies, and now I've just retired." The man is amazed. He goes back into the house and asks the owner how much he wants for the dog.

"Ten bucks," the owner says. "\$10? But your dog is absolutely amazing! Why on earth are you selling him so cheaply?" "Because he's a lying bastard, he's never been out of the back yard."



A regular customer walks into a bar. He's got an orange for a head.

Bartender says "hey man, why do you have an orange for a head?" Guy says "get me a drink and I'll tell you." Bartender pours him a drink, passes the glass, and puts his elbows on the bar. Guy takes a sip and puts his drink down.

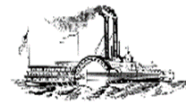
"Last night, I was doing some cleaning up in my attic and I found an old, antique glass bottle. Just for the heck of it, I rubbed it and to my surprise, a genie popped out! He granted me three wishes. So, for my first wish, I asked for my house to become a mansion. The genie snapped his fingers and immediately, beneath my feet, my modest home expanded and turned into the most lavish mansion you could ever dream. Marble floors, high ceilings with glass chandeliers, fountains in the main entrance, complete luxury."

Bartender says, "That's cool, man, but why the orange for a head?"

Guy says "Well, for my second wish, I asked for a brand new, mean looking, high powered sports car. Genie snapped his fingers, and I looked out my front window to see a brand new, cherry red Ferrari had appeared in my driveway. Gosh, this thing sparkles. Does 0-60 in less than a second, roars like a lion handles like a champ. First time I took it out for a spin I pushed the limits and did almost 180mph on the highway. I tell ya, I've never gone that fast in my life!"

Bartender says, "Awesome man! But, ya know, the orange for a head."

Guy takes a sip from his drink and puts it down. "For my third wish... I asked for an orange for a head."



A man walks into a bar with a duck under one arm.

The bartender says, "What are you doing in here with that pig?"

The man says, "What? Are you blind? This is a duck!"

The bartender says, "I was talking to the duck."

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