

Welcome to the South Whitley Fall Festival Pickleball Tournament, scheduled for this upcoming weekend, Sept 30 and Oct 1!

Details about the tournament are provided in this email. Please read all information carefully. You can also view details on the tournament website at [South Whitley Fall Festival Pickleball Tournament](#).

We look forward to a great weekend of pickleball camaraderie and competition!

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Venue Information

This is an outdoor tournament on 4 permanent pickleball courts. Ball is the Franklin X-40. Indoor restrooms will be available. Venue address is:

South Whitley Town Park
118 East Front Street (use South State Street entrance)
South Whitley, Indiana

Players should bring their own food and drink. You could also take advantage of the Subway in South Whitley or food booths at the South Whitley Fall Festival, one block from the venue. Light refreshments will also be provided at the tournament.

Please note that the South Whitley Fall Festival will be in progress during the tournament. Front Street will be closed. Enter the park from the south side, near the bridge on State Street.

Schedule

Please note that times below are ESTIMATES ONLY. Some games are longer, some are shorter; exact times cannot be predicted with certainty.

Date	Day	Total Teams	Arrival Time	Start Time	End Time
Men's Doubles 3.0	Sat	7	3:10	3:30	7:30
Men's Doubles 3.5	Sat	7	12:10	12:30	4:00
Men's Doubles 4.0+	Sat	8	9:40	10:00	1:00
Women's Doubles 3.0 / 3.5	Sat	5	12:40	1:00	4:00
Women's Doubles 4.0+	Sat	6	3:40	4:00	7:00
Mixed Doubles 2.5 / 3.0	Sun	8	4:10	4:30	7:00
Mixed Doubles 3.5	Sun	9	10:10	10:30	1:30
Mixed Doubles 4.0+	Sun	9	1:10	1:30	4:30

Check In / Warm-Up

Please check in at least 20 minutes prior to the start of your event.

If you are playing in the first bracket of the day (10:00 on Saturday or 10:30 on Sunday), plan to complete your warm up BEFORE your start time. Courts will be available at first light, and the player check-in desk will open one hour prior to your start time.

If you have a later start time, we will give you time to warm up before your bracket begins play.

Format of Play

This is a round robin tournament. You will play all teams in your bracket. The top 4 teams at the end of round robin play will advance to a medal playoff, first and second place competing for gold and third and fourth place competing for bronze. Tiebreakers will be based first on head-to-head play, then total points scored.

All matches will consist of one game to 11, win by 2, one timeout per team.

Tournament Director reserves the right to change format as needed.

Rules / Referees

This tournament is not sanctioned, but all 2023 USA Pickleball rules apply. It is the player's responsibility to be familiar with these rules, which can be viewed at [USA Pickleball Rulebook](#).

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