

APPENDIX:

Curling Alberta Masters Provincial Championships (Men's and Women's)

See below for competition specific details. The rules and details contained in the main body of the Competitor's Guide apply to this competition. In the event there is a perceived conflict between the Competitor's Guide and this appendix, this appendix is considered to take priority.

An eligibility change effective 2018-2019, applies to competitors with a potential date conflict. See Curling Alberta's Competitor's Guide for complete detail; the changes relevant to juniors are summarized below:

- Teams competing in a Curling Alberta Provincial Qualifiers do so with the knowledge that they must continue to play at all levels, up to and including the Provincial Championships, until they are eliminated. Teams will not be given the opportunity to replace team members unless it is due to any of the circumstances listed in section 13(a) of the Competitor's Guide.
- In effect, this means a competitor may enter the Masters category and another category (e.g. Seniors if eligible and/or Women's/Men's) as long as there is no date conflict up to and including the Provincial Championship.

A. PROVINCIAL QUALIFIERS

1. The details and format are as described in section 1 of the Curling Alberta Provincial Berth Policy, with the possible exception of the Women's category as described below.
2. In the Masters Women's category, provincial qualifying playdowns will only occur if there are more than eight teams in total registered at deadline. If eight or less teams are registered at deadline, all teams will proceed directly to the Provincial Championship.
3. In the Masters Men's category, eight provincial berths are awarded in total, all through results at the Provincial Qualifiers.
4. There are no pre-qualifying berths in the Masters category. All games are 8 ends.
5. There are no "free agents" or 5th players in any Curling Alberta Masters competition.

B. PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONSHIP

1. The format is a full round-robin with playoffs.
2. All games are 8 ends and are not timed.
3. Each team has two (2) time outs per 8 end game; 60 seconds meeting time or 90 seconds with travel time – Chief Umpire will advise.
4. A delivery stick may be used.
5. Playoffs – After the round-robin, the first place team will advance to the finals. The second and third place teams will play in a semi-final with the winner advancing to the finals (see Playoffs section C (8) in the Competitor's Guide for complete details, including the procedure in the event of a tie for a playoff position).
6. For playoff stone selections, Women choose from sheets A-D; Men from sheets E-H.
7. The following draw and schedule is approved for the 2019 Provincial Championship.