

Loose Ends Curling League

League Location for 2025-2026 Season and Beyond

1. Introduction:

This report presents the findings of the 2024 Special Meeting Survey, conducted in December 2024, following the Special Meeting of the Membership on December 15, 2024. The survey aimed to determine the preferred curling club for the League's new home after the closure of the Mayflower Curling Club at the end of this season, based on the recommendations from the Board of Directors.

2. Methodology

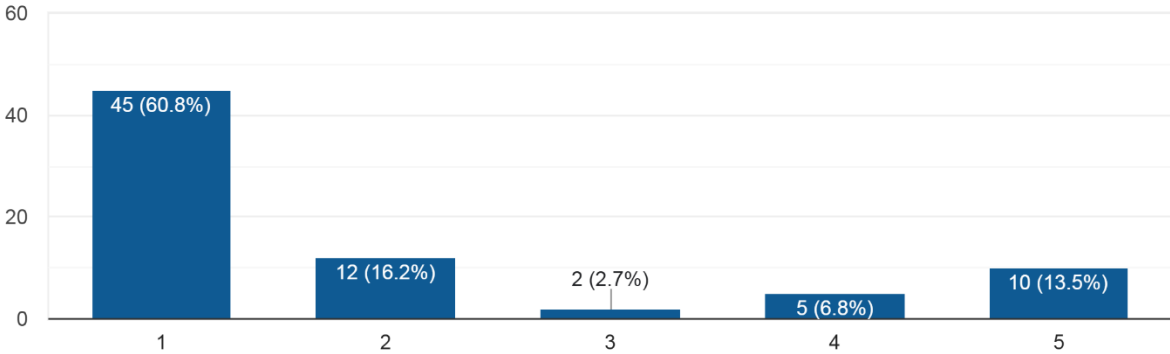
- Survey Period: December 15, 2024 – January 1, 2025
- Participants: 74 (69 Full Member, 5 Spare Member)
- Survey Type: Online Questionnaire
- Response Rate: 51% (55% Full Member, 19% Spare Member)

3. Key Findings

1. Where should the league move to in the 2025-2026 season and beyond
 - 1 – Strong Preference to the New Mayflower Curling Club (Timberlea)
 - 5 – Strong Preference to Dartmouth Curling Club (Downtown Dartmouth)

Please use the linear scale to show your preference on where the league should move in the 2025-2026 season and beyond.

74 responses



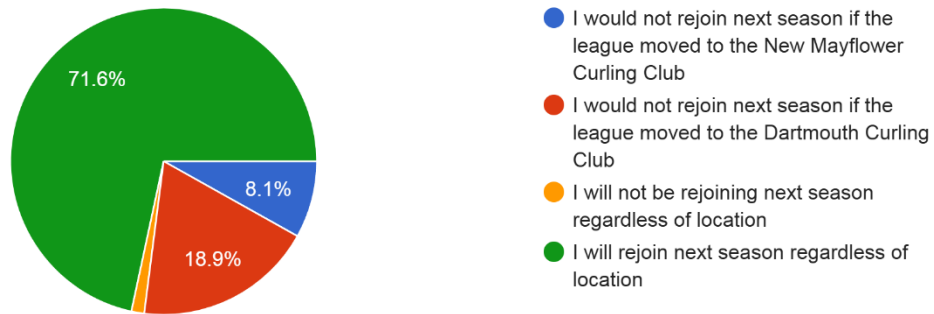
2. What influenced your preference?

- Common themes in support of moving to the New Mayflower Curling Club:
 - Relationship of the club with the League / Loyalty
 - New/ State of the are Club, ice quality
 - Parking
 - Allows for league growth
 - Will not have to move the League in the future
- Common themes in support of moving to Dartmouth Curing Club
 - Location / Proximity to City Centre
 - Transit Accessibility

3. Is there a scenario if the league moved to either club you would NOT rejoin next season?

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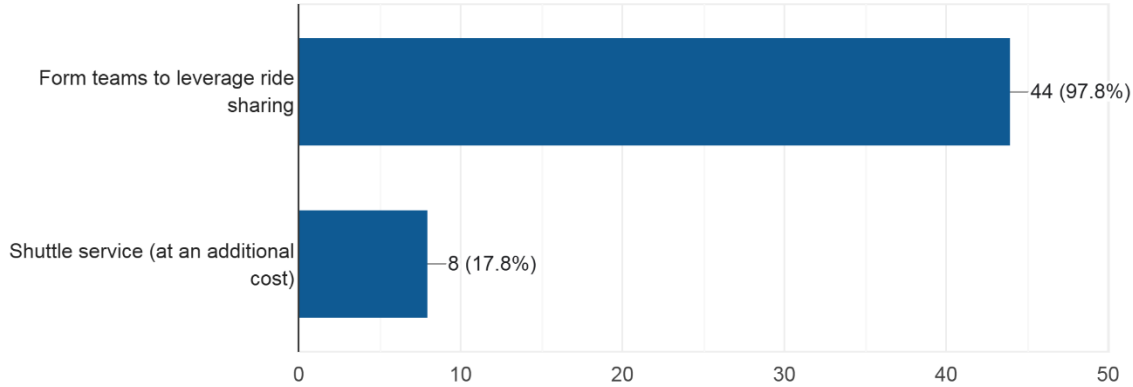


Option	Total	Full	Spare
I will rejoin next season regardless of location	53	51	2
I would not rejoin next season if the league moved to the Dartmouth Curling Club	14	13	1
I would not rejoin next season if the league moved to the New Mayflower Curling Club	6	4	2
I will not be rejoining next season regardless of location	1	1	0

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Conclusion

In conclusion, the survey results indicate a strong preference for the New Mayflower Curling Club as the League's new home, with 77% of respondents favoring this option over the Dartmouth Curling Club, which garnered 20.3% of support. Additionally, 18.9% of participants stated they would not rejoin the League if it moved to Dartmouth, compared to 8.1% who expressed the same sentiment if the move was to the New Mayflower. There was also a notable interest in forming teams or utilizing ride-sharing options to accommodate travel needs. These findings suggest that the New Mayflower Curling Club is the preferred choice for the League's future.