



Chilliwack Pickleball Club



July 2023 Newsletter

Welcome to the July 2023 Summer Addition Newsletter

Hello everyone and a Happy Canada Day from all of us from the Board of Directors. We hope you enjoyed the long weekend and were able to partake in the Canada Day celebrations with friends and family.

This newsletter will be an abbreviated version that will cover the basics for this month as many of us and you will be busy balancing life on an off the pickleball court.

The sun has been out and the forecast is for a hot summer, which means a hot pickleball season. Many of us will take the opportunity to play outside in our community or in other communities as we vacation with our paddles in hand. It is also the tournament season and many of the club members will be participating in tournaments locally and across the country and in the States. Keep up to date on tournament results which get posted on the club's Facebook page. A special shout out to the players representing our club and Zone 3 in the 55+ BC Games taking place on August 22 – 26 in Abbotsford. Go Zone 3!



Chilliwack Pickleball Club AGM July 12, 2023 @7:00 pm

Our AGM will be taking place at the Curling Rink on July 12. It is an important date for the club as it is every year. It's an opportunity to get updates and to select the incoming Board of Directors. This year will be a particularly critical year as the club continues to partner with the city with the construction and management of the proposed enclosed pickleball facility. Your participation and input will be vital. Please indicate your intent to attend through Pickleball Brackets. Scroll down the dates to July 12 to opt in for the AGM. Everyone who attends will get a free drink. Limited to beer, wine or a soft beverage.

[AGM Sign up PB Brackets](#)



Upcoming July Events



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Summer Hours

During the summer months play at the Landing seems to drop off quite a bit. Therefore, our hours of play will be limited to Mon, Wed, Fri & Sat, 10.30am-1.00pm. Skills & Drills will run on Tuesdays, 10.30-1.00pm and the Beginner session on Thursday's, 10.30am-1.00pm. Unfortunately Sat July 15th is not available to us. The playing format will mainly be Recreational Social and Mixer's. There will be limited space as we only secure half the Landing for summer. Don't be surprised or disappointed to find out sessions will be full. Sign up early but remember to show up to fulfill your commitment.

Book Your Own Court

Remains very popular and due to the fact that numbers in the summer months go down quite a bit we will be able to offer a few more days and times.

Tues & Thurs, 10.30-1.00pm
Fri, 3.00-4.30pm & 4.30-6.15pm (except the 28th)

Leagues

Both the 3.5 & 4.0 Monday night league will continue until July 24th. Would still like to see more players out for this event and you do not need to attend every week. Please OPT IN on brackets,

Beginner Session

The beginner session will continue to run in the month of July on Thursday, 10.30-1.00pm. Raymond Hart will be in attendance to help with any questions you may have and to offer advice on improving your pickleball skills.

Junior Program

We just wrapped up our 4th Junior session with a total of 21 children attending a Level 1 & 2 class. The decision was made to close it down for the summer and pick it back up in September.

Pickleball Paddle News

New Anaviia Gen 3 Pro Paddle arrival for demos. \$220 retail

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Competitive Play

For any members who wish to organise their own competitive games for ratings, you can do this during Book Your Own Court times. Please make sure all players are within .5 in their ratings. Please contact Carol Hart (treasurer@chillpb.com) if you need any help and/or to record your scores.

Skills and Drills Program for Players 2.5 to 2.99

In July, we will be continuing with our Next Level Skills and Drills session for players at the 2.5 – 2.99 club skill level. This will be a 4 week program and run the second hour of the playing session. This session, we will do drills to advance the 4 basic shots: dinking, serve, return of serve, and the third shot drop. Focus will be on consistency, pace, and technique.

The Next Level session will be a **4-week program** for \$28.00 plus you will be required to fob in.

Commencing Tuesday July 11th, 18th, 25th & Aug 1st, 10.30-12.30pm

- Limited to 8 Players
- Register on Pickleball Brackets:- [2.5 Skills & Drills Link](#)
- NB: 10.30am-11.30am you will play games with your group. 11.30am-12.30pm will be instruction.

I have thoroughly enjoyed my pickleball lessons with Sheila & Brett. The lessons are geared for a higher skill level, so I found them helpful and challenging. The strategy rationale was explained to further improve my Game. Doug Snyder

We look forward to seeing you all on the courts soon!

Congratulations Team Challenge Winners

On Jun 9th our Tier 2 MLP style Team Challenge Event took place. What an amazing evening of excellent play with loads of enthusiasm and team spirit. At the end of round 3 all four teams were equal with 5 points each but in the end Team 1 came out on top. Congratulations to Ed Michielsen, Sue Vickers, Dave Balham, Carrie Klassen, Lyle Simpson & TJ Jones who were crowned our winners taking home \$100 each.





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Congratulations to Nicolene Wildervanck & Caelan Samson for making the cut of 64 players for the Canadian National Pickleball League and the right to represent the Western Team. We wish you luck and are keeping our fingers crossed that you make the final cut.



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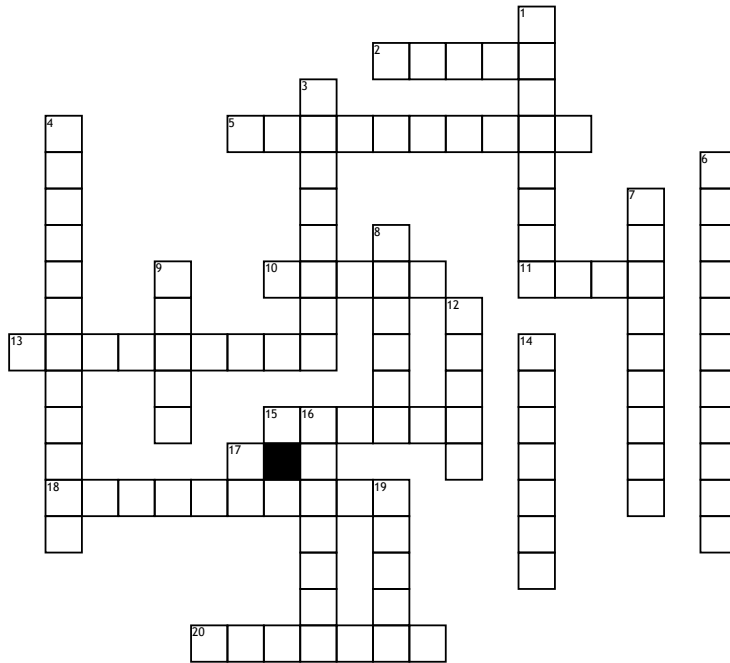


Name: _____ Date: _____

Pickleball Crossword

Across

2. the first serve of each side-out is made from the _____-hand court
5. the serve will be served _____ to the other side
10. a _____ is any action that stops play because of a rule violation
11. players use a _____ toss to determine who will serve first
13. The serve must be made _____
15. when the ball is served, the receiving team must let it _____ before returning
18. The double bounce rule _____ the serve and volley advantage and extends rallies
20. after you hit a ball you should finish in a statue of _____ stand



Down

1. you should start in an _____ stance
3. you can hit the ball forehand or _____
4. the 3rd number called out is the _____
6. points are scored only by the _____
7. the _____-_____ zone is the court area within 7 feet on both sides of the net
8. games are normally played to _____ points
9. a fault occurs when: a _____ does not land within the confines of the receiving court
12. if the ball hits the net it switches to the _____ teams ball
14. the non-volley zone is the commonly referred as the _____
16. if it lands _____ the service court it is illegal
17. a ball contacting any line, except the non-volley zone line on a serve is consider _____
19. a serve contacting the non-volley zone line is a _____ and a fault

