



World Mixed Doubles Curling Championship 2011

ST. PAUL, USA 16 - 23 APRIL 2011

1. World Curling Federation (WCF) rules apply, unless otherwise indicated below or explained at the Team Meeting (16 April, St. Paul Curling Club, 12:45).
2. The 24 teams are divided into three (3) groups, "Dark Blue", "Dark Red" and "White". The teams in each group are listed within this document.
3. Each group plays a round-robin series. At the end of the round-robin series, and any necessary tiebreaker games, there must be a clear ranking for 1st, 2nd and 3rd position in each group. The 1st and 2nd ranked teams qualify for the 1/4 finals, as well as the 3rd ranked team with the best DSC result. The other two 3rd ranked teams play a qualification game to decide the last team entered into the 1/4 finals. The playoff format for the 1/4 finals will be:
 - (Game 1) 1st (DSC) of the 1st ranked teams v winner qualification game
 - (Game 2) 2nd (DSC) of the 1st ranked teams v 1st (DSC) of the 3rd ranked teams
 - (Game 3) 3rd (DSC) of the 1st ranked teams v 3rd (DSC) of the 2nd ranked teams
 - (Game 4) 1st (DSC) of the 2nd ranked teams v 2nd (DSC) of the 2nd ranked teams.
4. All games will be eight (8) ends, with extra end(s) to break tied games.
5. There will be a six (6) minute practice for each team before each round-robin game. The practice starts 15 minutes before the scheduled game time. The teams must toss for 1st and 2nd practice for their first game, thereafter the team with the stones with dark coloured handles will practice first.
6. At the conclusion of the team's pre-game practice, one player delivers one stone to the tee at the home end (glassed end). The team with the lesser Last Stone Draw (LSD) has the choice of delivering first or second stone in the first end. If the LSDs are equal, a toss of the coin will determine which team has the choice.
7. First named team in each draw plays stones with dark coloured handles, and should wear dark coloured upper playing garments. Red is considered a dark colour.
8. The Chief Umpire will determine the schedule and ice for all post round-robin games as soon as the number of games required and the opponents have been determined.

Mixed Doubles (Blue):	Mixed Doubles (Red):	Mixed Doubles (White):
1 – Canada (CAN)	1 – Australia (AUS)	1 – Austria (AUT)
2 – Denmark (DEN)	2 – Estonia (EST)	2 – China (CHN)
3 – England (ENG)	3 – Finland (FIN)	3 – Czech Republic (CZE)
4 – Italy (ITA)	4 – Hungary (HUN)	4 – France (FRA)
5 – Norway (NOR)	5 – Japan (JPN)	5 – Latvia (LAT)
6 – Russia (RUS)	6 – Korea (KOR)	6 – Scotland (SCO)
7 – Slovakia (SVK)	7 – New Zealand (NZL)	7 – Spain (ESP)
8 – Switzerland (SUI)	8 – Sweden (SWE)	8 – United States (USA)

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Day	Date	Time	Sheet A	Sheet B	Sheet C	Sheet D	Sheet E	Sheet F	Sheet G	Sheet H	
Fri	15 April	Arrival of the teams									
Sat	16 April	08:00	CAN	DEN	ENG	ITA	NOR	RUS	SUI	SVK	
		09:35	LAT	SCO	CZE	FRA	ESP	USA	AUT	CHN	
		11:10	AUS	EST	FIN	HUN	JPN	KOR	NZL	SWE	
		12:45	MIXED DOUBLES - TEAM MEETING at THE CURLING CLUB ... (ice shave AUT hour)								
		21:00	WMDCC & WSCC WELCOME RECEPTION								
Sun	17 April	11:30	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	CAN-DEN	ENG - ITA	
		15:00	NOR - RUS	SUI - SVK	LAT - SCO	CZE - FRA	AUS - EST	FIN - HUN	JPN - KOR	NZL - SWE	
		21:30	WSCC	WSCC	ESP - USA	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	AUT - CHN	
Mon	18 April	08:00	DEN - ITA	CAN - ENG	RUS - SUI	NOR - SVK	KOR - WE	JPN - NZL	EST - HUN	AUS - FIN	
		14:30	WSCC	WSCC	FRA - CHN	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	LAT - ESP	WSCC	
		18:00	JPN - HUN	SCO - USA	AUT - CZE	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	
		21:30	FRA - ESP	AUS - SWE	FIN - NZL	EST - KOR	ITA - NOR	DEN - RUS	SVK - ENG	SUI - CAN	
Tue	19 April	11:30	WSCC	LAT - FRA	HUN - SWE	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	
		15:00	AUT - USA	CHN - SCO	SVK - DEN	AUS - JPN	ENG - RUS	CAN - NOR	SUI - ITA	ESP - CZE	
		18:00	FIN - KOR	NZL - EST	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	
		21:30	CZE - SCO	X	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	
Wed	20 April	08:00	ESP - CHN	NOR - DEN	JPN - EST	SWE - FIN	LAT - AUT	USA - FRA	NZL - AUS	HUN - KOR	
		11:00	CAN - SVK	ITA - RUS	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	
		14:30	HUN - AUS	WSCC	EST - FIN	ENG - SUI	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	
		18:00	SCO - FRA	AUT - ESP	SWE - JPN	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	
		21:30	KOR - NZL	WSCC	X	CHN - LAT	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	CZE - USA	WSCC
Thu	21 April	08:00	CHN - CZE	USA - LAT	ITA - CAN	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	
		11:30	SWE - EST	FRA - AUT	KOR - AUS	NZL - HUN	DEN - ENG	NOR - SUI	ESP - SCO	RUS - SVK	
		14:30	X	FIN - JPN	CZE - LAT	WSCC	USA - CHN	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	
		18:00	SUI - DEN	SVK - ITA	SCO - AUT	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	
		21:30	WSCC	RUS - CAN	ENG - NOR	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	
Fri	22 April	08:00	TB	TB	TB	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	WSCC	
		11:30	TIEBREAKER GAMES (if required)								
		15:00	(Qual. Game for last ¼ finalist MD) + (Qual. Game for last ¼ finalist Men WSCC) + (TB Women WSCC)								
		20:00	1/4 Finals – Mixed Doubles + 1/4 Finals – Men WSCC								
Sat	23 April	09:00	Semifinals for everyone = Men WSCC + Women WSCC + Mixed Doubles								
		14:00	Gold and Bronze Games for everyone = Men WSCC + Women WSCC + Mixed Doubles								
		16:30	WMDCC & WSCC CLOSING CEREMONIES (on-ice)								
		20:00	WMDCC & WSCC FAREWELL PARTY								
Sun	24 April	Departure of the Teams									

Note: Training on Saturday, 16 April, each team has 10 minutes on each sheet, moving from A to B to C to D, etc. The umpires will control this training and tell the teams when to switch sheets.