



Mesa Regal Pickleball Club

WEEKLY NEWS

December 20, 2020



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(Mesa Regal Pickleball Friends and Players).

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Thank you for wearing your mask at the courts when you are not playing and for using the supplied hand sanitizer.

Please wear your name badge so we know who you are and for safety in case of injury.....we need to know who to contact!!

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU SIGN UP ON THE ONLINE MEMBERSHIP FORM.

EVERYONE needs to sign up for the 2020-21 season. As of today, 207 MRPBClub members!!

Mesa Regal Pickleball Court Schedule 2020-2021							
Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
7:30	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play
8:00	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play
8:30	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play	Open Play
9:00	Open Play	Open Play	Ladders Group 1	Open Play	2.5 Training	Shoot out	3.5 Training
9:30	Open Play	Open Play	All Courts	Open Play	Courts 1-2, 9-11am	All Courts	Courts 4-7
10:00	Open Play	Open Play	9:00 - 10:30am	Open Play	(Mike Pecot)	9:00 - 12:00	9:00 - 11:00
10:30	Beginner 1 Lessons	Ladies Social	(Marilyn Kehl)	Ladies Social	4.0 mixed	(Harold Patterson)	(Clarence Lindblom)
11:00	Courts 1 - 2	All Courts	Court Cleanup	All Courts	Courts 5-7		
11:30	10:30 - 12:30	10:30 - 12:30	10:30 - 12:00	10:30 - 12:30	10:30 - 12:30		
12:00	(Craig Cariton)	(Shirley Seely)	(Cal-Am All Courts)	(Shirley Seely)	(Dale Hartman)		
12:30	3.5 mixed Courts 3-7	Ladies 3.5	Ladies 3.5	Begin II Lessons	Men's 4.0	Men's EVIL League	
1:00	12:00 - 2:00pm	Courts 4-7	Courts 4-7	Courts 1 - 2	12:30 - 3:00	Courts 2-7	
1:30	(Larry Cloud)	12:30 - 2:30	12:30 - 2:30	12:30 - 2:30	Courts 3-7	12:30 - 2:30	
2:00	Men's 3.5 - 3.75	(Connie C/Judy K)	(Connie C/Judy K)		(Dale Hartman)	(Larry Cloud)	
2:30	Courts 3-7						
3:00	2:00 - 4:00						
3:30	(Dale Hartman)	3.75 - 4.0 mixed					
4:00	Ladies 3.5	Courts 3-7					
4:30	Courts 3-7	3:30 - 5:30					
5:00	4:00 - 6:00	(Dale Hartman)					
5:30	(Barb Benedetti)						
6:00	Beginners Social	2.5-3.0 Round Robin	Beginners Social	3.5 Men's Challenge	3.0 - 3.5 Challenge		
6:30	All Courts	All Courts	All Courts	Courts 3-7	All Courts		3.0 - 3.5 Challenge
7:00	6:00 - 8:00	6:00 - 8:00	6:00 - 8:00	6:00 - 8:00	6:00 - 8:00		All Courts
7:30	(Cindy&Gary St. John)	(JoAnn Miller/Patty&Ken Colton)	(Cindy&Gary St. John)	(Ken Smith)			6:30 - 8:30
8:00							(Tim Aylward Jan. 21)

THE LATEST.....COVID COURT UPDATE

Starting IMMEDIATELY, no OUTSIDE residents will be permitted to play in Mesa Regal scheduled programs until further notice. THANKS to all of you for following the safety guidelines and all our program coordinator volunteers for changing things on the fly!!

PICKLEBALL MACHINES - The Club has TWO!!

If you would like to use a pickleball machine contact vicepresident@mrpickleballclub.com for training and/or access information. **THANKS, CLARENCE!**

RATINGS - SIGN UP ON PICKLEBALL PATIO TO GET YOUR RATING

A **HUGE** thanks to Clarence and Lionel who have taken over coordinating ratings from Harold! Thanks, Lionel & Clarence for taking a bit of the load off Harold!!!

