

SUMMERLAND PICKLEBALL CLUB (SPC)

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COVID-19 INDOOR PLAY RULES

Please be sure you are aware of these rules. The SPC has taken precautions to make indoor play as safe as possible and to follow venue guidelines. Courts may be randomly monitored and we encourage you to report anyone not adhering to them as they could be jeopardizing the use of the courts and player safety.

- Members can play indoors starting mid-October at the Harold Simpson and Badminton Club (all week) and Unisus (weekends).
- Harold Simpson \$4 fee, Badminton Club \$3 fee. No change will be given. Only loonies, toonies and bills will be accepted. Unisus will be prepaid for 8 weeks (see note in right column).
- Pods (groups) of four to six players must be formed. Players may join only one pod. Email jeaneowens48@gmail.com if you do not have a pod and we will work with you to form one.
- Each pod can book one week in advance, a total of two times per week (Sunday to Saturday). The new booking time is after 6pm (not midnight). Pod Leaders do the bookings through Sign-Up Genius and lists those playing. For COVID tracing, this must be kept up to date. 24 Hour Rule - Pods may also book into a court if it is available 24 hours before the start time.
- Players may spare on one other pod if a pod is short players due to injury/illness etc.
- Time slots are for two hours and this will include set up, tear down etc. and leaving before the next group.
- When entering venues, getting shoes on, setting up, and leaving, masks must be worn. Masked are not required during play.
- Players on the bench must sit 6 feet apart. No visitors or guests are allowed.
- Pods will have leaders who book them in, are responsible to ensure hands are sanitized, money collected, and pickleballs washed. A list of their duties will be provided.
- Members can play at more than one club/group.
- SPC will only accept new players with a Summerland address.
- There will be one warning, then the penalty for not adhering to the rules the second time is a two week ban for the whole pod.
- More detailed information will be on the website soon.

NOT IN A POD? NO WORRIES!

You aren't alone. There will be a list compiled of those without a set pod. Please send an email to Jeane, Director at: jeaneowens48@gmail.com to be included on the list. Send your name, skill level, days/times you can play and cell #. Our Directors will work with you to get you in a suitable pod.

PLAY AT UNIUS GYM

Pods playing at Unisus will pay for 8 weeks in advance at a total cost of \$144 per pod. There will be two sessions Sat. and Sun. (8-10am and 10-noon). There needs to be a minimum of three Pod bookings per session for it to run. Pod Leaders will book up to one week in advance for either Sat. or Sun. This will count as one of your two prebooks. No fixed time slots for the season.

ATTENTION PODS...PICK A POD LEADER. THE POD LEADER WILL THEN EMAIL SPC THE NAMES OF MEMBERS OF YOUR GROUP AND WILL RECEIVE DETAILS ON BEING A POD LEADER.

WANT TO LEARN SOME SKILLS?

Email Ali Steenberg, Director and she will come to one of your times booked and give your pod some lessons, skills and drills. Email: alisten54@gmail.com

WHAT TO BRING TO THE GYM

- * Mask
- * Indoor Runners
- * Hand Sanitizer
- *Toonies and Loonies
- *Racquet
- *A Good Attitude

Have Fun! Play Safe!