



Penn Yan Racquet Club

10 Elmwood Avenue Penn Yan, NY 14527

Racquet Club Facility Use Rules 2022-2023

Classes of Players

1. A Full Member is anyone who has paid the full annual dues in full
2. A Pickleball Member is anyone who has paid annual Pickleball dues in full. Pickleball members may only play during designated open Pickleball times
3. A Guest is anyone who is not a member and could reasonably become a member. Guests are limited to 3 visits per fiscal year and has paid a fee per the Guest registration procedure below

Heating

1. Thermostat may only be adjusted by designated personnel
2. The temperature is set at 60 degrees for playing and reducing the cost of dues.
3. Dress appropriately for your comfort
4. The building is heated by radiant heat in the floor for playing Tennis, Pickleball, or Racquetball. It is not heated to keep non-players warm. The temperature will not change for several hours after changing the thermostat because of the large thermal mass of the water in the tubing in the floor

Court Use

1. Only Members, properly registered Guests may use the Tennis, Pickleball, or Racquetball courts
2. Properly registered Guests are defined in the Guest registration procedure below

Member Registration Procedure

1. See How to Join document

Guest Registration Procedure

1. Every Full or Seasonal Member who has a Guest must ensure that before the Guest plays:
 - a. The Guest has signed a Waiver of Liability and the Waiver has been deposited in the lobby box
 - b. There is no Guest fee for the first visit. Subsequent Guests visits are limited to two visits a year for a total of three visits
 - c. The Guest is aware of all the facility's rules
 - d. Guests may use the court only with a Full or Seasonal Member also using the court as host



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Court Reservation Procedure

1. Reservation sign-up is done online through our CourtReserve reservation system
2. Only Full members and Seasonal members may reserve court time
3. Pickleball members may only sign up for designated open Pickleball times
4. Members are responsible for reserving their time in advance as a courtesy to those who wish to check for open playing times
5. Members are responsible for canceling any reservation that they cannot keep as soon as possible as a courtesy so other Members can use the time
6. Please be sure that you are reserving court time for the correct court

Footwear

1. Only clean court shoes may be worn by those playing on Tennis, Pickleball, or Racquetball courts
2. Any footwear that leaves marks on the court or damages the court is not permitted
3. Street shoes must not be worn on the courts. Footwear must be free of mud and salt. Mud or salt will damage the court
4. Examples of unacceptable footwear are any black shoes, athletic shoes, most "Cross Trainers" and many "Running Shoes"

Clean-Up

1. The trash policy is "Pack-it-in/Pack-it-out"
2. We have a limited cleaning service
3. Please use recycle containers for items listed over the drinking fountain

Court Lights

1. Members are responsible for using only the lights on the court that they are using
2. Members are responsible for turning off the lights when no one is waiting to use the court

Under Age 18 Supervision

1. Family members under the age of 18 may not use the court without active adult supervision unless that member has received written approval for unsupervised use from the Board of Directors
2. Active adult supervision means that the adult is actively engaged and focused on the supervision task
3. The club is maintained by volunteers, which means that the adult is the volunteer who agreed to supervise under 18 use of the courts
4. The supervising adult is also responsible for ensuring that the club has a Waiver of Liability signed by the legally responsible parent



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Storage on the Tennis/Pickleball Courts

1. The only items permitted to be stored in the Tennis/Pickleball courts are the club-provided seating and Pickleball nets
2. No personal items or tennis equipment may be stored on the Tennis/Pickleball courts

Racquetball Clean-Up after Use

1. Members will sweep the Racquetball court with the Racquetball cleaning broom after every time they play
2. The Racquetball cleaning broom is labeled and hung in the shower room

Shower Clean-Up

1. Members will follow the Shower Clean-Up procedures posted in or by the shower

Reporting Problems

1. Members will report building, equipment, or dispute problems to a Board member

Respect for Volunteers and Contributions

1. This facility is maintained only by volunteers along with limited cleaning personnel and was constructed mainly with donations
2. It is important that everyone using the club uses the court in a manner that respects the work and contributions of others

Prime Hours Courtesy

1. Monday through Thursday, between 4:00 PM and 8:00 PM are the prime hours for Tennis, Pickleball, and Racquetball court usage
2. It is important to be especially mindful of others during these hours, not use excessive hours, and cancel hours that you cannot use as soon as possible