

Augusta Health Fitness will be implementing a 90-day trial period for Pickleball to evaluate how this new sport might be able to fit into our facility and membership. Please see below for details about this trial period and how you can have access to Pickleball.

- The trial period will be February 19th through May 19th
- Fees

Universal Members will pay no fees.

Aqua and Total Fitness Members will pay a \$10 per player fee per time playing.

Non-Members will pay a \$20 per player fee per time playing.

## Playing Times

Pickleball may only be played during the following times, and there must be a reservation on the schedule to play (schedule through the Front Desk at 540-332-5433, Option 2).

6 AM to 8 AM	on	Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri
12 PM to 2 PM	on	Mon, Tue
12 PM to 7 PM	on	Fri
12 PM to 5 PM	on	Sun

<sup>\*</sup>Reservations may only be made in 1-hour blocks of time.

## Playing Location

Pickleball will be played on Indoor Tennis Court #3. There will be the option to have two temporary courts set up for play as needed.

## • Rules and Regulations

- 1) Play only allowed during designated Pickleball times.
- 2) All players MUST check in at Front Desk prior to playing.
- 3) 4 player max per reservation (no Bullpen or Next Player Up style of play).
- 4) Non-marking tennis court specific shoes only. This is for participant safety and protection of the court surface. No running/cross training shoes or non-athletic shoes.
- 5) Thick core paddles are STRONGLY encouraged to help reduce the noise factor as much as possible.

- 6) WATER ONLY on the court. Absolutely no other drinks or food.
- 7) No leaning or sitting on the tennis net.
- 8) Dispose of trash in the provided trash can on the court caddy.
- 9) Do not move the court benches from their predesignated locations.
- 10) Court curtains are not to be moved or reconfigured.

## • Court Set Up

Temporary set up for two courts on Indoor Tennis Court #3 as pictured below.

Once properly trained, players will be expected to manage court setup and teardown on their own. If no one is coming on the court behind you to play, you must tear down and store the court equipment appropriately.

Portable nets (2) on wheels will be available for easy setup and teardown. For safety concerns and care, nets must be stored behind the solid curtain closest to the main parking lot end of the tennis court when not in use.

Portable line sets (2) stored will be in same location as the portable nets.

Tennis Court #3 will be premarked to ease in the portable line setup process which should not take more than 5 minutes. The portable lines are of the same brand and style we use in our indoor tennis clinics. They are precut to the correct pickleball court size and approved for temporary court setup.

A court setup video will be made for players to view (and review). We will also offer hands-on training to help with the initial rollout. To be included in the hands-on training, please email Coach Chad at <a href="mailto:creed@augustahealth.com">creed@augustahealth.com</a> to be added to the training list.

