

Jan 6, 2025

Here is the latest update for the Pickleball Club:

Happy New Year! Hopefully everyone is ready for a great year. Here's what's new as we ring in 2025.....

**Annual Membership Dues:** If you have not paid your dues for 2025, you must do so immediately. Please remit your renewal dues of \$30 by mailing a check made out to "SCC Pickleball Club" to P.O. Box 5761 Sun City Center FL 33571.

**QR Code:** A QR code is already on the bulletin board to get to Sign-Up Genius and sign up for the ERNE ball machine training. A QR code is going up shortly to get directly to our fantastic website, so look for that real soon.

**Pizza Night:** The next Pizza Night social is Tuesday January 14th. Sign up on Team Reach.

**Donation of Pickleballs:** A big thanks to Ernie Ziegler for donating 36 balls to the club. Your contribution is appreciated!

**Super Bowl Pickleball Social:** The Super Bowl is on **Sunday, February 9th** at 6:30 pm. Come out and enjoy some pickleball from **2 pm to 4 pm** that afternoon as we host a pre-Super Bowl Pickleball social. We are looking for people who have corn hole boards to bring them, so we have other activities that afternoon. We plan on having some fun games during that event, so bring a couple of dollars if you desire to participate (you can take a chance on the super bowl prizes during both January socials if you can't make it on February 9th.) The club will provide hot dogs, but please bring your own drinks and your favorite tailgating food to share. Look for the sign-up on Team Reach soon.

**Pickleball Clinics:** The schedule of clinics for January is now available on Sign-Up Genius. You still have time to take advantage of the "buy two, get one free" clinic special if you schedule during January. Contact Greg Eisman at 985-285-6267.

**More clinic information on our website:**

Club Pro page: <https://sccflpickleball.club/learn/club-pro/>

Clinic SignUp Genius page: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c084ca8af29a7f4c52-pickeball#/>

**Court Maintenance Update:** We FINALLY have all eight courts back in operation after the damage sustained during the hurricane. Please take advantage of our courts and get out there and play!

**New Pickleball Board:** Your new pickleball board is now in place and they are anxious to make 2025 the best year yet on the pickleball courts. Please check the Team Reach calendar as well as these emails to find out about the latest scheduled events. For instance, in addition to pizza nights and lunch socials, we have an ERNE ball machine demo planned as well as tentative socials for Valentine's Day and St. Patrick's Day on the calendar. If you are interested in helping in any capacity with these fun events, please contact Pete Cabral.

**Calendar of Events:**

Tuesday, January 14th Pizza Night social (6:00-7:30pm)

Saturday, January 25th ERNE demo (9:00-10:00am)/Lunch at the Courts social (9:00-Noon)

Sunday, February 9th Pre-Super Bowl pickleball social at the courts (2:00-4:00pm)

Friday, February 14th Valentine's Day social "Hit the Sweet Spot" (6:00-8:00pm)

Tuesday, February 25th Pizza Night social (6:00-7:30pm)

Saturday, March 8th FunFest (we need volunteers to help run the booth)

See you on the courts!!