

COURTSIDE



Upcoming Events

300 AND COUNTING

We finally reached our 300th member! Congratulations to Kim Day who won a pizza for joining WBPC and becoming our 300th member. However, the popularity of our club has continued to grow, and currently we have 314 members!



NEW MEMBER PROMOTION

For the month of August, we have lowered our club fees to only \$25, plus the Pickleball Ontario and Pickleball Canada fees. Please tell any of your friends that have wanted to try out the club/cult that now is a great time to join! Not only can they play during club times, they also can meet other pickleball addicts to talk dinking, elongated paddles, and your favourite type of wiffle ball.

DON'T YOU WANT TO LOOK GOOD?

With our own unique clothing line, we are helping to establish a strong identity for our pickleball club. People will recognize us as the fun-loving, dedicated, and stylish players who rock the pickleball court like nobody else! You can order any piece whenever you want! The store is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Let's face it; we're a one-of-a-kind pickleball club, and our clothing should reflect that!

<https://theuniformactory.ca/collections/wasaga-pickleball>

Intercounty League

Wasaga vs Georgian Triangle

9 am

FULL

Collingwood Courts

August 12, 2023

Rec Tournament

Wasaga Courts

FULL

9 am

Collingwood Courts

August 18, 2023

August 21st (rain date)

Intercounty League

Wasaga vs Georgian Triangle

9 am

FULL

Wasaga Courts

August 19, 2023

TPA Clinic

August 19, 2023

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Register through TPA website

FINAL CLUB SOCIAL

September 30, 2023

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

\$25/person

Tickets purchased in advance only

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GET FREAKIN' AT THE BEACON

George Lorbert, man of mystery, wants to know when is the last time you got freakin' at The Beacon? Come join him, and the rest of the club, as we celebrate the end of the season on September 30th, at The Beacon in Wasaga Beach. Tickets are \$25/person and include food, entertainment, music, and games. We will also be having a silent auction, raffle and door prizes. If anyone would like to donate anything from a business you own, or work at, we would gladly accept! Please contact wasagapc@gmail.com for any inquiries.



LOST AND FOUND

Do you ever leave the courts feeling like you've left something other than your pride behind? Somewhere in the lost and found green box abyss, sweaters, water bottles and other clothing items have been rallying together to overthrow their human overlords. So, let's all head to the lost and found to stop their revolution, and bring these items home to where they belong.

Your stuff misses YOU too.



Saturday Sept. 30th 2PM

\$25 Per Person

**DOOR PRIZES
& GAMES**



**FOOD & SNACKS
PROVIDED**

PARTY WITH YOUR PALS & PARTNERS

**Location: The Beacon,
Wasaga Beach**

Ticket Sales: July 24 – Aug 8th

Club Members and Partners Only

Aug 9th Open to Friends & Family

Purchase Tickets at Courts: Sarah, Clare, Sophie or Lorraine

Cash, or E-transfer to: wasagapc@gmail.com

Contact: SarahGrant397@gmail.com

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WBPC: WHERE NO ONE KNOWS YOUR NAME ...YET

Are you in that awkward phase where you've been playing pickleball with someone for the past year, and still have no idea what their name is? Why not order a personalized name tag and this problem can be solved! Name tags with your name and the WBPC logo engraved on them are for sale for \$15 cash, or \$16 e transfer. If you would like one, fill in the form below and all that awkwardness will go away! Orders are due by August 9th.

<https://forms.gle/Bk1jyfZ5ZvhYPjio7>

WBPC IS INCORPORATING!

Wayne Browning, Guest Columnist

The Wasaga Beach Pickleball Club has a storied history. The club has been managed by a small, volunteer group for a decade. New members are generously contributing their time and attention to managing the club.

As we are now bumping over the 300 member mark, and with the encouragement of the Town of Wasaga Beach, current club management has determined it is in the best interest of the membership, and our future, to move forward as a not-for-profit corporation.

Incorporation will provide for formal membership participation in decision making, secure our finances, and open up avenues for funding that previously were unavailable. We will become a structured organization, representing the interests of our membership to The Town of Wasaga Beach, other corporations, Pickleball Canada and Pickleball Ontario.



