



# Saskatoon SSFA Pickleball Newsletter

## News You Can Use



### Outdoor Pickleball Courts Opening Soon

We have not received the exact date the courts will be opened but please check the website for further updates at [saskatoonpickleball.org](http://saskatoonpickleball.org).

### Father Basil Markle Park



**Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays**  
1 pm – 4 pm  
**Tuesdays & Thursdays** 10 am – Noon

**New:** The co-ordinators at Father Basil will be assigning outdoor courts this year for recreational play and competitive play. This will be determined daily. When at the courts, please choose where you would like to play.

**A reminder** that Statutory Holidays are public times so SSFA will not be operating on those days. Please feel free to use the courts, but bring your own balls and follow court etiquette if people are waiting.

Once again, we will have a Porta Potty available at the courts starting later in May.

**Indoor Play** – will end at all three venues on May 10, 2024.

### SSFA 55+ Provincial Games

SSFA 55+ Senior Provincial Games will be held in North Battleford (June 11,12 & 13). Please visit [SSFA.ca](http://SSFA.ca) for more information. If submitting registration forms to one of our indoor venues, please submit them **by April 30<sup>th</sup>** to allow for registrations to be processed in time.

### Fees and Memberships



Memberships are sold every year and members are assigned a new number. Please ensure that you renew your membership as your old memberships expired March 31, 2024.

There will be a one-time payment of \$20 for outdoor summer play

(This is in addition to membership fee of \$20.00). Cheque or Cash only please.

### Volunteers Needed

#### Recreational League at Elim

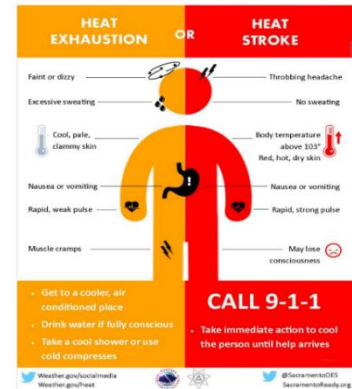
We are currently looking for volunteers to help run a recreational pickleball group at Elim Church during the summer months. This would be 1 - 2 times a week each session being 2 hours long. Days of the week are flexible, but times should follow outdoor times. If you are interested in volunteering, please let one of the coordinators know. We would be grateful for the help.

#### SSFA Committee Member

We also have an opening on the SSFA Pickleball Committee for a Member at Large. The committee member will be responsible for attending monthly meetings (usually an hour long) and taking on assignments when required for the committee. We also encourage committee members to volunteer at outdoor and indoor venues when possible. Please put your name forward to volunteer. Let one of the coordinators at the venues know if you are interested.

### Safety

**First**  
**When its**  
**Hot Out**  
**There,**  
**Take Care**  
**and know**  
**the Signs.**



### Lost and Found Items

Please check for any lost items at the indoor venues. If not claimed, the items will be donated.

### Zero Tolerance Policy

Any aggression or abuse directed towards our volunteers or others will not be tolerated. Aggressive, abusive, or rude behaviour that includes language that may cause our volunteers or others to feel afraid, threatened or abused will not be tolerated.

If this occurs, it will be discussed at the committee level and if warranted any member who participates in this behaviour will have their membership suspended or cancelled at all venues.