

**EFFECTIVE
MAY 1, 2020**

**MONTANA
ATHLETIC CLUB
— BIGFORK —**

**ALL TENNIS AND PICKLEBALL
POLICIES & PROCEDURES...
WILL GO INTO EFFECT MAY 1ST**

MAC TENNIS/PICKLEBALL MEMBERSHIP PRICING

Membership (includes single, couple, family and pickleball):

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| 1. All Season, "Nets up to Nets down" | \$100 |
| 2. From July 1 st to "Nets down" | 75 |
| 3. From August 1 st to "Nets down" | 50 |
| 4. From September 1 st to "Nets down" | 25 |

Normal membership form filled out. Membership picture taken, card given. Tennis/Pickleball Members can charge to their accounts and will be billed accordingly. **Tennis/Pickleball members can use the locker room facilities on the day of their reservation only.** These Memberships are not transferrable.

Non-Member Court Fees:

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| 1. With a MAC/Club Tennis Member | \$ 5.00 |
| 2. Without a MAC/Club Tennis Member | 5.00 |
| 3. Week Pass <small>7 consecutive days, tennis only, first come-first serve reservations</small> | 35.00 |
| 4. Pickle Ball Day Pass | 5.00 |

Fee is per day. **Includes tennis/pickleball court usage ONLY.** **Additional fees apply to use the entire MAC facility (normal guest fees).** Non-members cannot make reservations, can use the courts as a first come-first serve basis. Once they are on the court, a member cannot cut their allotted time short.

MONTANA ATHLETIC CLUB

Court Reservation Rules:

- 1). Montana Athletic Club Phone Number: 406-837-2582
- 2). Only MAC Members (must be at least a monthly member), MAC Tennis/pickleball Members and our sister clubs (PEAK facilities, Wave, Rain, Harbor Square, Liberty Lake) can reserve a court.
- 3). **RESERVATIONS:** MAC Members can reserve a court up to **72** hours in advance. MAC Tennis/pickleball Members only can reserve a court **48** hours in advance. When making a court reservation, please ask what type of member the caller is. Non-members can reserve a court when they arrive. Once non-members are playing they have the court for the standard length of time.
- 4). Only 1 court can be reserved by a member at a time per day. Different family members can reserve at different times.
- 5). Reservations can be made in person or by calling the MAC.
- 6). When making a reservation by phone, you may not call ahead of time (before 72 hrs) and be placed on hold. You must call at the appropriate time.
- 7). **Length of Reservations:** A maximum of up to 1 ½ hr for singles & 2 hours for doubles per reservation per member per day. If the court is open prior to or after your reservation, the court is yours, until the next reservation for your court.
- 8). **No Back to Back Court reservations** – No player can play in back to back court reservations. You can play more than once a day, you just can't have more than one court reservation in your name in a day and there must be a 1 ½ hr time slot in between your playing times.
 - Repeat Reservations** – Groups can have a repeat reservation, in other words, the same time each week, without calling. There are two conditions: ALL people playing tennis on the reserved court MUST be at least Tennis Members. If there is one unannounced no-show, then that repeat time becomes void for the remainder of the season. All repeat reservations must be cleared through Doug.
 - Cancellation Policy** – MAC Members must cancel 48 hours prior to the reservation. Tennis Members must cancel 24 hours prior to reservation. Failure to do so will result in the court time being charged to your account.
- 9). **Courtesy to other Members & Guests:** Please be courteous of other members and their guests when it is time to change courts.
- 10). Courts Fees: Members **don't** pay for court time. Non-member guest fees: \$5.00 per day.
- 11). **72 hour rule:** You can call or book a court in person up to 72 hours in advance. Example: If you want to play on Thursday at 5:30pm you can call or make an in person reservation on or after 5:30pm on Monday or anytime in between. You **can not** make a reservation before 5:30pm on Monday for Thursday at 5:30pm. (The same applies for the 24 hour rule)
- 12). Reservations left via e-mail, text or voice mails will not be considered

Member/Guest Check-in Policy

- 1). **All Tennis/Pickleball Players must check in at the Front Desk before playing.**
- 2). **All guest fees must be paid before non-members play.** If a Tennis/pickleball Member or MAC Member has a guest that does not pay, *that guest fee will be charged to their account.*
- 3). Proper tennis shoes & attire are required. No black soled or marking shoes are allowed.

MAC Racquet Lesson Rates:

Tennis Instructor – Paul Wallin (USPTA)

Prices: **Tennis Instructor – Paul Wallin**

Private Lessons: **(1 person lessons)**

\$35.00 per 1 hour block

Package Deals on Privates: Pay for 5 get 6th one FREE (paid in advance)

Prices: **Tennis Instructor – Paul Wallin**

Semi - Private Lessons: **(2 person lessons)**

\$18.00 per person per 1 hour block

Package Deals on Privates: Pay for 5 get 6th one FREE (paid in advance)

Prices: **Tennis Instructor – Paul Wallin**

Group Lessons: **(3 person lessons)**

Member or Non-Member:

\$12.00 per person per 1 hour block

Package Deals on Privates: Pay for 5 get 6th one FREE (paid in advance)

Further information on Tennis Lessons can be obtained by emailing
Paul Wallin at pbwallin78@gmail.com

Pickleball Instructor – Steven Michaud (IPTPA)

Call or email Steven for pricing and details:

pickleballsteven@gmail.com

520-603-0350

Tennis/Pickleball Instructor's usage of the courts:

During Prime Times: Monday through Friday 9:00am to 12:00pm there will only be a maximum of two (2) pros allowed on the court at a time. There are no Prime time hours on the weekends

All other times there can be up to 3 professionals on the court.