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Hey there, fellow court drying experts! Welcome to the "Summer Splash Showdown!" Yes, it's a wet summer, but no amount of rain is going to get in the way of our pickleballing. Here's how to make those waterlogged courts into a slip 'n slide no more!

First step: Say hello to our squeaky clean squeegies! We've got a brand new member joining the squeegee squad, making it a legendary trio! They're like the Three Musketeers of court drying! Assemble your favourite friends and put those squeegies to work!

Step two: Now, listen up, rug draggers! No dragging those rugs until the puddles have disappeared. We don't want waterlogged rugs having their own pool party. Gino Stocchero deserves a standing ovation for providing us with two fabulous new carpet drags and he gave us strict instructions to not put them in the puddles! You don't want to make Gino mad!

Next, cue the blower! It's our court drying superhero, ready to blast away the water and bring a breath of fresh air to those lines. Thanks to the club, we've got a brand new blower, the turbo-charged version, saving the day one puff at a time!

Finally, let's bask in the sun, people! The fence is now our personal drying rack for those fashionable rugs.

And remember, efficiency is the name of the game. One court at a time, the squeegee team clears the water, while the rug draggers get their groove on. It's a synchronized dance of drying prowess!

So, folks, let's make this summer the most memorable one yet! Drying courts might be a splashy business, but with our squeaky squeezies, posh rug draggers, powerful blowers, and some sunbathing rugs, we'll conquer this wetness and turn it into our own summertime extravaganza! Let's dry those courts and have a good laugh while we're at it!



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INTERCOUNTY LEAGUE

WBPC's Intercountry teams travelled to Midland and Barrie in July. Both events our members competed hard, played well, but fell short in winning the trophy. However, there are legitimate reasons for our team losing.

1) The WBPC team used all of the luck, and supernatural abilities, in ensuring it was a sunny day. In fact, it rained immediately after the tournament ended!



2) The Barrie team used the sympathy vote, as they were led by someone who had just had knee surgery. As their leader hobbled around passing out homemade cookies and protein balls, our empathetic players decided not to destroy their spirits anymore.



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Wasaga Gear is Here!

Our custom Wasaga Beach Pickleball Club clothing collection for the 2023 season is here!

Are you tired of being the "unpickled" pickleball player? Well, fret no more! Introducing the latest fashion sensation that's sweeping the courts faster than a rogue pickleball on steroids: Wasaga Beach Pickleball Club clothing! These stylish threads will have you serving up style points while volleying those dinks like a seasoned pro. Not only will you become the talk of the town, but you'll also gain the power to instantly pickle-fy any opponent with your stylish ensemble. So, why settle for ordinary attire when you can pickle up your game and pickle up your style with Wasaga Beach Pickleball Club clothing? It's time to dill-light your opponents and serve up some fashion-forward fun!

To order and pay for this life changing gear, click on this link:

<https://theuniformfactory.ca/collections/wasaga-pickleball>

You can choose to have it delivered to your house for a minimal fee, or you can choose to pick it up at their warehouse in Collingwood. Once your order is ready, they will email you with further instructions.



Let's take pickleball fashion to the next level!

This store NEVER CLOSES! So, order one piece to try it out, and then order more! The store is always active!



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THE LADDER

Legend has it that the ancient pickleball scrolls (consisting of the 982 345 789 emails written to organize court times) found at our Lost and Found held prophecies of amazing, witty, athletic, gorgeous, pickleballers that would win the WBPC ladder. The promised ones have now come forward: Congratulations to Aimee Bishop and Brian Hayward.

Both of these esteemed athletes were the winners of the Female and Male Ladders for the 2023 season. Rumour has it that Hayward will now be giving up his prestigious hockey commentator position to become an analyst and scout for WBPC. Bishop will continue to boss people around, shush people, and reign supreme on and off the court. Congratulations!



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INTERMEDIATE TEAM TOURNAMENT

Despite being delayed by 5 hours, a fearless/stubborn/anxious Tournament Director went ahead and ran the Intermediate Team Tournament. After multiple volunteers spent an hour drying the courts, the tournament and Ice Cream Social commenced. We had eight teams that consisted of 16 male and 16 female players making up those teams. The team spirit was amazing and it was a very successful tournament with strong, competitive play. In the end, Joanne Ellerson's team "Baby Got Backhand" prevailed over Jack Garrett's "Dink Flamingo's". We can't wait for next years Team Tournament!



