

#### **JANUARY 2023 NEWSLETTER**

# Important Info for Your 2023 Membership

This year our club will be collecting membership dues on the Pickleball Canada National Website. You must register with Pickleball Canada to become a member of our club. When you hit the JOIN-RENEW button, it is your one-stop location for joining South Cowichan Pickleball Club, BC Pickleball, and Pickleball Canada. If you belong to more than one club, you will only register with Pickleball Canada once. For more information go to <u>Pickleball Canada</u> and check out Membership Benefits and FAQ.

A Membership fee of \$30 received by South Cowichan Pickleball Club (SCPC) by the end of the day March 31, 2023; otherwise a membership fee of \$35 received after that date will be applied to all participants in SCPC. These fees include the \$10 Pickleball Canada and the \$2.50 Pickleball BC registrations. These 2 registration fees are added to the posted \$17.50 Club registration fee.

**To register:** go to our website: <u>southcowichanpickleballclub.org</u> and click on the blue link: <u>https://secure.</u> <u>pickleballcanada.org/club/south-cowichan-pickleball-cllub/33024/</u> found on the right side of the website home page. This will take you to our Pickleball Canada site where you simply click on the **JOIN/RENEW** button or the green **Registration Opened** button.

When you register on Pickleball Canada, and are filling out these questions (see below) **please be aware you can choose more than one answer for questions 2-5.** Your responses will help the club board tailor events to the members interests and skill level. The questions are found at the bottom of the PB Canada registration form:

- 1. What is your current level of play? Beginner, Intermediate, Advanced (Only one choice here)
- 2. Your preferred time of play: Morning, Afternoon, Evening
- 3. Your preferred days of play: Weekdays, Weekends
- 4. I am interested in: Ladies' Play, Men's Play, Mixed Play
- 5. I am interested in: Open Play, Round Robins, Ladders, Tournaments

# **New Logo**

We now have a club logo which you will soon see attached to our information sheets, and is currently in use on our website, and newsletters. A special thank you to board member Shannon Oatway for her creative design.

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### **Events**

The Club has exciting news to share! Our first event is being planned for mid April. We will have more information posted to our <u>website</u> around mid March, with further details about the **Round Robin** and how to register. Please Stay Tuned.

### **Minutes**

To view the Board Minutes click on the Pickleball below:



Our Holiday Get Together was a great success! The feedback from those who attended was very positive, it seems everyone enjoyed themselves and vibed with the holiday spirit. Thank you Members for making our 1st SCPBC Social so much fun!

Below are a few photos of the festivities:





A big thank you to board member, Linda Rush for taking the photos!

# The PB Comedy Corner



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