

Mesa Regal Pickleball Club Weekly Announcements

March 19, 2017

Thank you for wearing your Name Badge!!

Scheduled Play for the week of March 19

- Open Play - Mon/Tues/Thurs/Sat/Sunday 7:00-10:30 (Courts 1-7)**
- Wed 7:00-9:30 (Courts 1-7) & Fri 7:00-10:30 (Courts 1-5)
- Monday - 10:30-12:30 Beginner Lesson #2 - rescheduled from last Friday**
2:00-4:00 Men's Competitive 3.5 & 3.75 Play (courts 3-7)
4:00-6:00 Ladies Competitive 3.5+ Play (sign up genius email Barb Benedetti at barb555@yahoo.com - courts 3-7)
6:00-8:00 p.m. Beginners Mixed Social (Guys & Gals, just drop in)
- Tuesday 10:30-12:30 Ladies Intermediate Social play - (drop in - all courts)**
3:30-5:30 Interpark 4.0+ mixed play (sign up genius - courts 3-7)
6:00- 8:00 p.m. Interpark 3.0 mixed play (sign up genius-Blake at t3palmer@gmail.com) (all courts)
- Wednesday - Ladders - 9:30-11:00 (all courts) & 11:00-12:30**
(arrive 15 min early - all courts for 9:30 play, Court 3 for 11:00) ****ladders draw is attached and on bulletin board.**
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-all courts)**
- Friday - 8:00-10:15 4.0+ Skill Level Play (Courts 6 & 7) mauricemichaud1@gmail.com**
10:15-12:30 3.5 Skill Level Play (Courts 3-7) jake.grandy@yahoo.com
6:00-8:00 2.5/3.0 Challenge Courts....just drop in (courts as needed)
- Saturday - 12:30-2:30 Interpark 4.5 mixed play (sign up genius - courts 4-7)**
Recycle Cans Friday...bring those crushed cans down in the morning for the club. **** take the cans out of the plastic bags and add them to the big bin**
- Sunday - 6:00-8:00 p.m. - 3.0/3.5 Challenge Courts - just drop in (all courts)**

COURT ETIQUETTE & GUIDELINES

Please remember as our season winds down we still have many beginners and newcomers to our courts and it is great when ALL of us make them feel welcome. While open play continues throughout this month, remember that we want to make our beginners feel welcome. If there are only 2 beginners with paddles in the rack, please join them for a game, it would be great for them to get some friendly mentoring. Also, remember, if you are a beginner and playing on the beginner's courts (1 & 2) the court guidelines posted on each of the courts should be followed. Once you finish two games you are to come off if there are paddles waiting in the rack, either intermediate or beginner, the next 4 rotate in giving preference to the waiting beginners. The idea is to share the court space so if you have played your 2 games it is your turn to sit off.

Also as a reminder **NO COURTS CAN BE RESERVED DURING OPEN PLAY TIME.**

Thanks to everyone for their respectful cooperation with our court guidelines.

PICKLEBALL TRAINING DURING THE SUMMER

Although our training sessions have ended, continue your training over the summer. There are lots of videos online for every pickleball skill you can think of. Just google 'pickleball dinking at the net', 'pickleball lobs', 'Sarah Ansboury' (she has great videos and coaching tips online), or sign up to pickleballchannel.com (it's free) or thirdshotsports.com which will routinely send you pickleball tips or videos of some great play which you can watch and see how the better players set up plays. Choose one thing you are going to try next time on court and practice that. Most of all, be a good sport on court, have fun and be safe!!

LADIES SOCIAL WIND UP - TUESDAY March 21st (after Social Play)

Ladies social windup Tuesday, March 21st after play. Please bring a lunch type appie to share and a drink for yourself. We will then have an appie buffet after play on the stage area. Thanks, Lorie, for organizing this!!

CLUB SCHEDULED PROGRAMS & PLAY

A reminder, March 31st is the date that our club ends scheduled play and programs, unless coordinators finish up earlier. **Coordinators please let Nancy know when events are finishing so the weekly news is updated for our members.** This week, 2.5 Training and beginners lessons are finished. **A HUGE thanks to Pat Porter, Leslie Walts and Karen Cox (and the other helpers)** for introducing and welcoming our new members to pickleball.

STREET PARTIES

Just a reminder that if you attend any of the street parties to please collect the cans. Next scheduled **Street Party is on 11th South - Sunday, March 26th from 5:30-9:00.** It is a great band and all are welcome. Donations for the band greatly appreciated.

RECYCLING

This is the **last week** we will be collecting cans for our club as we will do our last can run to the depot on March 27th. So, make sure you collect those cans from the street parties and get them down to the clubhouse this week. You can save any more you get at your place for next season. **Thanks to Ken Smith** for organizing our recycling and to **Jim Pelletier, Bob Calver and Mike Fauchoux** for supplying their trucks for transport. **THANKS FOR DRINKING!!!**

TOURNAMENTS

All past tournament results and upcoming events can be viewed at www.pickleballtournaments.com. As well you can see results of play as it is happening at current tourneys. **Check it out!**

Website: www.mrpickleballclub.com

Suggestion email: suggestion@mrpickleballclub.com

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