

2023 Fall Fun League

The 7th Annual Fall Fun League will be divided into two leagues: An Intermediate and an Advanced League. Each league will be assigned a League Captain and there will be a League Commissioner that will oversee both Leagues. Players will play a 5-week league individually being paired with a different partner and opponent each game. The weekly schedule will consist of 4 games per week for a maximum weekly point available of 44 (4 games x 11 points). Women will play 2 Gender Doubles and 2 Mixed, while the Men will play a hybrid of 2-3 Gender Doubles and 1-2 Mixed. This format is due to both leagues having 8 female players and 16 male players for a total of 24 players per league.

Scoring: Each game will be played to 11 points, win by 1 to ensure that all games won have a maximum score of 11 points. Awards at the end of the league are based on **TOTAL POINTS**. Awards will be given to the top three scores for each league (gender neutral). Cumulative scores / standings will be posted on club website weekly.

Line Calling Responsibilities: Line calls are players' responsibilities on your end of the court. Per rule, a player shall not call a ball "out" unless they can clearly see a space between the line and the ball as it hits the ground. (Rule 6.D.6). If you are unsure, the ball must be considered "in". Please respect your opponents' line calls.

Ties: In the event of a tie at the end of the 5 weeks of league play, point differential will be used for first tie-breaker. If a tie still exists, a match of skinny singles will be played (Format TBD).

Schedule: Intermediate League Mondays 1:30pm – 3pm (October 2-30) – Courts 1-6 (24 registered players)
Advanced League Wednesdays 10:30am – noon (October 4-Nov 1) - Courts 1-6 (24 registered players)

Registration and Fees: \$15 for the 5-week League with a Social Event at conclusion of league play. Each league will have a maximum of 32 players with a waitlist in the event someone drops out before the start of league.

Sub Players: In the event that a League player is unable to play, they are required to request a sub player from the **League Captain** at least 24 hours in advance. **Players may not arrange for their own sub players**. The League player will only earn a maximum of 7 points per game from the sub player. The sub player **MUST** be of the same gender. An Intermediate sub player can sub on either the Intermediate League or the Advanced League, but Advanced sub players can only sub in the Advanced League.

Late Arrival – if a player is not present 10 min after start time, the first match will be forfeited with a score of 11-0. If tardy player presents after forfeit, s/he will be allowed to play subsequent matches. Every attempt will be made to contact missing player; if a sub has been called to replace missing player, sub will play all scheduled matches for that day.

Injuries: In the event a player sustains an injury during league play and is unable to finish their matches for that day, a retirement will be scored for the game in progress with the winner scoring 11 and the retiring player (and their partner) will retain any points they have earned in that match. Any subsequent matches for that day that are not played will have a score of 11-0 recorded. For example, a player completes both of their gender double games but gets injured during the first mixed doubles game when they had a score 6 – that game will be recorded as 11-6 in favor of their opponents and the other un-played mixed doubles match will be recorded as 11-0 in favor of their opponents.

Registration Fees: Registration fees (\$15.00) **are payable on the first day of league**. If you are paying by check, make payable to Sun City Anthem Community, Assoc. Inc. If you have arranged with your League Captain to be absent the first day of league, **please make sure you pay your fees before the first day of league or immediately upon your return**.

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