

SWCC Inter Club League

Status report 10th January 2018

The Inaugural Inter Club League commenced on the 12th October 2017 with the first two games of the first round hosted by Stranraer playing against Stirling. Stranraer won the first home game 4-2 with the afternoon away game was peeled at 3-3.

As of today's date 3 rounds of the League have been completed and the competition has been played in a competitive but amiable spirit. The league standings are chopping and changing with each round and with two rounds still to go the table is still wide open. With each team having a bye in one of the 5 rounds the table will not be the full story until the last round but in the meantime the standings are worked out by the club who has won the most points from the points available.(i.e. 2 games won is 4pts from 4 games played with possible 8pts= 50%)

League Standings after Round 1

	P	W	D	L	Pts	%age of points won from points available	Ends	Shots diff.
Stranraer	2	1	1	0	3	75%	7	2
Lockerbie	2	1	0	1	2	50%	6	7
Northern Ice	2	1	0	1	2	50%	6	-7
Stirling	2	0	1	1	1	25%	4	-2
Sth. Lanarkshire	0	0	0	0	0	X	0	0

League Standings after Round 2

	P	W	D	L	Pts	% pts av.	Ends	Shots diff.
Northern Ice	4	3	0	1	6	75%	17	19
Sth. Lanarkshire	2	1	1	0	3	75%	7	11
Lockerbie	2	1	0	1	2	50%	6	7
Stranraer	4	1	1	2	3	37.50%	8	-24
Stirling	4	0	2	2	2	25%	8	-13

League Standings after Round 3

	P	W	D	L	Pts	% pts av.	Ends	Shots diff.
Lockerbie	4	3	0	1	6	75.00%	17	15
Northern Ice	6	4	0	2	8	67.00%	22	17
Sth. Lanarkshire	4	2	1	1	5	62.50%	13	13
Stranraer	6	1	1	4	3	25.00%	12	-32
Stirling	4	0	2	2	2	25.00%	8	-13

Results

Round 1

Stranraer v Stirling H 4-2, A 3-3

Lockerbie v Nth Ice H 11-3, A 5-6

Round 2

Nth.Ice v Stranraer H 17-0, A 10-1

Stirling v Sth Lanarkshire H 4-4, A 2-13

Round 3

Sth Lanarkshire v Nth Ice H 10-4, A 3-7

Stranraer v Lockerbie H 1-7, A 5-7

Funding

I have pleasure in confirming that the application for funding from the Postcode Lottery Community Trust has been successful and attach a copy of the email below. All the necessary paperwork has been completed and accepted by the Trust and we are currently awaiting the funds to be credited to the SWCA bank account. The amount is £2500 which is expected around the end of January. Further to the initial £500 from the committee (SIS trust) these funds will be distributed equally amongst the five participating clubs to reimburse them for the ice costs and for them help their players and volunteer coaches with travel expenses to away League games this season.

The award will be audited by the Postcode Lottery Community Trust and therefore a receipt will be required from each club secretary itemising where the funds have been spent. I suggest that this be in a standard format by means of a Pro Forma invoice in line with the application made and issued by the SWCA committee to each Club for them to sign as received.

It is hoped we can now attract further funding for next season from the same source and from a sponsor if we are able to source one.

Award Conformation

“...Edward (Ted) Bidgood

Scottish Wheelchair Curling Association

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Wednesday, 29 November 2017

Dear Edward (Ted),

Thank you for submitting a Stage 2 Full Application to Postcode Community Trust. We would like to acknowledge the hard work that must have gone into putting your application together.

We are delighted to inform you that your application has been successful!

Attached is a T&Cs document, which all applicants must read before returning the signed Funding Agreement. We cannot accept typed names in lieu of signatures.

*In addition, all applicants must return a bank statement dated within the last 90 days. This bank statement needs to be on headed paper from the bank and clearly display the organisation's name as the account holder, as well as the sort code and account number. The signed Funding Agreement and bank statement must be returned no later than **5pm on December 15th 2017**. We would prefer you to return these by email but if you are unable to do this we can accept them by post. You will be notified by email once we have received your documents. We aim to process payments within 28 working days providing we have all documentation required.*

Please do not publicly announce this until you have received the email from our Communications Team outlining how you should acknowledge your award. You should receive this email in the next 6 weeks. Please refer to our [website](#) for details of our reporting requirements.

Kind regards,

Administration Team Postcode Community Trust.....”

Award Acknowledgement

There are specific guidelines as to how we acknowledge the Support of the Postcode Lottery in any public arena or press release and would committee members please take a look at these guidelines.

This will be particularly important to display the correct Logo and acknowledgement on Facebook and on the SWCA or RCCC websites.

Official Logo to be used



Summary

I believe the Inter Club League has been a success so far this season and we hope to continue the competitive, sporting spirit through to the end of this season. The competition has introduced some new players to competitive curling and allowing them to be nurtured and mentored by the more experienced players. This is entirely the purpose of the League and long may it continue to do so.

Thank you to the SWCA committee for their support in getting the League off the ground, there have been challenges but thanks also the individual clubs, coaches and players alike for overcoming these to make the League a welcome addition to the development of Wheelchair Curling.

Thank You

Ted Bidgood