# QUNIVERSITY HEALTH GUB 3" ANNUAL DECKLEBALLS TOURNAMENT



## Doubles Tournament February 22 & March 1 \$20.00 per team

## Entries due by February 19th



2 Matches Guaranteed Female & COED play February 22

Male division plays March 1

Brackets will be determined once all entries have been accepted.

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### PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY (You will be contacted via Email)

Team member 1:						
	(NAME)	(PHONE)	(EMAIL)			
Team member 2:						
	(NAME)	(PHONE)	(EMAIL)			
Team Name:			Choose Entry:	COED	Female	Male

LIABILITY WAIVER AND RELEASE/ASSUMPTION OF RISK. I hereby affirm that I am in proper physical condition to participate in 2025 February/March Pickleball Tournament. In consideration of my participation in this event, I hereby agree to fully assume any and all risk of personal injury and property damage that may arise from my participation and attendance at any Pickleball event. I further agree to waive any and all claims for myself and my heirs for personal injury and property damage, of any kind or character whatsoever, against the Board of Regents of the University of Oklahoma, its employees, officers, directors and all sponsors and their agents, servants and employees, as well as all other event location owners and organizations, all participating companies and organizations and volunteers, hereinafter, collectively referred to as the ("Releasees"), and hereby release the Releasees from all liability for any such claims of injury or illness which may directly or indirectly arise from, or occur as a result of my participating in the Pickleball events.

**INDEMNITY**. In further consideration of acceptance of this entry to participate in and attend the Pickleball Tournament, I hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees from and against any and all claims of third parties, including but not limited to fellow employees and members of the public, for personal injury and/or property damage which may result from or be caused by the undersigned's intentional, deliberate or negligent conduct while engaging in and/or attending the 2025 February Pickleball Tournament. This indemnity shall survive my participation in and attendance at the Pickleball events.

**PERMISSION TO USE NAME AND PHOTO.** I understand that while participating in the 2025 February/March Pickleball Tournament I may be photographed by the Releasees or their agents. I hereby grant my permission to the Releasees the exclusive and free right to tape, broadcast, telecast, video, sell, photograph, record, or use in any other electronic or mechanical reproduction in connection with the Pickleball Tournament, my name or my likeness alone or with other persons, together with alterations or edited versions of the foregoing.

**CANCELLATION AND START TIME.** I understand that the 2025 February/March Pickleball Tournament may be canceled in the sole judgment and discretion, including if unsafe conditions exist for any reason, but not limited to rain, snow, sleet, hail, lightening, tornado conditions, heat, civil disturbances, strikes or any other circumstances found to cause unsafe conditions by sponsors.

I further agree that the starting time of the event may be changed at the sole discretion of the Releasees.

By signing this form, I acknowledge that I have read this 2025 February/March Pickleball Tournament Release Form in its entirety, and fully understand if I am signing as the parent or legal guardian of a minor participant. I accept these terms and agree to this release on behalf of and in the interest of the minor, and agree with its contents, and fully accept all of its terms, conditions, and provisions.

Team Member 1 Signature:	Da	ate
Team Member 2 Signature:	Da	ate

Tournament Information

- Tournament is schedule to play on Saturday, February 22<sup>nd</sup> & Saturday, March 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Women's and Coed's divisions will play February 22<sup>nd</sup>, Men's division will play March 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Tournament start time is dependent on the number of teams signed up to play.
- There are 3 separate possible divisions to enter: Women's Doubles, Men's Doubles, or Coed Doubles.
- Each doubles team is made up of 2 people.
- Health club members, students, faculty, staff, and community members are welcome to enter.
- Each team member entered must pay a \$10.00 entry fee. A total of \$20.00 per team.
- If an individual wishes to play but does not have a partner, submit an entry form but do not pay the entry fee until the tournament director is able to pair the individual with another player.

Tournament Style/Seeding

- Bracket style will be created based on the number of entries.
- Any division with only 1-2 teams may be added to another division.
- Each team will play a minimum of 2 matches.
- There will be no seeding, players will be matched randomly to play their opponents.
- A bracket will be created with approximate start times and posted prior to the tournament date.

#### Scoring/Matches

- Scoring and rules will be the same as USA Pickleball official rules:
  - o <u>https://usapickleball.org/what-is-pickleball/</u>
- A win will be determined by winning the best 2 out of a 3-game match.
- All the games of a match are played to 11 points. Each game must be won by 2 points.

#### **Tournament Play**

- Faults and lines will be called by opposing players.
- Disputes will be settled by a replay of the point.
- Matches are to be played by the deadline that will be posted on each scheduled match to avoid delaying tournament progress.
- If the match deadline is not met, then one or both players may have to forfeit the present round.
- A substitute player will be allowed in the event of one teammate no-showing as long as the opposing team approves.
- The substitute must be available to play at the scheduled time of the match and must finish the match he or she began even if the no-show teammate arrives late.
- The length of the tournament will depend on the number of entries as well as the speed of matches played.
- Unsportsmanlike conduct will not be tolerated.

#### Equipment

- Athletic non-marking shoes are always required to play.
- If you do not have your own, paddles and balls are available to use from the welcome desk.
- Balls will be provided unless both players agree to use a different one.

#### Miscellaneous

- Spectators are allowed to watch from the bleachers but are not allowed access to the locker rooms or any other fitness areas.
- Restrooms for spectators are located in the Olympic Training Room on the first floor.
- Snacks and beverages are available for purchase at the welcome desk.