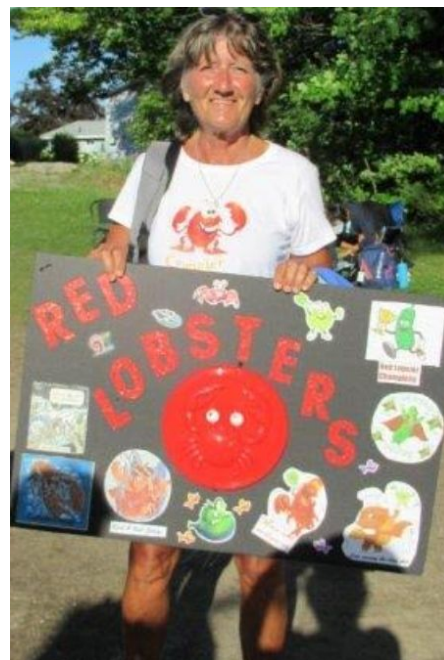
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INTERMEDIATE TEAM TOURNAMENT

Our raffle was very successful and we raised \$1025! Thank you to everyone who purchased tickets, and to our very generous donors: Grandma's Beach Treats, Wasaga Beach Brewery, Shaka Wasaga Boat Cruise, Free Spirit Tours, The Paint Bar and Wasaga Beach Yoga.

Thank you also to our amazing volunteers who kept the courts running, and listened to Aimee as she bossed you around: Lorraine Laforet, Clare Carter, Debbie Titus, Calvin Renwick, Christine Hubley, Jackie Rodrigues, Nancy Carlucci, and Linda Vandernokke.



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I SCREAM, YOU SCREAM, WE ALL SCREAM FOR PICKLEBALL!

The Ice Cream Social was so much fun and we served over 80 ice cream treats to our participants and the spectators. A huge thank you to Grandma's Beach Treats, as Sylvia Bray ordered the ice cream in for us and only charged us her cost. Everyone loved the ice cream and Nancy Carlucci and Debbie Titus kept the line moving quickly, and the custom made WBPC sprinkles, applied perfectly. Thanks to Jan Bee for all of the pictures.

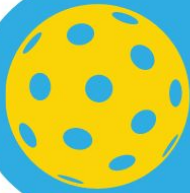




PEEVISH POINTS CHALLENGE

WHO DOESN'T LOVE TO WIN AND REALLY "PEEVE" OFF YOUR OPPONENTS?

If you achieve any of the three types of "Peevish Points" this season, you deserve the right to brag!

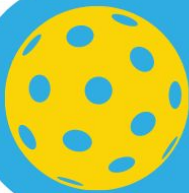


"ATP" AROUND THE POST

A legal shot whereby the ball is returned from outside the court and into the opposing team's court, never passing over the net. May pass below the level of the top of the net.

GOLDEN PICKLE

Winning a game using solely the very first server, with the opposing team never serving.



NASTY NELSON

Serving into the body (or paddle) of the partner of the receiver which results in a point for the server due to interference rules.

- At the end of your match, take a picture of the winning team smiling, and the losing team looking "pickled".
- Send your picture to wasagapc@gmail.com with an explanation of which "peevish point" you achieved.
- At the end of the season, these picklers will be entered into a draw for a prize from one of our many generous sponsors!
- Your pictures and names will also be put in our monthly newsletters! No mercy!

AUG 19th WASAGA PICKLEBALL CLINICS



**FOR INTERMEDIATE
& ADVANCED SKILL LEVEL PLAYERS**

**WASAGA BEACH
OUTDOOR COURTS**

**AUG 19TH
2 - 5:00 PM**

Lead by TPA Coach:

Corey Osborne

REGISTRATION



 WWW.TAYLOREDPICKLEBALLACADEMY.CA/CLINICS



WASAGA PICKLEBALL CLINICS

2 - 3:30 PM

DRILL AND PLAY - 3RD SHOT DROPS - \$30

Let's focus on improving the quality and consistency of your 3rd shot drop by introducing drills & drill-based games that will help you improve your performance. The remaining 30min will be coach-mentored gameplay.

