

## Sudbury, Ontario - March 21 – 26, 2023

The 2023 Canadian Mixed Doubles Curling Championship (CMDCC) will be a thirty-two (32) team event with four (4) pools of eight (8) teams competing in individual round robins. Following these four round robins, twelve (12) teams will advance to the playoff round. The championship team will advance to the 2023 World Mixed Doubles Curling Championship, April 22-29, 2023.

## The 32 team Championship field will be determined as follows:

- Fourteen (14) teams as nominated by their respective Provincial or Territorial Associations.
- Four (4) 2021 Canadian Mixed Doubles Championship Semi-Finalists.<sup>1</sup>
- Fourteen (14) teams from the Canadian Mixed Doubles Rankings (CMDR), or as many teams as needed from the 2021-23 CMDR to fill the 32-team field.

## 2021-2023 CMDR

- Due to the cancellation of the 2022 Mixed Doubles Curling Trials and the 2022 CMDCC, the CMDR qualifying period for the 2023 CMDCC will be extended to include all events from August 12, 2021, to March 12, 2023.
- Teams will be allowed to count their best seven (7) events in the qualifying period. A maximum of <u>two (2)</u> CTRS events from the 2021-22 / 2022-23 CTRS standings may be applied towards the CMDR.
- Athletes must have played in a minimum of two (2) MD events together during the qualifying period to be eligible for a CMDR berth.

## Funding and Prize Details

- The prize purse for the Canadian Mixed Doubles Championship will be \$150,000.
- Travel expenses (flights, hotel, vehicle) expenses are the athlete's responsibility.
- 2023 CMDCC champions will be nominated to receive 12 months of carding from Sport Canada's Athlete Assistance Program (AAP) for the 2023-24 season.

<sup>1</sup>2021 CMDCC qualified teams must compete together to retain their berth in the 2023 CMDCC.

If a partner is unavailable to compete due to scheduling conflict with the World Women's Curling Championships, the player will be able to compete with a new partner who is ranked in the Top 10 CTRS or Top 32 CMDR as of March 12, 2023.