

Harvest Crush Tournament Preview



A big “Thank You” to everyone who has already registered for our 2nd Annual Harvest Crush Tournament on September 16-17, 2023 at May Nissen Park.

If you haven't registered and planning to do please note these important announcements:

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- * **The Final Registration Deadline is Aug 31st**
- * **Saturday's Men's and Women's doubles events are completely full**
- * **We may not be able to accommodate those placed on our waiting lists and those who signed up seeking a doubles partner**

[CLICK HERE REGISTER](#)

Volunteers Request

We are looking for volunteers for our Harvest Crush Tournament on September 16th and 17th. Please call **Kathy Anderson** at **510-684-4200** or email her at tvpcvolcord@gmail.com to volunteer or to ask any questions. Thank you for supporting our club!

Volunteer positions available:

<u>Position</u>	<u># of people</u>
Set Up Crew – 6:30 am-8 am (Set up Tables, Nets, Banners)	6 each day
Take Down Crew (1.5 hours) (Take down podium, nets, tables)	10 each day
Check-in Morning Shift 7:30 a.m-12pm Afternoon Shift 12pm-4:30pm	2 each day 2 each day
Runners Morning Shift 7:30 a.m-12pm Afternoon Shift 12pm-4:30pm (Bring score card and escort players to and from courts)	4 each day 4 each day
Food Table Morning Shift 7:30 a.m-12pm Afternoon Shift 12pm-4:30pm (Watch food/water and replenish)	1 each day 1 each day
Merchandise person Morning Shift 7:30 a.m-12pm Afternoon Shift 12pm-4:30pm (Help people with buying merchandise)	1 each day 1 each day
Award Presentations Morning Shift 7:30 a.m-12pm Afternoon Shift 12pm-4:30pm (Give winners medals on podium and take photos)	1 each day 1 each day
Raffle Table & Food Tickets Morning Shift 7:30 a.m-12pm Afternoon Shift 12pm-4:30pm (Sell raffle tickets and help people put tickets in jars)	2 each day 2 each day

Seeking Raffle Donations



We are seeking donations for our gift baskets that will be raffled off at the Harvest Crush Tournament in September. We are planning to do a variety of themes.

Some ideas are a handyman basket, a picnic basket for four, a cooking basket, a destination basket, a pickleball basket, and a night out at the movie with dinner basket, just to name a few. We will decide on what the baskets will consist of depending on donated items.

If you have any gift items laying around that you think would be a nice contribution please consider us. Also if you are interested in creating your own gift basket to donate that would be wonderful.

We are also in need of nice empty baskets that we can use to fill with our goodies. If you have any baskets that you don't need anymore we would greatly appreciate them.

All donations need to be received no later than September 5th.

Please email

lori.dorsey@trivalleypickleballclub.com

to coordinate you drop off.

Thanks again for your time and for your support of the club!

TVPC Board presents plaque to LARPD Board



Hello everyone! I hope you're doing well and taking advantage of all the great activities that TVPC offers.

We want to inform everyone that the TVPC Board of Directors attended a LARPD (Livermore Area Recreation and Park District) Board of Directors meeting on Wednesday 8-16-23. We presented a plaque to the Board thanking them for their support of pickleball in Livermore. We also met with them individually and engaged in conversations regarding future PB projects in the city. Our dialog discussed the potential for new courts on the old Springtown golf course property and some courts potentially off of Vasco.

Though these are long term plans, we are excited that LARPD recognizes our sport is growing and how many locations are needed to accommodate all of its players. We also shared our daily player numbers over the past year, which is well above 16,000 and included our current membership status, which is now over 480 members.

They were impressed with our numbers and membership totals. The LARPD Board recognizes that our sport is growing by leaps and bounds and is aware we will all have to work together to continue our dream of more PB courts in Livermore.

We will be informing you of any future developments as soon as we get them. If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to talk to one of us board members the next time you see us on the courts.

Take care and make sure you keep on pickling!!!

Kirby - President, Robert - VP, Lori - Secretary, Larry - PR & Merchandise Guy

President's Message



Club Members,

This summer has rolled by hot and fast making it hard to keep up with all of you. Speaking of which, I would like to keep you informed about a potential milestone that is on the pickleball horizon. As many of you know, the club was started with around 50 dedicated pickleball enthusiasts, who said why not join a club? That core group quickly expanded to 100, then 150, then 250 and so on. Club growth has far exceeded the Board of Directors predictions and the explosive growth in the Tri-Valley. I'm happy to announce the club as of 08/20/23 has 475 members and will likely top 500 before the end of the year.

I am super impressed and a huge THANK YOU to all of you who joined. Just like you, I have developed new and long-lasting friendships with people who might have been a stranger not too long ago. I think it's safe to say our lives have become richer, more fulfilled, happier and healthier.

Let's keep up the pickleball mojo and carry the game forward. We have the Harvest Crush II coming next month, a club social night at May Nissen Park on Sept.29th, additional 101 classes, a Skills and Drills event on Oct.7th and our Club Championship event on Oct. 28th -29th.

Please check our website for more details and sign up.

See you on the courts,

Kirby



New Gold Level Member

◇ Erin Tamer



New TVPC members joining our club since our last newsletter published in July '23.

