

## **YMCA Clash of the Paddles Pickleball Tournament**

**Dates: Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> and Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

Location: Hodag Dome, Rhinelander HS

Start: 8am each day (exact starting time will be determined upon closing of registration)

Fee: \$35 per person, \$10 for an additional division

Registration deadline is Sunday, March 10<sup>th</sup>.

Final roster information (brackets, times, competition) will be emailed on Tuesday, March 19

Divisions:

Saturday-Men's Doubles and Women's Doubles

Sunday- Mixed Double.

Sunday- 65+ Open

Custom designed T-Shirt to all participants

- Woman's fitted T-shirt runs small. Order a size larger than usual.

Sign up with a partner (if you need a partner email Marilyn Duschl [mduschl@ymcannw.org](mailto:mduschl@ymcannw.org))

General Information

- Round Robin Tournament with possible mini playoff for top teams.
- Registration is limited.
- Men's and Women's will be played on Saturday.
- Mixed and 65+ will be played on Sunday. Play is possible in both divisions.
- The tournament is open to all ages and abilities.
- Brackets set following registration for competitive play based on total of partners ratings. (3.25 player + 3.75 player= 7.00 team). *Please rate yourself fairly.*
- An accurate USAPA Rating will assist with correct placement of teams.
  - **For information on ratings go to <https://usapickleball.org/tournaments/tournament-player-ratings/player-skill-rating-definitions/>**
- The top 3 teams receive awards in each bracket.
- An awards ceremony follows completion of each bracket.
- Franklin X40 yellow balls will be used for all play.
- Food will be available for purchase. NO food is allowed in the Dome.
- Questions regarding registration contact Marilyn Duschl at [mduschl@ymcanw.org](mailto:mduschl@ymcanw.org) (715-362-9622 ext118).
- Questions regarding brackets/scoring contact Nancy Federle at [ndlfederle@gmail.com](mailto:ndlfederle@gmail.com) (715-362-3552).
- Practice is available at the Hodag Done on Friday, March 22 from 6-8pm.

### **Registration**

**Three ways to register- online, in-person or mail in.**

**Online registration-** go to [ymcaofthenorthwoods.org](http://ymcaofthenorthwoods.org)

1. Click on Spring Pickleball Tournament 2024
2. Choose Bracket (Men's, women's, mixed, 65+)
3. Complete registration
  - a. Name, address, etc
  - b. When asked, indicate USPA rating, T-shirt size, partners name, partners rating.
  - c. Click register.
4. If this is the only bracket you are registering for, click payment. You will be asked to pay \$35 by credit card.
5. If you are registering for a second or third bracket choose " register for another program" and choose the additional bracket which will be \$10.
  - a. Click Register
  - b. Complete information (rating, partners name and partners rating)
  - c. Then you will be directed to pay the registration fee.
6. Click payment and you will be asked to pay based on the number of brackets you have registered for.

**In person** Registration will be taken at the YMCA of the Northwoods at 2003 E Winnebago St, Rhinelander, WI during regular hours of operation. Check website for Winter hours.

**Mail in registration-**Please complete form located on website and mail to YMCA of the Northwoods, 2003 E Winnebago St, Rhinelander, WI 54501 along with payment.

### **Holiday Inn Express & Suites**

A small block of rooms has been reserved for pickleball players with a discounted room rate. This new hotel is located close to the Y and the Hodag Dome. You can make reservations until February 23rd and receive the discount. The phone number is 715-420-2201 and is located at 1958 Navajo St, Rhinelander, WI 54501