

LOBSTER SPIEL

# Nick Hilton team overall Lobster Spiel winner

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Curlers from Yarmouth and Windsor, skipped by Yarmouth's Nick Hilton were the overall winners of the 18th annual Lobster Spiel at the Barrington Regional Curling Club (BRCC) held Feb. 2-4.

Twenty teams from throughout the region competed in the bonspiel, which had an open format this year where competition was a combination of men's women's and mixed curling teams.

"We had a great turnout," said Elwin Smith, president of the BRCC. "The best I've seen in four or five years," crediting the open competition for the increased participation.

Taking the A Division was Nick Hilton and Charles MacIsaac from the Yarmouth Curling Club, who teamed up with Richard Barker and Shelley Barker from Windsor for the overall win. The A Division runners-up were Steve Walsh, Jevon Doane, Matt King and Terry Doane, Shelburne Curling Centre. A Division Consolation went to Art Mancini, Doug Drane, Norm Wallett and Raymond Perry Shelburne Curling Centre.

In B Division competition the winners were Herbert Penny, Ricky Watt, Steve Stoddart and Colby Nickerson, Barrington



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Jon Langille from the Barrington Regional Curling Club keeps his eyes on the target while delivering a stone during semi-final action at the annual Lobster Spiel.

Regional Curling Club. The B Division runners-up were Greg Hicks, Clark Acker, Peter Deschamp and Dave Foged, Shelburne Curling Centre.

In the C Division, Ricky Swim, Dana Newell, Travis Smith and Andy Swim were the winners, with Gary Thurber, Jon Langille, Graham Smith and James Squires run-

ners-up. Both teams are from the Barrington Regional Curling Club.



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Richard Barker delivers a stone while Teammates Shelley Barker and Charles MacIsaac are ready to sweep it home during semi-final action at the Barrington Regional Curling Club's Lobster Spiel on Feb. 4. The team, skipped by Nick Hilton, were the overall winners of the Lobster Spiel.



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Shelburne skip Greg Hicks is flanked by team mates Peter Deschamp (left) and Dave Foged while delivering a rock during semi-final action at the annual Lobster Spiel at the Barrington Regional Curling Club.