

LCPC NEWS

Lake Chelan Pickleball Club - https://lakechelanpickleballclub.com

Play officially starts April 3! Thanks to Marilyn and Jack, the courts were clean and new nets installed. For the near future, a Lake Chelan Pickleball Club (LCPC) representative will be at Darnells on play days to take the Club dues and help Marilyn collect the yearly fees to play for the season from April 1 to November 1. Fees for Darnells will again be \$200 or \$350 for couples. If you are a Club member and don't want to pay for the season, it will be \$5.00 per time or \$50.00 per month. The Club dues for the year are \$20 - there is a form to fill out for the Club. Club dues will pay for our membership in the USA Pickleball Association which will include insurance for players, notifications for tournaments, help with ratings, a banner to be displayed and a host of other benefits. If you include your email address you will be sure to get e-mails and a monthly newsletter.

Play currently will be Monday, Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday at 10:00 a.m.

WHY become an LCPC member?

- Increase our pickleball voice in our community. More presence = more courts.
- Access to organized pickleball play.
- Automatically enrolled as a USA Pickleball member, giving you several benefits including insurance, discounts and places to play.
- Discount at <u>PickleballCentral.com</u>; use code CRChelan.
- Discounted organized play at Darnell's.
- Be involved in ways we can benefit the community, i.e. scholarships, donations, training etc.
- Be the first to know about organized tournaments, round robins and social events.
- You will receive a monthly newsletter letting you know what is happening in our area and with the LCPC club.

HOW to become a LCPC member.

- During PB playtime at Darnells there will be a membership form. Fill out the form and attach your \$20 cash or check, or you can Venmo this year!
- Or, the form is attached with this email; you can bring it with payment to Darnells any play day.

Club Meeting

There will be an all-club meeting in May. The LCPC board will be on hand to answer questions. More on this in future newsletters.

Survey Says

Thank you to all (a bit over 60) the players who returned the survey. 61% responders were challenge players, the remainder social players.

- The majority thought the dues were just right.
- The majority thought three courts for each of the two play groups was working.
- Some suggestions were made that the Board will look at and try to accommodate.
- Most were interested in further competitive events.
- The majority were interested in social events including potlucks
- Some were interested in volunteering.
- The logo design choices were almost evenly split; Carolyn Anderson is working with a local business that will be making club tee shirts.

Pictures and Information

As the website continues to be developed, Carolyn Anderson would like pictures, drone footage, information pertinent to the Club members including upcoming tournaments, etc. Please submit to c.anderson66@hotmail.com. The web address is at the top of this newsletter.