WHY should you sign up to have your pickleball skill rated? MRPBClub has worked hard to provide and coordinate scheduled play that meets the needs of all its members. To do this the club has implemented **SKILL LEVEL** play and to **PARTICIPATE IN SKILL LEVEL PLAY**, you must have either a **USAPA** or **MRPBClub** rating.

It is easy to be rated, you just need to sign up on the **RATING SIGN UP SHEET** at the pickleball patio and Harold and the rating team will organize a time to watch you play. Don't be shy, sign up and get your rating this week!! **THANKS** to Harold and his helpful team.



WEDNESDAY LADDER RESULTS

9:00-10:30 & 11:00-12:30

THANK Marilyn personally for organizing this!

Want to sign up for ladders play?

** Email Marilyn at m.greenekehl@gmail.com

to get your name on the list!



LADDERS COURT WINNERS - December 16

Court 1 - Kim R

Court 2 - Chic K

Court 3 - Julie H

Court 4 - Brad F

Court 5 - Tie!! Colleen J & Ken S

Court 6 - Donnie T

Court 7 - Clarence L

CONGRATS TO ALL PLAYERS FOR YOUR GREAT SPORTSMANSHIP ON THE COURTS!!!

SATURDAY SHOOTOUT - December 19 Saturday - 9:00 - 12:00 a.m.

Thank Harold personally for coordinating this!!!

***** email Harold to get your name on the sign up genius list at**

hpattsr@gmail.com.

Shootout Results - First Round

9am Court Winners!

Court 1 - Janet T (44pts Perfect Score)

Court 2 - Dina B

Court 3 - Chic K

Court 4 - Don S

Court 5 - Mary A

Court 6 - Greg S

Court 7 - Lionel F (44pts Perfect Score)

Shootout Results - Second Round

10am Court Winners!

Court 1 - Janet R

Court 2 - Janet T

Court 3 - Ric G

Court 4 - Gina T

Court 5 - Ed M (44pts Perfect Score)

Court 6 - Donnie T

Court 7 - Lionel F (44pts Perfect Score)

OOPS.....

Sorry gang, I missed winners of Court 6 & 7 @ 10 am last week. Congrats to:
Court 6 - Ken S Court 7 - Harold P (Perfect Score 44pts)

2021 PICKLEBALL RULE CHANGES

As of January 25, 2021, there will be a few new rules and minor changes to existing rules for us all to abide by. Understanding the rules is important for all of us and one of the ways to understand the rules is to take a referee course. You do not need to be working on certification, anyone can go to a referee clinic and if you choose, use your course time towards referee certification.

There is a link in the Newsletter email to the Official 2021 Rules Change Document which lists each rule that was added or changed with explanations provided. When you have nothing to do...haha, you can check it out!! Check out the change of serve rules - 'DROP SERVE'! There are also some GREAT videos on the new serves on the facebook page - **Mesa Regal Pickleball Friends & Players**.

MRPBCLUB CLOTHING

THANKS to JoAnn Miller for organizing our club clothing this season. We will all be looking pretty sharp when we step on the courts in fashion...haha!! T-shirts, polo shirts, hats and visors are up for ordering. If you are interested in ordering, email JoAnn at **320-20-1388** for ordering or more information. **THANKS, JOANN!**

BEGINNERS TRAINING

THANKS to Craig Carlton, 29 beginning pickleball players will be on our courts to practice their skills. Please make ALL our beginners feel welcome and help them understand and learn this fantastic game of ours. REMEMBER, we were all beginners once!

TOURNAMENT RESULTS

CONGRATULATIONS Harold Patterson for your **SILVER** medal in the Surprise Winter Holiday Classic - **MIXED DOUBLES 4.5 - 50+**. Not only are you a dedicated Mesa Regal volunteer but an **AMAZING** pickleball player too!

UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS

If you play in a tournament and have a result you would like to share with the club....email newsletter@mrpickleballclub.com and I will add that to our newsletter!

Tournaments, at this time, are very limited. Keep up to date on tournaments in our area by going to:

Wishing you and yours the Merriest of Christmas's and a wonderful holiday season!!!

