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## Purpose

To establish a policy for the use of the outdoor courts and indoor courts for non-member players on Bow Valley Pickleball Association (BVPA) managed courts.

## Scope

This Policy will apply to all BVPA members, guests, underage players and non-members.

## Procedure

BVPA encourages people of all ages to learn how to play pickleball.

BVPA operates outdoor court and indoor court play in partnership with the Town of Canmore (TOC). Both parties make a concerted effort to create a pleasant, inviting and safe playing environment. To achieve this, the following requirements are to be followed to address non-members wishing to play on BVPA managed courts.

## Non-Members


Non-member players are permitted to play on outdoor courts and indoor courts under the following conditions: The non-member must:

- Execute the club's "Release of Liability, Waiver of Claims, Assumption of Risks and Indemnity Agreement" form prior to play.
- Pay any fee which has been approved by the BVPA Board of Directors.
- Not restrict access to play for BVPA members

Any BVPA member will assist the non-member(s) in accessing the Release Form and collect any required fee.

If a non-member player wishes to play in a BVPA managed event, the non-member player must arrive at the courts 15 minutes prior to the start of play. He/she may play if there is sufficient space available for non-member play and provided that he/she does preempt a BVPA member who wishes to play in that session.

A non-member player may participate in BVPA managed play a maximum of three times. After that, he/she must become a BVPA member in order to continue to play in any BVPA managed play.

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### Revision History

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### References

Bow Valley Pickleball Association Bylaws

### Definition

BVPA Member – any person 18 years or older who has paid their fees for the current playing season and has executed the club’s “Release of Liability, Waiver of Claims, Assumption of Risks and Indemnity Agreement”.