



Newsletter

PICKLEBALL ROCKS AND MEET OUR NEW BOARD MEMBERS

St Patrick's Mixer - March 21

Sign in at 9:30 am. Must register to participate and be a club member. Last mixer for the season - be sure to attend!

Court Etiquette

Common sense and consideration can go a long way." With over 550 members, practicing court etiquette allows everyone to enjoy the game!

- When entering the courts, take a moment to be aware of the activity.
- Observe the number of players and how many paddles are in the holders.
- Review the paddle rotation guidelines.
- **Observe the level of play prior to placing your paddle on a designated court.** Have you reviewed the court designation guidelines?
- Wear eye protection and hydrate often.
- Be kind, fair, and a good sport.

One person practicing sportsmanship is far better than a hundred teaching it.

Pickleball Rocks Dinner Dance a Huge Success!



A shout out to Sandy Berk and her crew for another wonderful evening. The glow lights were so fun, and everyone remarked the band and buffet were a hit!



Thanks to the Horne Team

For several years, the Horne Team has sponsored our club. The Board distributes the donation across many events including the Beginners clinic, balls for the ball machine, etc. We are grateful for their community support.

Thanks to Bob Briedis

Thank you for several years of service to our club as Treasurer and as the Men's Ladder Captain. Bob and his wife have plans to travel and enjoy the "good life." We wish you well, Bob, and thank you.

New to Our Pickleball Board



Meet Joanne Padgham, Treasurer

My husband, Steve and I have been full-time residents of Sun City for nearly 10 years. I am a CPA by profession and bring many years of experience working with financial records and reporting. I've really enjoyed the friendships, fun, and sense of community that pickleball brings to Sun City, and I volunteered to serve as treasurer as a way to give back and support the club.



Meet Lisa Hadley,

Vice-President of Events

I grew up and raised my family, 3 children, in Vermont. My last employment there was as General Manager of a Jack Nicklaus golf course. I retired in 2009.

I first came to the desert in 2010 and lived part-time at Deep Canyon Tennis Club. In 2021-22 I became co-director of their pickleball program as an IPTPA certified instructor. In 2023 I moved back to Vermont for personal reasons. I resumed teaching pickleball there but soon decided I was, in fact, over winter. I found my new home here in SCPD in 2024 and am finally home.