

VENTURE OUT PICKLEBALL CLUB

MEMBER/GUEST CODE OF CONDUCT

1. The Venture Out Pickleball Club is a volunteer-run organization where members are expected to share in the responsibilities and tasks essential to keeping the Club running smoothly (e.g., setting up for play, cleaning up, and properly storing equipment after play).
2. Members and guests are encouraged to share ideas and recommendations with the Board to help improve the Club's operations and activities.
3. Members and guests will treat all fellow players, volunteers, referees, ratings officials, and Board members with courtesy, respect, and honesty at all times.
4. Any safety-related concerns should be voiced respectfully and promptly to those involved and then reported to the Board if necessary.
5. Members and guests will refrain from damaging the Club's reputation through negative or inappropriate comments, whether verbal or written.
6. Members and guests will not speak on behalf of the Club unless specifically authorized by the Board.
7. Members and guests will respect and abide by the Club's By-Laws and the rules governing its facilities.
8. Members and guests understand that failure to follow the Club's By-Laws or this Code of Conduct may result in disciplinary action by the Board. Consequences may range from a simple discussion to termination of membership.
9. Members and guests are expected to help foster a welcoming environment that upholds the dignity of all participants and is free from discrimination and harassment.
10. Members and guests will bring unresolved concerns, policy breaches, or issues that negatively affect the enjoyment of the Club and its facilities to the Board's attention.
11. When appropriate, members are encouraged to respectfully remind guests, visitors, and fellow members of expected standards of behavior during Club activities.