



TRU Specific Covid 19 guidelines for play

Remember to:

Wash your hands, don't touch your face, physical distance at all times, and be safe!!
Remember to bring – your own balls, hand sanitizer, paddle, mask and plenty of water

- If you are not feeling well, if you have any symptoms such as cough, fever, difficulty breathing or have been in contact with someone that is not feeling well, DO NOT COME to the pickleball courts.
- If you have just come back from another country in the previous 14 days, you cannot play or attend the facility – you should be self-isolating at home as per Provincial Health Officer's directions/orders.
- Bookings and payments will be done with reservations through SignUpGenius. All members must sign up, make their payment and have contact information available on their SignUpGenius reservation
- During all scheduled indoor time NO drop-ins will be permitted. Only members who have a reservation through SignUpGenius will be permitted to play during these times. DO NOT SHOW UP AT THE VENUE TO PLAY WITHOUT A RESERVATION, YOU WILL BE TURNED AWAY
- There will be no refunds for "no shows" of reservations. If you are unable to make a signup, please find a substitute and enter their information on the signup. Only players whose names appear on the signup will be allowed to play so if you substitute with someone, make sure their name is entered on the signup. Players must handle payment of substituted signups between themselves. The club will not be responsible for handling changes in booking payments.

For play at TRU Gym:

- KPC Members must arrive ready and in appropriate attire. Locker rooms are not available. Please do not use the washrooms for changing
- **Participants** must have their own water bottle and own towel
- Masks will be worn by all KPC members from their car, upon entering, changing shoes, setting up and taking down nets and leaving the TRU gym. This will be strictly enforced.
- Masks can be removed once on the courts and ready to play
- Hand sanitizer must be used prior to entering the courts
- Hands will be sanitized during every water break (or every 15-20 minutes)
- Upon completion of a session, ensure all equipment is cleaned
- All individuals must follow facility signage strictly.
- All participants must complete a waiver (attached) and submit to the club prior to play
- All participants must have a reservation made through SignUpGenius. No drop in play will be allowed. Reservations will allow for 15 minutes between sessions. This gap provides enough time for players to end play, sanitize the equipment and leave the courts. Please leave the courts at your designated times. Do not continue playing until the next players show up. This is in violation of the 16 person maximum imposed by TRU. You will be subject to penalties which could include reservation privileges suspended temporarily or permanently, membership suspension or worse depending on the infraction

- At TRU if the doors are locked, please contact security at the number listed on your SignUpGenius reservation. It is extremely important that you are respectful of security and the responsibility they have. They have many jobs to do and it is important to be patient while awaiting them to open doors etc. Any reports of verbal abuse of the security personnel by KPC members will result in automatic suspension
- The players in the first time slot of the day are responsible for the putting up of the nets on their respective courts. The players in the last time slot of the day are responsible for taking down the nets and securing in the storage room at the gym
- Wash your hands, sanitize your paddle/balls/water bottle before you arrive at the courts as well as when you depart the courts
- Make sure you have enough water with you to avoid touching the water tap at the courts

Indoor play carries a higher risk of transmission than outdoor play. Ways to stay safe include:

- Play within your bubble - Play with a partner only from within your bubble
 - allows you to play while maintaining physical distancing from opponents.
- Doubles mixing permitted within court only - switch partners within your group of 4
 - allows you to play however increases risk with mixing of bubbles
- Round robin play and mixing of teams - mixing with players on other courts
 - this is riskiest and not encouraged during indoor play at this time

Guidelines

- It is expected players will find a partner and create their own pairing with another couple so they can play to their level.
- Players must use their own personal sanitizer after any contact with the entrance/exit gates to the courts.
- Be aware of contact points: storage locker, seating areas, garbage can, nets, net mover and net bags. Use personal sanitizer after any contacts or ideally, wash hands thoroughly before and after playing.
- Players must supply their own pickleballs and paddles and must ensure they are sanitized/disinfected prior to using at the courts. Touch only the ball played by your group (singles or doubles), all other balls that come into your court, please kick or pass with your paddle, do not pick up and throw the ball. Disinfect ball between play times.
- Do not shake hands or tap paddles at any time before, during or after games – opt for a smile, tip of the hat or thanks from appropriate distances.
- Refrain from touching anything that is not yours including picking up paddles, balls or other items left behind.
- Please be cognizant of your session end time and finish your games promptly on time.

Note: By accepting these guidelines to play pickleball during club time, you waive all rights and indemnify Kamloops Pickleball Club and the City of Kamloops of all wrong doings.

Please note that pickleball play in contravention of local, provincial or federal laws or regulations is not an Authorized Activity and consequently is not covered by Pickleball Canada insurance.

Take care, be safe, be calm, be kind