



Mesa Regal Pickleball Club

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WEEKLY NEWS



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THANK YOU ALL FOR REGISTERING YOUR MEMBERSHIP IN MRPC THIS SEASON - ALL 623 OF YOU!!

Thanks for wearing your name badge on the courts and making sure your GUESTS have their name badge on too!!

HAPPY EASTER!!!!

SCHEDULED PLAY INFORMATION

As our season winds down, many of our scheduled play opportunities come to an end when coordinators head home. The official season is **November 1-March 31** but **OPEN PLAY, LADIES SOCIAL, BEGINNERS SOCIAL** as well as many other 'invite' programs will continue past March 31st. Please check with the coordinators of the scheduled play activity or check your 'invites' for details of when the program is done. SUMMER info will be posted on the club Facebook page - **MESA REGAL PICKLEBALL POST**

LAST NEWSLETTER OF THE 2023-24 SEASON

Thanks to all of you for keeping up to date weekly by reading the **TWENTY-SIX** newsletters that the club has put out this season.

The newsletter was first started in February 2014 when the outgoing MRPC Board felt there was a need for better membership communication. Hopefully you have followed along all the exciting things that our club is doing.

Keep in touch over the summer by following and posting on our club's Facebook page...let us know what exciting pickleball things you are doing until we all get together in October again.

NEW MRPC FACEBOOK PAGE

Don't forget to check out and join our Facebook page...

MESA REGAL PICKLEBALL POST

Thanks Darlene, for keeping us up to date on MRPC Facebook page!!



SUGGESTIONS FOR NEXT SEASON???

We know we have an awesome club with so many wonderful members who volunteer their time to coordinate programs and activities for our club. But we also know we need suggestions/ideas from our club members to ensure we meet the needs of all MRPC players. Many of you come to Mesa Regal with great ideas from your home club or other places you have played. If you have any suggestions/ideas/comments for the Board, please either email suggestion@mrpickleballclub.com or drop off in the suggestion box at the back side of the pickleball building. A Board member will respond to let you know your ideas were received.

SUMMERTIME PICKLEBALL? INDOOR PICKLEBALL FACILITIES

Many of our MRPC members hang out at Mesa Regal in the summer and still love to play. There are many new indoor facilities close by that may be an option for you and your buddies. The **PICKLEBALL GUILD** just opened up on North Recker - only a 9 minute drive from Mesa Regal to 1135 N Recker (corner of Recker & Brown)! Check it out on those hot days or even the rainy ones...lol.



WANT TO IMPROVE -YOUR PICKLEBALL GAME ????

Private lessons are available for MRPC members each Wednesday between 12:30 and 2:30 on court 2. Information on the instructors can be found at [MRPC INSTRUCTORS](#) - you can contact each directly, or contact craig.carlton@gmail.com who can match you with someone to suit your specific needs.

NEWS FLASH - 2024 12TH ANNUAL STEVE JUDY MREGAL TOURNEY Committee Lunch Volunteer Needed

Tournament Director Connie Craig & her team have set the dates for our Annual pickleball tournament. Mark your calendars for **DECEMBER 2-4th** and look at www.pickleballbrackets.com to see when registration opens. This is our annual tournament where all proceeds are used to manage our club and purchase all supplies for our membership and ensures a **NO MEMBERSHIP fee** for all of us.

Volunteers are paramount for us to run this large 3 day tourney and Connie's team is looking for someone to **join the tournament committee and look after lunches for players**. Thanks to **Judy Hauser and her team** who have looked after lunches for many years, this position on the committee is well documented and Judy is here to help mentor the new volunteer in. If you can help coordinate the lunches, please contact Connie at mesaregalpickleball@gmail.com .

REMEMBER....KEEP ON DRINKING!!
SHOULD WE KEEP SAVING OUR CANS?.....YES

Thanks to Gina Trammel, you can keep on drinking and taking your cans to the pickleball patio until the end of April then you can take any cans to Gina's, SITE# 1779 to store for the fall can run.

A huge **THANK YOU** to **Mike Baril and his 'Can Can Team'** who have been transporting your crushed cans to the skybox storage and taking them to the recycle center for moola.

REMEMBER to CRUSH the cans....we get \$1.00/lb. for crushed but only \$0.80 for uncrushed! This year your drinking has contributed to over \$1000 for the club. Mike's last run brought in \$222.00. **WELL DONE MESA REGAL CLUB MEMBERS AND FRIENDS!!**

TOURNAMENTS

REMEMBER...If the tournament you are signing up for is sanctioned, you **MUST** have a **USAPickleball** membership to register. www.usapickleball.org and look under memberships.

GOOD LUCK to our MRPC members who are taking part in the **USA PICKLEBALL GOLDEN TICKET** event this week at the old Legacy Bell Park in Mesa....now known as the **ARIZONA ATHLETIC GROUNDS**. Check out events at www.pickleballbrackets.com and cheer on our club members!

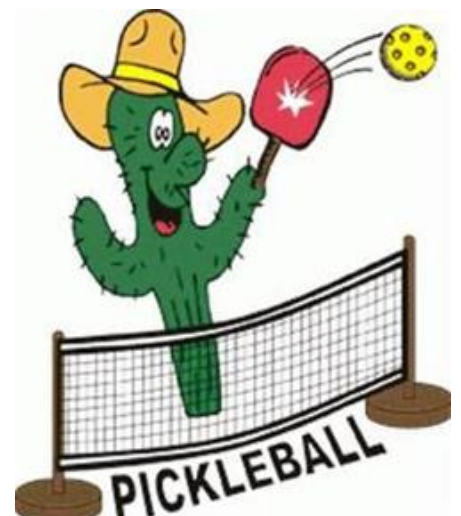
UPCOMING LOCAL TOURNAMENTS - all tournaments can be found at www.pickleballbrackets.com

VENTURE OUT ANNUAL EAST VALLEY - Mesa Nov 5-7 - Registration opens **SEPTEMBER 2 at NOON!!!**

USAP 2024 PICKLEBALL NATIONALS - MESA NOVEMBER 10-17

***** Be sure to let Nancy (ndsterno54@gmail.com) know when you medal in a tournament

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



SAFE TRAVELS HOME....SEE YOU ALL NEXT SEASON!!