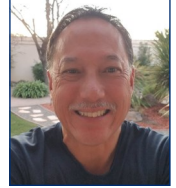


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President's Message



Members,

The trees have started to wear their fall colors, the hills will turn green, and the air will be cool and crisp as we head into the end of the year.

2023 has been a fantastic year for the club membership after we added about 350 new members to the roster. May Nissen Park has experienced explosive growth in both intermediate and beginner players taking to the courts every day of the week.

Members that report to Player Count Guru, Dave Hickman, have revealed just under 4,000 player uses in the months of August and September respectively. (Muirwood, Livermore Downs and May Nissen) With the increased interest in MLP style of play, and increased media exposure, our numbers will continue to grow.

Hang in there if wait times seem a bit longer. It's been proven that pickleball is still the fastest growing sport in the US and it seems the trend will continue into 2024.

See you on the courts,

Kirby



All current TVPC Members are invited to sign up to attend our Holiday Potluck Dinner to be held on Wednesday, 12/6/23. We look forward to celebrating the holiday season with you!

[Register here](#)

1st Annual TVPC Volunteer Dinner

On November 8, 2023, we celebrated and recognized the backbone of our club . . . **our hard-working volunteers.**

With dedication and service to others, they make the Tri-Valley Pickleball Club what it is today.

Thank you so much!



Meet our 500th club member Bernie Sollano

The TVPC Board recently announced that we now have over 500 members. Quite amazing for a club that's only been in existence for a couple of years! Bernie Sollano became our 500th club member in October. He's originally from Houston and enjoys going back there to visit his grandfather.



Bernie enjoys playing pickleball with his Engage paddle at the Livermore Downs. His parents play pickleball too. Welcome Bernie!

TVPC Membership Update

New Silver Level Member

- ◇ Paula Brotherson
- ◇ Lisa Sundberg



*New TVPC members
joining our club since our
last newsletter published*

New Bronze Level Members

- | | |
|---------------------|-----------------------|
| ◇ Aline Albuquerque | ◇ Eric Lau |
| ◇ Mary Ann Bagaforo | ◇ Alan Leeds |
| ◇ Cynthia Barbuscia | ◇ Dee Lynch |
| ◇ Elizabeth Barger | ◇ Debi Martin |
| ◇ Daniel Bergmann | ◇ Nicole Mitchell |
| ◇ Dario Bernardi | ◇ Muddassar Mubeen |
| ◇ Natalina Bernardi | ◇ Janelle Murphy |
| ◇ Dale Brewer | ◇ Conni Naylor |
| ◇ Melissa Brewer | ◇ Elizabeth Nguyen |
| ◇ Andrew Brewer | ◇ Steven Pachan |
| ◇ Bart Broadman | ◇ Noah Petrilli |
| ◇ Craig Broadman | ◇ Joe Purcell |
| ◇ Ruchira Chhabra | ◇ JoAnne Revelli |
| ◇ Vikas Chhabra | ◇ Randy Riley |
| ◇ Jason Cohn | ◇ Shelley Rittenhouse |
| ◇ Andrew Cramer | ◇ Michael Salk |
| ◇ Ralf Cuadro | ◇ Janelle Sanchez |
| ◇ Patrick Cuadro | ◇ Craig Schott |
| ◇ Mindy Dang | ◇ Patty Silva |
| ◇ Susie Debenham | ◇ Roger Smith |
| ◇ Laura Farro | ◇ Bernie Sollano |
| ◇ Dana Fogle | ◇ Janice St Amant |
| ◇ George Fogle | ◇ Steve Sundberg |
| ◇ Paul Fong | ◇ David Switz |
| ◇ Lisa Gardner | ◇ Crystal Switz |
| ◇ Linda Hall | ◇ Gibran Syed |
| ◇ Rosa Huie | ◇ Minh Teshima |
| ◇ Timothy Huie | ◇ Tanya Veldkamp |
| ◇ Dean Jones | ◇ Paul Villacarlos |
| ◇ Chris Jordan | ◇ Trina Wade |
| ◇ Katheryn Keller | ◇ John Washalaski |
| ◇ Rhoda Kim | ◇ Gerry Washalaski |
| ◇ Tias Kundu | ◇ Denise Williams |
| ◇ Karen Lamb | ◇ Sheetal Yadav |
| | ◇ Kevin Yuan |

