

Mesa Regal Pickleball Club

Weekly Announcements - February 8, 2015

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Here is what's happening on the courts in the spectacular weather this week.

Scheduled Play for this Week

Mon, Tues, Thurs-Sunday 7:30-10:30 & Wed 7:30-9:30 Open play
Monday - 10:30-12:30 Beginner Lessons (sign up on bulletin board, limit 8)
6:00-8:00 p.m. **Beginners Mixed Social** (Guys & Gals, just drop in)
Tuesday - 10:30-12:30 Ladies Intermediate Social play - just drop in
3:30-5:30 **Interpark 4.0 play** (courts 3-7)
Wednesday - 9:30-11:00 & 11:00-12:30 Ladders (all courts)
6:00-8:00 p.m. **Beginners Mixed Social** (Guys & Gals, just drop in)
Thursday - 10:30-12:30 Ladies Intermediate Social play - just drop in
Friday - 10:30-12:30 - Beginner 2 lessons (must have taken beginner lesson, sign up on bulletin board, limit 8)
1:00-3:00 - **Challenge courts** Level 2.5, 3.0, 3.5, 4.0 (courts used as needed for numbers....just drop in)
3:30-5:30 - **Private event** - Courts 3-7 reserved
Recycle Cans Friday...bring those crushed cans down in the morning for the club. ****if you can take the cans out of the plastic bags and add them to the big bin, that would help out. Thanks!**

VITOS RESTAURANT SOCIAL SUNDAY- TODAY FEB. 8th

Hopefully you are heading to Vito's today for either lunch or dinner. Remember to take the poster with you to have 20% of your table bill coming back to our club. Posters are down by the gates on the courts or on the table on the patio. You can also print out the attached poster if it is easier. See you there!!!

TOURNAMENT REPORT

Towerpoint Beginners - It was brought to my attention that we missed reporting one of our Mesa Regal teams who won **GOLD** at the Towerpoint Tournament. Here is a recap of our Mesa Regal medal winners. **WELL DONE MESA REGAL!!**

Ladies Doubles, Level 1 - **Carmel Langhan & Louise Jackson - Gold**

Ladies Doubles, Level 2 - **Janet Rager & Janet Teel - Bronze**

Mens Doubles, Level 1 - **Bill Goodchild & Tom Lynberg - Bronze**

Mens Doubles, Level 2 - **Tom Rager & Sam O'Neil - Gold**

Mixed Doubles, Level 2 - **Janet Rager & Tom Rager - Silver**

Venture Out - Wow, what a tournament at Venture Out. Great pickleball and all our Mesa Regal Teams played awesome with very close matches! Thanks to all the fans who came out and cheered the Mesa Regal players on. Here are the medal results.

Ladies Doubles 3.5 - **Cindy Phillips - Gold**

Mens Doubles 3.5 - **Dale Hartman & Bill Loram - Bronze**

Mens Doubles 4.0 - **Pete Ischi & David Liem - Bronze**

Mens Doubles 4.5 - **Dave Morgan & Jim Pelletier - Bronze**

UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS

Feb. 23 & 24 Cal Am Tournament - Good luck to the following teams that will be representing Mesa Regal at this tournament.

Ladies: Nancy Stern/Cindy Phillips, Rosann Derlein/Mary Eggleston

Mens: Dale Hartman/Bill Loram, Pete Ischi/David Liem, Lorne Johnson/Dave Walts

Mixed: Kathy Morgan/Maurice Michaud, Noella Johnson/Lionel Fauchoux

March 3-5th Ahwatukee Beginners Tourney (1.5-3.0 skill level) - Another great opportunity to get some tournament experience. Sign up sheets on the club bulletin boards or you can google Ahwatukee pickleball to get info and registration forms.

March 5 & 6 Good Life 3.5 or lower skill levels - A tournament close by on Main Street to practice your pickleball skills. Poster/registration forms are up at the bulletin board. Mesa Regal is allowed to put in 4 teams in each event. 4 Ladies, 4 Mens and 4 Mixed. The tournament is for 3.5 and lower skill levels and if you enter in either of the Ladies or the Mens, you are not eligible to enter in Mixed (it is a one event tournament). The first four teams to register in each will be accepted, get entries in asap.

SECOND 3.5 SCRAMBLE

Jake and Dale are planning another 3.5 scramble social play with the tentative date of Thursday, February 19th. Keep your eyes on the bulletin board looking for a sign sheet. More info about this event will be in next week's newsletter.

SIMON - OUR TRAINING BUDDY

It's great to see so many people working on their pickleball skills with Simon. Remember, he needs to be recharged (that means PLUGGED IN) after you use him. Also, we are still looking for volunteers to put Simon into locked storage at 8pm Friday and Saturday night. If we have no volunteers to do this, Simon will not be available for club member use on Fridays or Saturdays. If you can volunteer, please contact Pat Porter at sportport1@msn.com.

COURT ETIQUETTE

Just a friendly reminder that it takes all members to make our club a great place to be. Newcomers to our courts may not be aware of some of the guidelines on the courts, different ways we run our scheduled activities (open play, socials, etc) and need to hear in a respectful way how things are working. Please make sure that everyone is enjoying their pickleball at Mesa Regal. Our membership list is creeping up to the 400 mark so we know that Mesa Regal Pickleball club is the place to be. Thanks to all of you for continuing to volunteer and enjoy the game!!

That's all for this week folks....keep positive, keep smiling, and happy playing!!!!