CHECK-IN

For all activities at the tennis club we will remind participants to check in at the front desk. All weekly activities will have a weekly checking roster that the participants must sign-in or swipe their cards to say they are here. All professionals will also have a roster on court to make sure we keep track of who is here per day.

Please check with the Pro or at the Front Desk for a listing of Classes/Clinics/Programs.

Racquet Stringing Policy:

We have people who can string Tennis, Racquetball and Squash racquets. Price varies for racquet type and string brand. Please contact the Front Desk for details.

2020 PICKLEBALL UPDATE:

UPDATE FOR THIS YEAR, WE ARE GOING TO HAVE EVERYONE CHECK IN AT THE FRONT DESK PRIOR TO COMING OUT TO THE COURTS. NO OUTSIDE CHECK-IN. So please do not be surprised if I ask you 5 or 6 times this year if you have checked in at the front.

MONDAY Noon - 3:00pm OPEN PLAY
Hosted by: LOOKING FOR A VOLUNTEER

TUESDAY Noon - 3:00pm OPEN PLAY
Hosted by: LOOKING FOR A VOLUNTEER

WEDNESDAY Noon - 3:00pm COMPETITIVE PLAY (ROUND ROBIN) Blind
Draw, Minimum 5 Player Max 24
Hosted by: Tom Draney – 602-920-9881

Noon Warm up, Starts promptly at 12:20pm – STARTS JUNE 10th – Show up at Noon to warm up, Draw a number and Tom will have the Round Robin Chart for you. No software this year or signups.

June 3 Noon - 3:00pm OPEN PLAY, NO HOST

THURSDAY Noon - 4:00pm COMPETITIVE PLAY (SHOOT OUT) TARTS
JUNE 4 No Signups required. Rankings continued from last year.
Hosted by Dru Renschler – 480-353-6450

To be included arrive by 12:40pm to play. Once play starts no one will be added. Dru has ultimate overrides and authority. If possible, please show up at 2:20pm to help setup nets and warm up. This can be done as early as Noon.

FRIDAY Noon - 3:00pm OPEN PLAY, NO HOST

IF YOU WANT TO KEEP THESE TIME SLOTS GOING, PLEASE PLEASE PLEASE PARK IN THE GRASS on the Side of the Tennis Court. Let me know if you need help finding it. If your able to carpool, please do so.

If you're interested in evening play please let me know, as I have the potential of set something up for you as well.

MORNING PLAY on court 1 will be allowed to resume June 1st 2020.

M,T,W,TH,F 8:00 TO NOON THERE WILL BE VERY LIMITED REGULAR PLAY (ONLY COURT ONE AVAILABLE).

The permanent court (court one) will NOT be reservable during these hours. Open play can take place for those who have to play in the mornings. The rule is: first come, first serve, then paddles up, winners stay and split unless too many players are waiting, then it is 4 on, 4 off. This one court will be under strict Pickleball etiquette. All requests to use other courts will be denied during this time. You must put your paddle up and wait your turn to play. No one is to be turned away. It is our hope that not more than 7 people will show up for morning play so that social distancing does not become an issue.

PLAYERS IN THE MORNING, IF YOU WANT TO KEEP THIS TIME SLOT GOING, PLEASE PLEASE PLEASE PARK IN THE GRASS on the side of the Tennis Court. Let me know if you need help finding it. If your able to carpool please do so.

COMPLAINTS, SUGGESTIONS: Please direct any complaints or suggestions directly to Steven Michaud – 520-603-0350 – pickleballsteven@gmail.com

The person hosting the daily event has ultimate authority for that days event. What they say goes during their hosted event. Please understand that these positions are all voluntary. Anyone volunteering in these positions is doing so for the good and benefit of the program.

NETS UP AND NETS DOWN – The Organizers are not responsible for putting up the nets and taking down the nets. They are there to help facilitate the event and keep play moving. Please help by putting up the nets for them, and before you leave taking one down OR at least offering. We'd love to keep our volunteers happy and teach newbie pickleball players the "Pickleball Way".

NEW NOTIFICATION OPTION

IF YOU PREFER TO GET THESE NOTICES AND LAST MINUTE CHANGES BY TEXT MESSAGE please reply to this email or text to Steven directly. I will get you added to a special text message group for updates.

Steven Cell: 520-603-0350

Pickleball court reservations for private play are available ONLY outside of club times in the afternoons/evenings.

Some lessons or clinics may occur during normal play time.