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May 9, 2021 – Cathy (\$22,835)

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Sunday marked the last day of the **LGT World Women’s Curling Championship** with so many reasons to celebrate, including Team Switzerland taking home the gold, seven successful world-class curling events in the books, and the final Curling Alberta 50/50 jackpot reaching \$45,670. After buying tickets for almost every game since the Scotties Tournament of Hearts, Cathy is Sunday’s big cash prize winner of \$22,835. Congratulations, Cathy!

Curling was a big part of Cathy’s life growing up in Calgary and later on in Edmonton. While she hasn’t curled in a few years, she has very much enjoyed watching all the live curling and getting in on the 50/50 action. “I said to my husband that this is the loyalty reward, because I bought for every game,” laughed Cathy. “It’s quite exciting and it was a good Mother’s Day present.”

Now retired, Cathy enjoys any sport that keeps her outside and active from pickleball to golf. She also spends time with her family hiking, walking and camping family in Jasper, Banff and Kananaskis. As for her winnings, Cathy plans to pay it forward and donate a portion to some causes that are near and dear to her heart such as the food bank and animal rescue organizations.

A special shout out to the winners of Sunday’s Early Bird prizes, Ron, who won \$1,250 and Laura, a two-time winner, who took home \$5,000. Congratulations to both of you.

Thank you to Cathy, Ron, Laura, and to every single fan who supported Curling Alberta’s 50/50 initiative, whether it was a single ticket or multiple ones throughout Curling’s Capital series of events. It is your community-minded spirit and dedication to our sport that will keep Alberta’s local curling centres and grassroots curling healthy and thriving. Because of your generosity, future curling champions will have opportunities to hone their skills and follow in the steps of athletes like Alberta’s own Laura Walker and Brendan Bottcher. Together, we have raised over 1,235,900, and we at Curling Alberta are truly grateful.