



KCCC Fall Series

PICKLEBALL

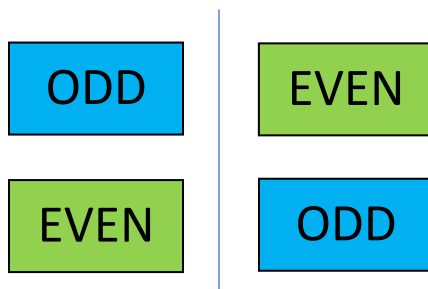


Dates/Time: Monday, September 23 or Tuesday, September 24, 2024.

Location: SW19 Academy, 2008 West 103rd Terrace, Leawood, KS 66206

- Tournament will consist of Men's, Women's, and Mixed Doubles. The same competitor may not play in women's or men's doubles and mixed doubles. Violation of this rule will disqualify the competitor from both competitions. Substitutions are allowed between matches if necessary.
- Check-in with KCCC staff to sign waiver (All participants must sign waiver) and court assignment.
- Game time is forfeit time. Players must be at assigned court at game time.
- The Tournament begins with round robin pool play (with each team playing a minimum of two other teams in the pool play). Round robin pool play will be one game to 15 points using rally scoring, where a point is scored on every serve. (On a side out, the team that gets the ball receives a point.) The first team to reach 15 points, and has a winning margin of 2 points, wins the game. Games will be capped at 20, ie if the score reaches 19-19, the next point wins. The top four teams from each pool, based on win-loss records, advance to a single elimination bracket. Bracket play matches will be best 2 of 3 games (3rd game to 11).
- Game Play Rules
 - Serving & Game Play
 - All serves must be underhand from behind the baseline, cross-court, into the service area past the "kitchen".
 - After the serve, the receiving team must let the ball bounce, then the serving team must let that return bounce before hitting. After that, the ball may be volleyed or off the bounce. A player cannot strike the ball while standing in the kitchen unless the ball bounces in the kitchen first.
 - Scoring
 - Rally scoring will be used.
 - Each game is played to 15 and must be won by 2. A match will be best 2 of 3 games.
 - Points will be scored on each rally. You do not need to be serving to score a point.

- No servers one & two because each side will only get one serve. Throughout the game each person will have chance to serve.
- The right side of the court is the even side, and the left side is the odd side:



- Players will stay on their side of the court throughout the game. The serving team score will determine the side of the court from which the serve will be played.
 - When the serving team has an even score the serve will be made from right (even) side of the court. When the serving side has an odd score, the serve will be made from the left (odd) side of the court.
- Please watch video, <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WcszMAc5I74>, for examples of game play and further explanation of rules. (Disregard scoring as we will use rally scoring explained above.)
 - Please wear shoes that do not mark or damage the courts.
 - Pickleball equipment provided, but players may use their own. Any equipment is subject to inspection by KCCC and SW19 Academy.

This information is subject to and rule interpretation changes which may occur between now and the Fall Series Tournament.