3:30 - 5 PM

PERFORMANCE SERIES - BEATING BANGERS - \$35

In this clinic, we will focus on specific skills required in 'beating bangers' such as volleys, controlling the pace of the ball and returning the serve along with other strategies to help learn how to take back control of the court with confidence.

MAX 16 PARTICIPANTS IN EACH CLINIC

REGISTER TODAY!



**SCAN
ME**





ATTENTION



WBPC has
a new email
address!

wasagapc@gmail.com

Please direct all emails, and
etransfers to this address.





WASAGA BEACH PICKLEBALL CLUB

ARENA COURTS RESERVED PLAY 2023

**ALL OTHER TIMES
ARE TOWN OF
WASAGA BEACH
PUBLIC ACCESS**

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
8:00 AM	WBPC REC PLAY 8:00 AM UNTIL 11:30 AM	WBPC INTERMEDIATE PLAY 10:00 AM UNTIL 1:00 PM	WBPC REC PLAY 8:00 AM UNTIL 11:30 AM	WBPC INTERMEDIATE PLAY 10:00 AM UNTIL 1:00 PM	WBPC REC PLAY 8:00 AM UNTIL 11:30 AM		WBPC ADVANCED PLAY 8:00 AM UNTIL 12:00 PM
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8:00 PM							
9:00 PM							

EXPLANATION OF ITEMS

Rec Play - Open to anyone to play at any level

Intermediate Play - Players that have been identified and accepted into Intermediate groups based on your playing ability, at or above the 3.5 level. Please see the link below for the USA Pickleball Player Skill Ratings to determine your level. If you wish to join these groups, please speak to an Executive member.
<https://usapickleball.org/tournaments/tournament-player-ratings/player-skill-rating-definitions/>

Advanced Play - Time set aside for players at the 4.0+ level. If you think you qualify for this group, please contact Chuck Burgoyne.

Female Group - Open for any female members, at any level, to play.

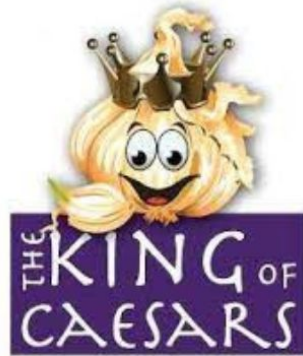
Male Group - Open for any male members, at any level, to play.

Ladder League - Time set aside for those registered and accepted into our separate male and female ladder leagues to complete their games. This time is not open to our other members.

WBPC Clinics - Clinics provided by WBPC for either our members, or the Town of Wasaga Beach. Please check your email and/or the Facebook page to see what is being offered throughout the season.

THANK YOU!

Thank you to these businesses for your generous donations! These will be our prizes this year!



WASAGA BEACH YOGA

MAJOR SPONSORS

THANK YOU!



A real estate advertisement for Rob Hutchison. At the top left is the "IRT" logo. To its right, "LEVERAGE REALTY TEAM" is written in blue. Below that is the tagline "Real Estate Done Differently" in a cursive font. A portrait of Rob Hutchison is on the left. To his right, "Rob Hutchison" is written in bold black, with "REALTOR®" in smaller text above it. At the bottom left, the phone number "705.321.2446" and website "RobandShauna.ca" are listed. At the bottom right, the "CENTURY 21" logo is shown, with "In-Studio Realty Inc." and "Independently Owned & Operated" below it.





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WEBSITE

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Email: info@livelifefit.ca

SEEKING SPONSORS

for the 2023 season

Why should you donate to WBPC?

Donating money to the Wasaga Beach Pickleball Club can help us continue to provide valuable services and support to our community. Your donation can help us fund tournaments, leagues, and clinics, and other club enhancements. Your donation will also ensure that more members of our community can access the many social and athletic benefits that come from playing pickleball. By giving to our club, you can contribute to the greater good of our community, and our sport.

In exchange for your donation, WBPC will ensure that your name (or business name)

- appears in our Courtside newsletter
- our social media posts
- is verbally thanked at club events



If you (or your business) is interested in donating to the Wasaga Beach Pickleball Club, please email wasagapc@gmail.com



Have a question? A volunteer will get back to you.
Email us at **wasagapc@gmail.com**

Our Facebook group is updated regularly by our
volunteers
[https://www.facebook.com/groups/wasagabeach
pickleball](https://www.facebook.com/groups/wasagabeachpickleball)

