



PENTICTON PICKLEBALL CLUB (PPC) NEWSLETTER – May 31, 2023

A few reminders

1. Please show up to your session at least 10 minutes ahead of scheduled start time so the Court Hosts can finalize their format and numbers. Showing up after the session has started may result in you not being able to play.
2. Public time rules – if you choose to play during public time please follow the public rules posted at the court. If the courts are full and players are waiting then you are limited to one game and then rotate off. Those that play on a regular basis during public time use the paddle rack system to determine who is next up to play.
3. Levelled events on Mondays – in order to play in any of the “levelled” events on Mondays you must have either a Tournament or a Club rating at the level you sign up for. If you wish to get a Club rating you must sign up for Saturday Ladder Leagues. If you sign up for a level that you do not qualify for, you will receive an email directing you to withdraw from that session. Continued emails asking you to withdraw could result in losing your booking privileges.

New Vice President

Your executive is pleased to announce that Ronna Pearson has volunteered to fill the vacant role of Vice President. Welcome to the executive Ronna and thank you for volunteering your time. Ronna will be coordinating the booking of the ball machine, if you wish to use the machine for a practice session please contact Ronna. (rpearson49@gmail.com)

Program Changes

1. Tuesday's @ 8:00 a.m. - the 3.0-3.4 session has been reduced to 3 courts. Courts 4 and 5 are now available as “Reserved Courts.”

Lesson Update

The club would like to officially welcome Roberta Meakin as our first paid, professional pickleball instructor. At this point, the lessons are scheduled for Tuesday mornings between 8-10.

The Cost per Hour will be:

\$60. Solo

\$40. Each/ 2 person

\$30. Each/ 3 person

\$25. Each/4 person

The club is in the process of creating the online registration and payment details. Keep checking [this link](#) for updates as the page will probably be operational before the next newsletter.

As you know, the club has always had several highly skilled volunteers offering drills and coaching for free. That hasn't changed. Please keep checking the link above for updates to the Instructors' page.

Rules Corner

Wrong Score Called (4.K)

If the wrong score is called, the Referee or any player may stop play before the return of serve to correct the score. It is a **fault to stop play after** the return of serve to identify or ask for a score correction. It is a fault to stop play to identify or ask for a score correction when the score was correctly called.