

FEBRUARY, 2024 LPC NEWS

Good morning everyone!

SPECIAL EVENTS

Save The Dates for these planned Special Events!

Black Light Pickleball at 3rd Shot Pickleball in Longmont. The 4-6pm session is full but there are still a few slots left in the 6-8pm session. Please register no later than Feb. 6!

Saturday, April 27.

Pickleball Expo at Osborn. Brief coaching sessions for new players and open play on the other courts.

Play is free for the day!

May 10 – 12.

Spring Mixer. Get reacquainted after the long winter.

June 2

Hybrid Pickleball

12 players in wheelchairs partnered with 12 players on their feet. Help us introduce pickleball to the wheelchair community!

August 10 – 11.

Benefit Pickleball Tournament at Mehaffey. Benefitting the Parks and Recreation Foundation. Help low-income youth participate in Parks programs throughout the year.

September 13- 15.

Annual LPC Club Tournament. At Mehaffey.

Friday, February 9.

PICKLR TOURNAMENT

The Picklr is having a tournament on Sunday, February 11 and is looking for one more team to play. Ideally a 3.0 team. Contact Cody Pech at cpech56@gmail.com for more information.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

We want to make it as easy as possible for you to make any needed payments to the LPC. We now accept Zelle! Zelle is a payment app that lets you send money fast and for free. Using Zelle saves the Club from paying transaction fees on the use of credit cards. In 2023, the LPC spent nearly \$1200 on credit card transaction fees!

If you would like to set up Zelle, scan this QR code and follow the instructions. Send Zelle payments to pattylowelpc@gmail.com.



DEMO PADDLES

If you're interested in upgrading your paddle for the year, be sure to check out the Demo Paddle section on our website. I've got about 18 paddles on-hand that members are welcome to try out.

MISCELLANEOUS

We have a few items available for purchase for anyone interested.

- Franklin X-40 outdoor pickleballs in Optic Green. These are the standard balls that we've been using in outdoor play for the last several years. Every player is expected to provide their own balls when playing. Don't be that guy who always goes out on the court and asks "Anyone bring a ball?" Still \$10 for a bag of 4 balls. All Board members will have these bags available all year long!
- I have a few remaining LPC-logoed short-sleeve shirts available. Men's Heather Blue in L. Men's Royal Blue in L. Ladies Royal Blue XL. And Ladies Red in L. One shirt of each available. Still only \$17, while they last. Please let me know ASAP if you would like one.

FREE FOOT CLINIC

Fit-RX in Ft. Collins is offering a free event on foot agility on Wednesday, March 6 at 4:00pm. Please see the attached flyer for more information and to register.

SPONSOR SPOTLIGHT – Please thank our sponsors and give them your support. If you know of any business or professional service that might be a good fit as a sponsor, please contact Sandy Thayer at SandyThayerSells@gmail.com

Healing Kneaded Massage, LLC was created with the philosophy of providing quality massage services at affordable prices. Specializing in **sports and medical massage**, it is the perfect fit for pickleball players and weekend warriors. New clients get an introductory offer of \$10 off their first massage. Click on the following link to the Healing Kneaded Massage for services rendered and prices. <https://healingkneadedmassage.com/menu%2Fprice-list>

Call Stacey at 303-921-4780 for more information or to schedule an appointment.

BOARD INFORMATION

Feel free to contact any member of the 2024 Board at their email address below.

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All LPC members are welcome to attend our monthly Board meetings. Meetings will typically be on the second Monday of the month at 2:00pm. Our February meeting will be held at 2:00pm on Monday, Feb. 12. Please let us know **by February 9** if you're planning to attend. Please send a note to lovelandpickleball80538@gmail.com We'll decide where to have the meeting based on planned attendance.

See you on the courts.

Bob