

2 Person Stick Curling Rule Amendment

The Manitoba Stick Curling Tour (MSCT) has proposed a framework to allow the registration of 2, 3 or 4 person teams plus a team coach and possibly on-ice assistants (Ice Player Assistants) in the MSCA Provincial Championships as well as the CSCA National Championships. The MSCT will trial the registration of 2 or 3 person teams for Women's and Men's MSCT events and 2, 3 or 4 person teams for Open and Mixed MSCT events, while allowing all teams to list an accredited coach and on-ice assistants. The MSCT proposes the following:

- All team members must be registered by the event registration deadline (2, 3 or 4 curlers, 1 coach, up to two on-ice assistants);
- Team membership may not normally be altered after the event registration deadline (except in the case of an emergency);
- A spare may still be used, but cannot be registered in the event (i.e., cannot be on another event team);
- Team must have at least one registered team member on the ice at all times;
- All team members are eligible to play in any combination of two, but must adhere to the event format (i.e., for a women's event all members must be female, for a men's event all members must be male, for a mixed event any combination of male/female allowed but the on-ice team must have one male and one female, for an open event any combination of male/female permitted);
- In-game substitutions (including pre or post game practice, Tie-breaker draws and LSFE draws) are not allowed except in the event of an injury or illness that prevents a player from completing the game;
- Payouts, prizes, points and/or awards will be based on team accomplishments regardless of team size (i.e., \$10 payout per win format will remain at \$10 regardless of team size);
- Team registration fees remain the same for 2, 3 and 4 person teams;
- Coaches must have one of a) Curling Canada, b) Canadian Stick Curling Association or c) Manitoba Stick Curling Association coach accreditation (See Appendix A).

MSCT Changes

- Individuals will continue to acquire MSCT points as outlined on mbsticktour.com;
- Teams will continue to acquire MSCT points as outlined on mbsticktour.com;
- MSCT points will be awarded/divided equally among team members for 2, 3 and 4 person teams;
- For Championship awards, team members will have to have competed together in a minimum of half the events used to calculate the team's championship points (e.g., 2 person teams participating in 5 contributing MSCT events would require each team member play together in 3 of the five events, in the case of a 3 person team each team member would have to have participated in a minimum of two MSCT events with each of their team members).

Minimum number of MSCT Events team members must have participated together

Number of contributing MSCT Events	2 person team	3 person team
1	1	1
1.5	1	1
2	1	1
2.5	2	1
3	2	2
3.5	2	2
4	2	2
4.5	3	2
5	3	2

Appendix A

2 Person Stick Curling					31-May-26
					
Modules	Board	Umpire	Coach	Clinician	On Ice Assistant
Respect in Sport	x	x	x	x	x
Online-Sport MB					
Make Ethical Decisions	x	x	x		
NCCP Online or MSCA Decision					
Criminal Record Check	x	x	x	x	
mybackcheck.com					
Emergency Action Plan		x	x		
NCCP Online					
Venue specific		x	x		
Stonewall, Beausejour, St. Vital, Charleswood					
Technical/Professional Development					
Clinic- Using a Delivery Stick			x	x	
Module-Delivery					
Clinic - Using a Laser Rock Measure		x			
Module-LRM-MSCA, Tie breaker					
Clinic - Delivery Advanced			x	x	
Module-Advanced					
Clinic-Strategies			x	x	
Stick Curling Strategy-Jan 2026					
Clinic-Sweeping			x		
Module-Sweeping					
Clinic-Line of Delivery			x	x	
Modules-Gates, Green Lasers					
Clinic- Timing & Watches			x	x	
Module-Timing & Watches					
Manual- Chronocurl			x	x	
Module-Timing Device					
1st Aid/AED		x	x		
Red Cross MB					
Pro. Develop. Clinician-2026				x	
Module-Kevin Stewart Delivery					
Pro. Develop. Umpire-2026		x			
Module-Advanced LRM - 2 point					
CSCA Rules		x			x
Module-CSCA Supplemental Rules					