



# Mesa Regal Pickleball Club

## WEEKLY NEWS

### January 10, 2021



**WEBSITE:** [www.mrpickleballclub.com](http://www.mrpickleballclub.com)

**FACEBOOK:** [facebook.com/groups/696462040860449](https://facebook.com/groups/696462040860449)

(Mesa Regal Pickleball Friends and Players).

**SUGGESTIONS/COMMENTS:** Email - [suggestion@mrpickleballclub.com](mailto:suggestion@mrpickleballclub.com)

**HOLD MY COURT:** access through website - [www.mrpickleballclub.com](http://www.mrpickleballclub.com)

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

**EVERYONE** needs to sign up for the 2020-21 season. As of today, 234 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	2.5-3.0 Training	Open Play	Open Play
9:30	Open Play	Open Play	All Courts	Open Play	Courts 1-2, 9-11am	Open Play	Open Play
10:00	Open Play	Open Play	9:00 - 10:30am	Open Play	(Mike Pecot)	Shoot out	3.5 Training
10:30	Beginner I Lessons Courts 1 - 2	Ladies Social All Courts	(Marilyn Kehl)	Ladies Social All Courts	4.0 mixed Courts 5-7		Courts 4-7 10:00 - 12:00
11:00	10:30 - 12:30	10:30 - 12:30	Ladders Group 2 All Courts 10:30 - 12:00	10:30 - 12:30	10:30 - 12:30	All Courts 10:00 - 1:00	(Clarence Lindblom & Lionel Fauchoux)
11:30	(Craig Carlton)	(Shirley Seely)	(Marilyn Kehl)	(Shirley Seely)	(Dale Hartman)	(Craig Carlton)	
12:00	3.5 mixed Courts 3-7 12:00 - 2:00pm	Ladies 3.5 Courts 4-7	Ladies 3.5 Courts 4-7	Beginner II Lessons Courts 1 - 2 12:30 - 2:30	Men's 4.0 12:30 - 3:00 Courts 3-7	3.5+ Round Robin Courts 3 - 7	Shoot out
1:00	(Larry Cloud)	(Connie C/Judy K)	(Connie C/Judy K)	(Craig Carlton)	(Dale Hartman)	(Larry Cloud)	All Courts
1:30	Lorne's Commemorative League Courts 3-7 2:00 - 4:00						12:30 - 2:30 (Ric Gonzalez)
2:00	(Lionel Fauchoux/Dale Hartman)	3.75+ mixed				2.5 - 3.0 Round Robin Courts 2-7	
2:30	Ladies 3.5 Courts 3-7 4:00 - 6:00	Courts 3-7 3:30 - 5:30				3:00 - 5:00 (Clarence Lindblom)	
3:00	(Barb Benedetti)	(Ken Smith)					
3:30	Social Play	2.5-3.0 Round Robin	Social Play				
4:00	All Courts 6:00 - 8:00	All Courts 6:00 - 8:00	All Courts 6:00 - 8:00				
4:30	(Cindy & Gary St John)	(JoAnn Miller)	(Cindy & Gary St. John)				
5:00							
5:30							
6:00							
6:30							
7:00							
7:30							
8:00							

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### NEW SCHEDULED PLAY

**Sunday Shootout - 12:30-2:30.** THANKS to Ric Gonzalez for coordinating this play!!

To participate in this scheduled event....make sure you have a USAPA or MRPClub skill level rating and email Craig Carlton at [craig.carlton@gmail.com](mailto:craig.carlton@gmail.com)

## 2021 PICKLEBALL RULE CHANGES

Do not forget the new pickleball rules are in effect, January 25th. This is a great time to **play by the new rules** so you are comfortable with them on January 25<sup>th</sup>. Try out the new serve (give yourselves two serves if the first one does not work...just to practice), close line calls should be called in....in other words **PLAY THE BALL**, there will be **NO MORE** 'let' serves so practice playing the lets, etc. To check out these rules and more, use the link in the newsletter email. There are some GREAT videos on the new '**DROP SERVE**' on the facebook page - **Mesa Regal Pickleball Friends & Players**.



## MRPC RATINGS

Do you need a rating??? **YES**....To join any skill-level MRPC activity, you need to have either a USAPA or MRPC rating. If you need a MRPC rating, please contact Clarence, Ratings Chair, at [president@mrpickleballclub.com](mailto:president@mrpickleballclub.com). You also **MUST BE A MEMBER OF THE CLUB**.



## WEDNESDAY LADDER RESULTS

**THANK Marilyn personally for organizing this!**

Want to sign up for ladders play?

