

# Saskatoon SSFA Pickleball Newsletter



## News You Can Use Outdoor Pickleball



The City of Saskatoon has informed us that the start time for outdoor play at Father Basil Markle Courts will be sometime in May (weather permitting). The

following time slots for SSFA play at Father Basil Markle Courts are:

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays 1:00p.m. – 4:00p.m. Tuesdays & Thursdays 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

Please note: For outdoor play, SSFA does not supply equipment when temperatures are under 10 degrees Celsius so bring your own balls!



#### Fees

There will be a one-time payment of \$20 for outdoor summer play. You must also have an up to date SSFA membership (2023/2024). Memberships are \$20.00 and

you can fill out your membership at any of the indoor and outdoor courts. You can also go to <u>www.saskatoonpickleball.org</u>, print off membership forms and hand them in the next time you are at the courts. Please note cash or cheques are accepted.

#### **Indoor Pickleball**

We will continue to play indoor pickleball at Cornerstone and Ebenezer until the outdoor courts are available.

### **Learn to Play Clinic**

An upcoming "learn to play" pickleball clinic (55+) will be held at the Martensville Rink on June 11<sup>th</sup>. This is Free of Charge if interested. For more information, please contact: jmcculloch@martensville.ca

P.S. they are looking for a few volunteers for this clinic. Please contact <u>imcculloch@martensville.ca</u>

#### 2023 Saskatchewan Provincial Tournament

Saskatchewan Provincial Pickleball Tournament will



be held in at the Warman Home Centre Communiplex from June 9-11. You can now register for all levels. There are several events as well in the 2.5 category. The format for the weekend will be:

Friday June 09, 2023 - Women's Doubles and Men's Singles

<u>Saturday June 10, 2023</u> - Mixed Doubles <u>Sunday June 11, 2023</u> - Men's Doubles and Women's Singles

The website for the tournament is https://pickleballbrackets.com/ptd.aspx?eid=5e7da9 9e-83bf-4cc0-a801-639ed79be6f3



Thank you to Bill Clark for assuming responsibilities for our website. He is taking over from Dave Watson who we all say a BIG

THANK YOU for all his work on our website over the past few years.

We are also looking for volunteers to help at the outdoor courts. Cleaning courts, setting up tables, and taking registrations. Please talk to your coordinators at the indoor facilities and VOLUNTEER TODAY. We would be grateful!

Email your questions to <u>ssfapickleball@sasktel.net</u> or go to our website at <u>www.saskatoonpickleball.org</u> and use the "Contact Us" page.