

UNOFFICIAL LEAGUE STANDINGS TO FEB.8TH.

	G.P.	W.	L.	T.	G.	G.A.	Pts.
Marathon	26	19	6	1	126	89	39
Terrace Bay	24	11	13	0	107	111	22
Red Rock	24	11	12	1	78	83	23
Nipigon	26	8	18	0	101	129	16

Terrace Bay is in third place.

EXECUTIVE MEETING

There will be a short meeting of the Executive of the Men's Curling Club at 6 P.M., Thursday, the 12th, in the Small Meeting Room.

DUES

All unpaid membership dues must be paid immediately.

CURLING NEWS

CONGRATULATIONS to Peggy Wellings, Ann Latour, Ida Romaniuk and Sylvia Duquette - Northwestern Ontario Champs for the 3rd successive year!!

NOVELTY BONSPIEL - Winners of the novelty bonspiel held last weekend were Ed West, Skip, Charlie Sitch, 3rd, Harry Gusul, 2nd, and Joe Butler, lead. Consolation winners were Joe Campbell, Skip, John Garvin, 3rd, Vic Welsh, 2nd, and Clarence Rousseau, lead. Prizes, which were silver mugs for the winners and (s) weeping towels for the consolation, were presented at the social on Saturday evening.

Plans are to have two more of these weekend bonspiels this year. One will be a club 'spiel and the other a novelty event.

MIXED CURLING - The draw scheduled for Feb. 7th will be held this Saturday, Feb.14th with another regularly scheduled draw the next Saturday, Feb. 21st.

This mixed curling has really caught on and will probably be an important part of next year's programme.

BONSPIELERS - Rune Ostling, Cliff Wood, Don Whitley and Doug Knight came back from Marathon a couple of weeks ago with the 2nd prize in the first event - electric shavers. Manitouwadge, with our old friend, Jock McCall on their rink, beat Rune out. Well done, boys.

RECREATION NEWS

GUN CLUB MEETING FRIDAY - Those people who have expressed a desire to form a Gun Club are urged to attend a meeting on Friday night at 7 p.m., in the Small Room of the Recreation Centre.

Plans will be discussed for the formation of a club and, if possible, a committee formed to get things underway.

REMEMBER..... Ladies are invited too. We already have four who wish to take part.

NORTH SHORE HOCKEY LEAGUE

The North Shore Hockey League schedule is about complete and a quick look shows that Marathon have cinched the top spot with Superiors and Red Rock neck and neck for second place. Nipigon haven't a chance for the runner-up position but are in there for third place.

There is an importance in gaining the second position as the semi-finals will be a seven game series; first place vs. third and second vs. fourth. The top rank team will have the advantage of playing four games on home ice, providing, of course, that the series would go the limit.

Superiors have a break, for a change, in that the next five games give them four on home ice. They are at full strength and are working well together. The past week has shown some impressive wins 11-5 against Marathon on Marathon ice and an 8-1 victory against Nipigon Sunday afternoon. Their loss 7-5 on Thursday here against Marathon was given after a well played game in which the Mercs gained the odds during the first period. Sunday was an indication of their team play and close checking methods. Nipigon were not weak, they were closely back checked by the Superior forwards, met a stiff well combined defense and had the frustrating experience of seeing their shots turned aside by stellar net minding.

Red Rock will be here Thursday, Feb.12th and again Sunday, Feb. 15th, neither the Royals nor the Superiors can afford to give each other a game advantage, which indicates that the games will be close and stiff. Royals, as in the past, are a team that work together have dogged determination and are heavy enough to give the Sups a hard time breaking into the defense zone. Superiors have the speed, their defense is as heavy but always have trouble with Jorgensen in the net.

Nipigon Flyers will play here Saturday night, Feb. 14th. Terrace and Nipigon always play a top quality game.

The last game of the series will be played here against Marathon, Thursday, Feb.19th. This will be the game at which the draw will be made for the \$90.00 watch. Your program numbers count here, you have to be present in order to win. So, for the next four home games keep those girls busy selling programs and have your program numbers with you on Thursday, February 19th.

Don't forget to save your Friday night, February 13th, for the Hockey Association St. Valentines Dance.

TUESDAY'S GAME: MARATHON 8 - TERRACE BAY 7

THURSDAY FEB 12th RED ROCK AT TERRACE BAY  
GAME TIME 8 P.M.