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C-European Championships in Zoetermeer, October 2014



Activities

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## Luxembourg finishes at 9th place

After 2 wins against Serbia and Bulgaria and 2 very tight games against Slovakia and Belarus that could have been won with a little more luck, (Missing a shot by 1cm in the extra end against Slovakia) our team only managed to finish 9th and did not reach its own targets : namely to win at least 3 games.

The team played the last 2 games only with 3 players because Philippe was called home to assist his wife giving birth to their first born son named LIAS. Congratulations to both parents from our club.

Nevertheless the team was a good ambassador for its country and was a strong opposition to all the other teams.

Results, photos and other information can be found online at <a href="http://www.curling2014.nl">www.curling2014.nl</a>

The attendance to various activities could be better, therefore we invite all members to come more regularly to the rinks.

Kindly find hereafter the schedule of our training sessions :

Monday and Wednesday evening

: 19h30 – 21h30

1st Sunday morning of each month

: Apéro Curling 10h30 – 12h30

## Bembel Cup in Frankfurt



## Luxembourg finishes 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> in Frankfurt

With 12 participating teams of curlers from 6 different nations, two teams of the Curling Club Letzebuerg took part in the Bembel Cup, the first international curling tournament organised by the Eintracht Frankfurt Curling Club.

The team composed of Marc Hansen, Alex and Susi Benoy, took the tournament victory, with third place going to Marc Promme, Yves Sieradzki, Jörg Moeser and Jens Herber (our new member).

The two teams both celebrated three victories as the only teams to not suffer any defeat, only the better scores (Ends, stones) were in favour of the former.

This result is very good publicity for the game of Curling in Luxembourg.



## Curling Lingo

Good Curling : Being healthy enough to be at the rink and able to participate. (Consider the alternatives.)
Bonspiel : An excuse to get together with a bunch of guys, drink some beer, curl a few ends, drink more beer, curl a few more ends, drink more beer, smoke cigars, drink more beer, ....

**Great Shot** : Any time Lady Luck is on your side.

**Lead** : Short for Leader .. truly, the most important member of the team.

**Losers** : The most skilled players with the best excuses.

**Off the broom:** The brief moments in a game when the Skip isn't leaning on his/her broom.

**On the broom :** Not wide! Not narrow! Just lucky!

**Broom (Brush):** Something for a Skip to lean on when he/she gets tired from yelling at the front end to "Hurry! Hard!"