\*\*Email Marilyn at [m.greenekehl@gmail.com](mailto:m.greenekehl@gmail.com) to get your name on the list!



### LADDERS COURT WINNERS - January 6

**8:45**

**Court 2 - Lois**  
**Court 3 - Kevin**  
**Court 4 - Jim L (perfect score)**  
**Court 5 - Connie C**  
**Court 6 - Colleen J**  
**Court 7 - Clarence**

**10:30**

**Court 3 - Mike B**  
**Court 4 - Kevin**  
**Court 5 - Douglas**  
**Court 6 - Connie C**  
**Court 7 - Colleen J (perfect score)**

**THANKS FOR THE GREAT TURNOUT - THERE ARE SPOTS AVAILABLE FOR 10:30 THIS WEDNESDAY....email Marilyn if interested.**

Please be considerate for others in these scheduled events and if signed up, be at the courts 15 minutes before your play time to register and warm up for your session.

## SATURDAY SHOOTOUT - January 9

### Shootout Results - First Round Court Winners!

Court 1 - Scott R (44pts Perfect Score)  
Court 2 - Donna S  
Court 3 - Dina B  
Court 4 - Ric G  
Court 5 - Connie C  
Court 6 - Cal H  
Court 7 - Lionel F

### Shootout Results - Second Round Court Winners!

Court 1 - Sue J (44pts Perfect Score)  
Court 2 - Jim J (44pts Perfect Score)  
Court 3 - Jerry O  
Court 4 - Gina T  
Court 5 - Don S  
Court 6 - Ed M  
Court 7 - Lionel F

**WOW - Lots of perfect scores...MR must have a good training program !!!**  
Email Craig to join the sign up [craig.carlton@gmail.com](mailto:craig.carlton@gmail.com) . **THANKS**, Craig, for organizing this

## WHY SIGN OUR MEMBERSHIP FORM?

Membership in the Mesa Regal Pickleball Club is FREE....so why do we ask you to fill out a form? There are two important reasons we need you to fill in a membership form. One, and most importantly, is to have emergency contact information for you in case you are injured on the courts (that is why you wear your name badge too!). Secondly, the numbers of pickleball members are reported to Cal Am management on an annual basis in our struggle for more pickleball courts. **It is also a requirement for you to play in any of our scheduled events.**

## MRPBCLUB CLOTHING

**THANKS** to JoAnn Miller for organizing our club clothing this season. We will all be looking 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 [Mesababy01@yahoo.com](mailto:Mesababy01@yahoo.com) to order or for more information. **THANKS, JoANN!**



**A SHOUT OUT TO ALL OUR SCHEDULED PLAY COORDINATORS!!**

THANKS to these coordinators, you are getting great scheduled play. Be sure to personally thank them for their time!! If you would like more info on any of these scheduled play events, email the coordinator!!

Ladies Social	Shirley Seely	sseely2@gmail.com
Lorne's Commemorative League	Lionel Fauchoux / Dale Hartman	hartman@sonic.net
Ladies 3.5 Competitive	Barb Benedetti	barb555@yahoo.com
Ladies 3.5 - 4.0 Competitive	Judy Keating Connie Cloud	jakeating1@comcast.net conniecloud21@gmail.com
Men's 4.0 Competitive	Dale Hartman	hartman@sonic.net
Ladders	Marilyn Kehl	m.greenekeh1@gmail.com
2.5 - 3.0 Round Robin	Ken & Patty Colton JoAnn Miller	pattycolton@hotmail.com mesababy01@yahoo.com
2.5 - 3.0 Round Robin	Clarence Lindblom	clindblom@wbinvestments.ca
Beginners Social	Cindy & Gary St. John	cstjohn1956416@gmail.com
Beginners Lessons	Craig Carlton	craig.carlton@gmail.com
3.5 Training	Clarence Lindblom / Lionel Fauchoux	clindblom@wbinvestments.ca
Shootout - Saturday	Craig Carlton	craig.carlton@gmail.com
Shootout - Sunday	Ric Gonzalez / Craig Carlton	craig.carlton@gmail.com
2.5 Training	Mike Pecot	thepecots@yahoo.com
3.5 Interpark	Larry Cloud	two-dogs69@hotmail.com
3.75 Plus - Mixed	Ken Smith	k2silversmith@yahoo.com
4.0 Men's Travel League	Larry Cloud	two-dogs69@hotmail.com
3.5 Women's Travel League	Colleen Janus	colleenlouisejanus@gmail.com

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**UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS**

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

Tournaments, currently, are limited. Keep up to date on tournaments in our area by going to: [www.pickleballtournaments.com](http://www.pickleballtournaments.com)

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