Final Results

Club Championships



October 28th & 29th

Women

Men

Women's 2.5 Gold: Kathryn Keller & Patty Silva Silver: Debbie Lindemann & Judy Matthew Bronze: Ruchira Chhabra & Gina Rubino	Men's 2.5 Gold: Benny Demonte & Joe Clark Silver: Eduardo Urias & Gibran Syed Bronze: Kevin Darmasaputra & Nikhil Roy
Women's 3.0 <55 Gold: Lisa Ward & Nicole Mitchell Silver: Michelle Lee & Stephanie Watts Bronze: Jessica Schreiber & Trina Wade	Men's 3.0 <55 Gold: Dale Brewer & Andrew Brewer Silver: Bart Broadman & Craig Broadman Bronze: Jerry Hunt & Joe Purcell
Women's 3.0 55+ Gold: Laura Farro & Tina Lanfri Silver: Dorothy Costa & Kim Threats Bronze: Michelle Decker & Maggie Crabill	Men's 3.0 55+ Gold: Bill Aston & Dennis Rosario Silver: Clifford Chin & David Haitema
Women's 3.5 <55 Gold: Joy Iwata & Tifenn De Coquereau Silver: Charlene Swansiger & Lori Dorsey Bronze: Sonia Almeida & Keri Mearthur	Men's 3.5 Gold: Muddassar Mubeen & Michael Keyser Silver: Ralf Cuadro & Patrick Cuadro Bronze: Danny Lai & Achin Kalra
Women's 3.5 55+ Gold: Mary Ledezma & Susie Debenham Silver: Kathy Callahan & Pauline Kobata Bronze: Lisa Hernandez & Whitney Kramm	Men's 4.0 Gold: Puneet Khurana & Rajvinder Singh Silver: Rabi Bala & Phil Davis Bronze: Roger Lee & Mike Callahan

Mixed

Mixed 2.5 <55 Gold: Erin Hopcus & Alan Leeds Silver: Nadine Chiu & Terence Tsai Bronze: Anissa Liu & Kyle Erickson	Mixed 3.0 55+ Gold: Susan Schmidt & Karl Smith Silver: Esmeralda & Eric Berkenkotter Bronze: Michelle Perry & Eric Harnish
Mixed 2.5 55+ Gold: Cristina Williams & Nick Nardolillo Silver: Lisa Sundberg & Steve Sundberg Bronze: Valerie Christenson & Roger Lamb	Mixed 3.5 <55 Gold: Charlene Swamsiger & Rabi Bala Silver: Mary Phan & Kevin Yuan Bronze: Whitney Kramm & Achin Kalra
Mixed 3.0 <55 Gold: Jessica Schreiber & Jerry Hunt Silver: MaryAnn Bagaforo & Cezar Bagaforo Bronze: Theresa DeWalls & Matthew LaRocca	Mixed 3.5 55+ Gold: Lori Dorsey & Robert Beanland Silver: Lisa Hernandez & Nick Schenkel

Photographs*

(Thank you to Christine Yory and Larry Bird!)

Club Championships



October 28th & 29th

* Photos of the medal winners were posted on our [Facebook Page](#). Here are other photos of this event!



Photos of TVPC People & Events



LARPD Pickleball 101
November 18, 2023



LARPD Pickleball 101
October 21, 2023



**“Picklefest” at the
Sports Basement
in San Ramon**



**Selkirk Demo Days
October 2023
at May Nissen**



Introduction to Pickleball class on October 14, 2023



**Silver Medal Winners, I-r,
Phil D, Chris O, Keri M and
Dan C at the Carmen Sanz
MLP Tournament
November 2023**



**Bronze medal winners
Team Delinquents. I-r,
Phil, Chris, Charlene and
Rabi at the
NCPbA Tournament
November 2023**



**Bronze Medalists, I-r,
Jimmy, Melissa, Leah
and Matt at the
NCPbA Tournament
November 2023**



Upcoming Events

Social Events *(Members Only)*

- **2nd Annual Holiday Party:** Dec 6th, 2023 ([Register](#))

Player Development

Introduction to Pickleball *NEW* 2024 Dates: ([Register](#))

- Jan 20, Feb 24, Mar 9, Apr 13, May 18, Jun 8, Jul 13, Aug 10, Oct 12, 2024
- 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 - \$20 for Non-Members
- Held at May Nissen Park from 9:AM - 11:AM

Skills and Drills *NEW* 2024 Dates: Members Only ([Register](#))

- April 21, June 14, August 16, 2024
- 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

Upcoming Tournaments (Save these dates!)

- 2024 Spring Round Robin Tournament: May 4 – 5, 2024
- 2024 Third Annual Harvest Crush: Sep 14 – 15, 2024
- 2024 Club Championship Tournament: Oct 26 – 27, 2024

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 Club Championship.
- ⇒ Please bring paddles you don't use anymore that you would like to donate (no wooden or broken paddles).
- ⇒ If not attending the Club Championship, please give your paddle donations to one of our board members (Kirby, Robert, Lori, Larry, or Roger)

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



Instagram:

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



Facebook:

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