



What is PICKLEBALL?

Pickleball is a game that combines elements from tennis, badminton and ping-pong...and is one of the fastest growing sports in North America! This is a great family-friendly game that is very accessible to almost everyone, regardless of age or athletic ability. Pickleball is a racquet sport in which two to four players use a whiffle ball and composite paddles on a surface half the size of a tennis court with a net lowered to 34" in the center. The court is striped like a tennis court with no alleys and the outer courts are divided in half by service lines. The inner courts are non-volley zones and extend 7' from the net on either side. The whiffle ball travels at about one-third the speed of a tennis ball. You don't need a powerful stroke because this game is not about power but of shot placement and accuracy.

Pickleball is lots of fun for the experienced and non-experienced!

From November through April pickleball is played indoors. There are three indoor pickleball courts at the Western Sussex Boys & Girls Club located at 310 Virginia Ave, Seaford, DE, Phone:(302) 628-3789. The Seaford Pickleball Club plays every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9 am – 12 at the Western Sussex Boys & Girls Club. (See [Pickleball Calendar](#) for exact days and times.)

From May through October pickleball is played outside. There are three pickleball courts located behind Seaford High School, 399 N Market St, Seaford, DE 19973. The Seaford Pickleball Club plays every Monday and Thursday from 9 am – 12 pm, weather permitting. (See [Pickleball Calendar](#) for exact days and times.)

You may join the Boys & Girls Club for \$25/individual, \$20/senior, or \$30/family per month or pay \$6/day for drop-in sessions (you have use of the facility weight room and pool for the entire day). A separate membership to the Seaford Pickleball Club is \$5, which helps defray costs for equipment, balls, and other club activities, such as tournaments and pickleball parties! There are no extra fees for playing on the outside courts.

PICKLEBALL ... A competitive game for experienced players, we are always happy to introduce prospective new players to this fast growing sport. Interested visitors and experienced players are encouraged to come. There are multiple courts to accommodate everyone!

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