

Pickleball Whiteboard Rules

Please 'sign in' on the board when you are ready to play - fees paid, shoes on etc.

The board should be divided into squares large enough to contain four names (8" square approx). The squares should be numbered consecutively.

You can write your name down in any square that does not already have four names in it.

The next square of players gets the next available court. If the next square has less than four players, they still get the next available court and can take players just coming off to fill their foursome. There are no substitutions - those signed in are those that play. Subsequent full squares do not pre-empt partially full squares.

You play in the order you sign up. If you do not wish to play again with someone already signed up, you can put your name in a later square and wait.

Signing up in a square with different players allows/enables mixing and variation. Consider this when you re-sign.

You are allowed to play one game and then ALL FOUR must come off the court and sign up again. You cannot pre-sign - your game must be done and you must be off the court.

When a 'square' takes a court cross the square off. Best to leave the names for a while to encourage player mixing.

If your square is next - be there and be ready - know your group.

Remember you are participating in a drop in sport - all participants deserve equal opportunity!

Old & sad excuses heard before, not going to work:

- I came late, I need to catch up
- I'm leaving early, can I get a few games in
- I can only play with my sister
- I need a good game
- I didn't know