

## Greater Edmonton SHUFFLEBOARD

## Association

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## **President's Message**

April 13, 2024

**Hey! Shuffle Board is back!** The ice is on the way out and our season is about to begin at the Ottewell Curling Club. We will have a pre-registration event from 10am to 1pm on Wednesday, April 24th at the Ottewell. 4205 102 Ave NW, Edmonton. Our first day of play will be Thursday, April 25 at 10am. If you can't make the pre-registration, plan on coming at least a half hour early on any of our regular play times. Those are 10am and 12:30 pm, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays, and also 7pm Thursday evenings.

Word of mouth is the absolute best way to let friends and family know about our club. Advise them that our drop-in rate is only \$7 a day. I know they will love this game, so if they come once or twice and want to become a member, we will deduct what they have already paid from the \$100 membership fee. *That will entitle them to unlimited play all summer long!* 

We all want to welcome newcomers to the club. If you are one of those, please let me or the desk staff know before the game is to begin. We will arrange lessons to quickly get you up and running! Everything you will need is provided.

Our club hosts two open tournaments each year. These are the Charlie Loiselle Memorial Singles on May 13, 14 & 15, and the Mixed Doubles July 22, 23 & 24. Entry fees for each is \$60 per person which includes a banquet and cash prizes.

And speaking of tournaments, the International Shuffleboard Association will be holding the World Singles Tournament on November 1st in San Benito, Texas. If you are interested please contact me ASAP.

Our fund raisers this year will be silent auctions at our tournaments. If you have item(s) that you wish to donate to this worthy cause, please let any executive member know.

To sign up for membership or for tournament entry, please text or call Linda Wozniuk at 780 916-2203. E-Transfers for memberships and/or tournaments can be made directly to gesashuffle@outlook.com

See you all shuffling soon!

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