



PENTICTON PICKLEBALL CLUB CODE OF CONDUCT

GOAL

To provide an environment where all members can play the game to the best of their ability, to promote the sport of pickleball in a safe and respectful environment, and, most importantly, to **'have fun'** while doing so.

CODE OF CONDUCT

As a member of PPC, all players agree to conduct themselves in a respectful and responsible manner at all times when representing PPC both on and off the courts.

Players will:

- conduct themselves in a courteous and respectful manner
- exhibit fair play at all times when playing or observing others
- abide by the current official rules of pickleball as adopted by Pickleball Canada
- wear shoes with soles that do not damage the court's playing surface
- wear a shirt while on the courts
- understand that protective eyewear is highly recommended

Players will not:

- engage in verbal or physical abuse or derogatory remarks; this is unacceptable and will not be tolerated and you may be asked to leave
- engage in coaching others unless requested to do so by them
- partake in alcohol or cannabis on the courts or when participating in PPC scheduled programming

Inability to abide by the Code of Conduct may result in disciplinary action taken by the Executive. This may be in the form of a warning, or for more severe cases, including repeated offences, a suspension from PPC.