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PCC Offers Beginning Curling Class

Maybe you've seen curling on TV, especially during the Winter Olympics. You know, that sport in which people try to get a 42-pound granite stone from one end of the ice to the other. They have brooms and people yell, "sweep!" How's that scoring work anyway?

Now's your chance to not only learn about curling so that you'll be prepared for the 2010 Olympics in Vancouver, BC, but to try it yourself in an Beginning Curling class at PCC.

Taught by experienced curlers from Evergreen Curling Club, the class starts Tuesday, January 16th at Lloyd Center Ice at 6:45 pm for two evenings. The course includes off-ice instruction on curling rules, etiquette, and safety, followed by on-ice practice. Learn to deliver, sweep, score, and play an actual game.

"Curling truly is a sport for people of all ages – it appeals to almost everyone," says curling instructor Doug Schaak. "It's a unique game, one that everyone should try at least once. But be careful – once you try it, you might be hooked!"

For registration, check your PCC Community Education Winter Schedule or online at: <http://www.pcc.edu/>, CRN# 15904. Learn more about curling at Evergreen Curling Club's website at: <http://www.evergreencurling.org/> or call Kristy Schnabel, 503.638.0852, for information.

FAST FACTS:

Event Name: PCC Class: Beginning Curling
Time/Date: Tuesday, January 16 & 23, 2007, 6:45 - 8:20 pm
Location: Lloyd Center Ice Rink, 953 Lloyd Center, Portland, OR
Registration: <http://www.pcc.edu/>, CRN# 15904
Cost: \$39
Wear: Loose fitting clothing and sneakers, all other equipment provided
Photos for download: <http://www.evergreencurling.org/media/>

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