

# SWEATER WEATHER PICKLEBALL

## LEAGUE RULES 2023



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1. USA Pickleball rules will apply.
2. We will host a Men's, Women's, and Mixed Doubles League for the following skill levels: 3.0, 3.5, & 4.0.
3. **OFFICIATING:** There will be no officials, games will be self-policed so be fair, courteous, and respectful.
4. **GAMEPLAY:** Teams will play two matches a week, a match will consist of a best of 3 games played to 11, win by 2 cap at 13 points.
5. **SCORE:** Scorecards will be provided for each team. Please be precise and legible when filling out a scoresheet. Make sure final scores for both teams are indicated and circle the name of the winning team. After games are completed place the scorecard in the designated bin or give to the supervisor present.
6. **FORFEITS:** Game time is forfeit time. Please be warmed up and ready to play at game time. Games will be played with two players. If a team does not have both players on the court at game time, the team will forfeit the first game of the match. If the team is still not ready to play in ten minutes, the team will forfeit the match.
7. **GAME BALL:** Franklin X-40 Pickleballs will be provided for game play.
8. **TEAMS:** Teams may have a roster of 2-3 players. Each player must play in 2 regular season games to be eligible to play in the end of season tournament. Team roster must be submitted by the first week of games. ID's may be checked by staff on the courts before first game, and a waiver must be signed by all players before stepping onto the court.
9. **TEAM NAME:** Team name must be submitted by first week of games.
10. League is 16+ with NO exceptions.
11. If you won't be able to make it to a scheduled game, please inform the league coordinator so other teams may be informed and can plan accordingly.
12. **RESCHEDULING:** If one or more teams won't be able to make it to their scheduled game time, they have the option to reach out to the other team and request to reschedule. Both teams must agree for rescheduled game time. Final scores will need to be sent to the league coordinator. Rescheduled games may not take place when we are using courts for other league play.
13. **WEATHER:** In case of inclement weather, games may be pushed back one week. Any weather delay in excess of one week will result in games as a bye.
14. **SUBS:** Subs may be used up until the last week of regular season play. Subs will not be allowed in tourney play or last week of regular games.

## **END OF SEASON TOURNAMENT**

1. We will host an end of season double elimination tournament for all teams in each division and league.
2. Games will follow regular season format playing best of 3 to 11 cap at 13, with the exception of the third game being played to 7 cap at 11
3. The championship game will be played to 11, win by 2, cap at 17.

**Thanks for playing in our league, please have fun and remember SPORTSMANSHIP IS A MUST!! Any questions can be directed to the Recreation Department at 801-785-6172**