New Bronze Level Members

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| ◇ Esmeralda Berkenkotter | ◇ Mike Lyons |
| ◇ Eric Berkenkotter | ◇ Beth McCormick |
| ◇ Vickie Bottero | ◇ Clifford Miller |
| ◇ Kim Carpenter | ◇ Katie Nejedly |
| ◇ Brian Carpenter | ◇ MJ Ng |
| ◇ Leo Chi | ◇ Daniel Nothwang |
| ◇ Kevin Darmasaputra | ◇ Joel Olney |
| ◇ Tina DeLowe | ◇ Linda Plount |
| ◇ Peter DeLowe | ◇ Tiffany Ramirez |
| ◇ Jonalyn Encarnacion | ◇ Zoe Ramos-Carthew |
| ◇ Sherry Faux | ◇ Jill Robinson |
| ◇ Donna Ferreira | ◇ Gina Rubino |
| ◇ Nancy Glatt | ◇ Elizabeth Salinas |
| ◇ Elaine Goodney | ◇ Gabby Smith |
| ◇ Charlene Grandfield | ◇ Tania Smith |
| ◇ Rita Gruszkowski | ◇ Ramon Talley |
| ◇ Jerry Hunt | ◇ Sheri Trust |
| ◇ Harsh Jadhav | ◇ Eduardo Urias |
| ◇ Aparna Jadhav | ◇ Carla Vignola |
| ◇ Hemant Jadhav | ◇ Gary Vignola |
| ◇ Terry Johnson | ◇ Nickolai Volkoff-Shoemaker |
| ◇ Stefani Katz | ◇ James Weber |
| ◇ Michael Keyser | ◇ Betsy Weber |
| ◇ Leslie Lawrence | ◇ Kim Wiseman |
| ◇ Pam Leong | |

Not a member yet?

[Click here to join the Tri-Valley Pickleball Club](#)

MEMBERSHIP OPTIONS:

- Annual Memberships: January – December (Not Prorated)
- Membership Fees are Non-Refundable and Non-Transferable
- Members must be at least 18 years of age or older at the time of registration
- Discounts* apply to TVPC merchandise, TVPC tournament registration fees, and club activity fees
- Payment Options: **Cash, Check** – Made out to *Tri-Valley Pickleball Club*, 1531 Klondike Place, Livermore, CA 94550, or **Venmo** – @TriValleyPickleballClub (Code: 8657) – Please DO NOT specify Purchase Protection

BRONZE MEMBERSHIP

Annual: \$30

Includes:

- Access to Club Activities

GOLD MEMBERSHIP

Annual: \$125

Includes:

- Access to Club Activities
- 10% Discount*

SILVER MEMBERSHIP

Annual: \$65

Includes:

- Access to Club Activities
- 5% Discount*

PLATINUM MEMBERSHIP

Lifetime: \$750 (Limited to First 15)

Includes:

- Access to Club Activities
- Dry-Fit, Collared, Logo Shirt
- 20% Discount*

Upcoming Events

Social Events (Members Only - [Register](#))

- Friday Evening Potluck Social: Sep 29
- **2nd Annual Holiday Party:** Dec 6th, 2023 (Save the Date)

Player Development

Introduction to Pickleball: ([Register](#))

- Sep 9, Oct 14
- Limit of 24 people per session, held at May Nissen Park, 9 - 11 AM
- Tell any friends, family or co-workers who are interested in learning the basics
- Open to Members and Non-Members - \$15 for Non-Members
- Held at May Nissen Park from 9:AM - 11:AM

Pickleball 101: Register through LARPD ([Register](#) - Click on Adult Pickleball)

- September 30th
- Introduction to Pickleball through LARPD, held at May Nissen Park, 9:AM - 11:AM
- Same instruction and information as 'Introduction to Pickleball'

Skills and Drills: Members Only ([Register](#))

- October 7th
- Time: 8:30 AM -10:30 at May Nissen Park in Livermore
- Hone and improve your skills while learning new and fun ways to do it

Tournaments ([Register](#))

- **2nd Annual Harvest Crush:** Sept 16 & 17 (**limited space avail until Aug 31st**)
- **2nd Annual TVPC Doubles Championships:** Oct 28 & 29 (Save the Date)

PADDLE DRIVE PLEASE HELP!



- ⇒ We are short on paddles for our Intro to Pickleball Clinics and other activities.
- ⇒ We would like to collect them at our upcoming Harvest Crush Tourney.
- ⇒ Please bring paddles you don't use anymore that you would like to donate (no wooden or broken paddles).
- ⇒ If this doesn't work, please give them to one of our board members (Kirby, Robert, Lori, or Larry)

Don't miss our latest announcements and photo postings with TVPC's three social media accounts:



Instagram:

<https://www.instagram.com/tvpc4pickleball>



Twitter:

<https://twitter.com/TVPC4pickleball>



Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/GreatPickleball>

Photos of our recent pickleball events!



Pickleball 101 Class on 7/22/23



TVPC Potluck Social at May Nissen Park on 7/28/23



Introduction to Pickleball Class on 8/12/23



Pickleball 101 Class on 8/19/23