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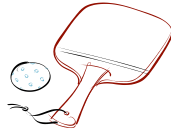
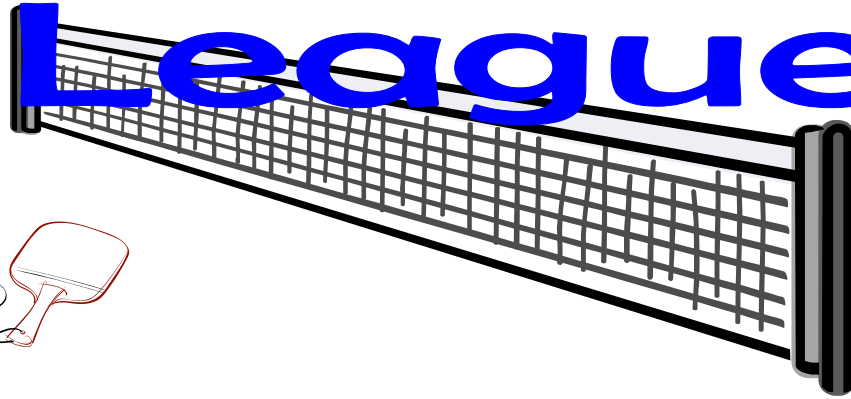
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Pickleball

League



The Community Recreation Center has openings in our Spring Adult Co-Ed Doubles Pickleball League. Matches will take place on Sunday's from 8-10 a.m. beginning April 18th in Mac Gym 1. **Registration will begin March 10 at the Parks and Recreation desk.**

Fee: Resident: \$50 per player/Non-resident: \$60 per player

COMPETITION RULES:

Note: This is an abbreviated form of the rules to give a quick overview of how the game is played. See the official rules at usapa.org/officialrules for more information. If there is a conflict between this summary and the official rules, the official rules prevail. .

The serve must be hit underhand and each team must play their first shot off the bounce. After the ball has bounced once on each side, then both teams can either volley the ball in the air or play it off the bounce. To volley a ball means to hit it in the air without first letting it bounce.

The non-volley zone is the 7-foot zone on both sides of the net. No volleying is permitted within the non-volley zone. When volleying the ball, the player may not step on or over the line. It is a fault if the player's momentum causes the player or anything the player is wearing or carrying to touch the non-volley zone. . A player may be in the non-volley zone at any other time. The non-volley zone is sometimes referred to as the kitchen.

Both players on the serving team are allowed to serve, and a team shall score points only when serving. A game is played to eleven points and a team must win by two points. Rallies are lost by failing to return the ball in bounds to the opponent's court before the second bounce, stepping into the non-volley zone and volleying the ball, or by violating the double-bounce rule. The hand is considered an extension of the paddle. The player loses the rally if the ball hits any other part of his body or clothing.

The server must keep both feet behind the baseline during the serve with at least one foot on the court surface at the time the ball is struck. The serve is made underhand. The paddle must contact the ball below the waist. The serve is made diagonally cross court and must clear the non-volley zone. The non-volley line is a short line for the serve (the serve is a fault if it hits the line). All other lines are good at all times. Only one serve attempt is allowed, except in the event of a let (the ball touches the net on the serve, and lands on the proper service court). Let serves are replayed. At the start of each new game, only one player on the first serving team is permitted to serve and fault before giving up the ball to the opponents. Thereafter both members of each team will serve and fault before the ball is turned over to the opposing team. When the receiving team wins the serve, the player in the right hand court will always serve first. When the serving team wins a point, the server moves to the other side of the serving team's court.

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 for
 players
 of all
 ages
 and
 abilities!**