



**AUGUST 23**



Overall the **Daytona International Speedway Sundown Showdown Tournament** was a huge success. Throughout the series, 94 teams with a total of 453 players competed. We saw a lot of very close matches. There were a total of 250 medals awarded. The age range of participants was 13 to 76. *Congratulations to all the winning teams!*

*We're so grateful for our volunteers!*

We had 34 volunteers help with the tournaments for a total of 346 volunteer hours!

Read more **HERE**.

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Click on the links below to see the full lists of winning teams!

Men's Medal Winners [HERE!](#)  
Mixed Medal Winners [HERE!](#)  
Womens' Medal Winners [HERE!](#)



Join your fellow Pictona members for an unforgettable evening at Jackie Robinson Stadium as we celebrate the end of summer! Help us celebrate the final game of the 2024 season for the Daytona Tortugas. \$29 includes your ticket to the game, a delicious pre-game buffet, and non-alcoholic beverages!

Pictona members can bring up to **FOUR** guests, by registering at the link below.

**REGISTER FOR THE TORTUGAS GAME HERE**



Camp Pictona will once again be holding 3-day camps this fall and winter for beginner and intermediate levels. Pictona instructors are highly experienced at teaching pickleball players how to improve their games. Camp Pictona will not only provide you with a warm escape, but will provide quality instruction and lots and lots of playing opportunities help make that winter seem much shorter!

For more information, including how to register click **HERE**.

#### Camp Dates:

- November 11-13, 2024: Skill Level 2.5 - 3.5
- December 11-13, 2024: Skill level 3.0 - 4.0
- January 29-31, 2024: Skill level 2.5 - 3.5
- February 18-20, 2025: Skill level 3.0 - 4.0
- March 12-14, 2025: Skill level 2.5 - 3.0



# SEPTEMBER FLEX LEAGUES

**PAY-AS-YOU-  
OPT-IN FORMAT!**

**8 DAYS  
OF PLAY!**

September Leagues are OPEN for registration!

2.5 - 3.49 Flex League Sign Up - [HERE!](#)

3.0 - 3.99 Flex League Sign Up - [HERE!](#)

3.5, 4.0+ Flex League Sign Up - [HERE!](#)



## *We're Hiring!*

# Retail Sales Specialist

## Part -Time

### **Exciting Job Opportunity as Retail Sales Specialist!**

Our newly expanded Player Shop is opening soon. If you enjoy providing great customer service and assisting our Pictona customers with all things pickleball including clothing, paddles, shoes and more, then this job is for you! Must be able to work a minimum of 20 hours/week.

Interested in learning more about the position? Please email Diane Porter at [Dianep@pictona.org](mailto:Dianep@pictona.org)

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**We have been resurfacing  
and repainting many  
of the courts.**



**Reminder, we're resurfacing many of our outdoor courts.**

- Courts 9-14 are almost finished.
- Monday, August 26 - Courts 15-24
- *All work should be complete by August 30, weather permitting.*

Thank you for your understanding!



## **MEMBER HIGHLIGHT**



## **MEMBER SPOTLIGHT**

We've recognized Pictona member **Paul Connifey** in the past for his remarkable feat of playing pickleball every day for 5 years in a row. Well, he's continuing his journey and surpassed 2000 days in a row played this past July.

As of today, he's been playing America's fastest growing sport every day for the past 2,073 days!

You can read the article the Daytona Beach News-Journal wrote about Paul back in 2001 [HERE](#). *If you see Paul on the courts, be sure to say "Hi!"*



## TOURNAMENTS



### **Pictona Open by Emerge Insurance Services**

Registration is **OPEN** for our signature Fall Tournament and we have **OVER 550** players signed up! *Sign up today and help us kick off the 2024-2025 Tournament Season!*

**Register for the Pictona Open [HERE!](#)**

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# OCTOBER 26-27



## **GENERATIONS** PICKLEBALL TOURNAMENT



### **Generations Pickleball Tournament**

The Pictona Generations Tournament offers *two exciting new formats* that are not part of traditional pickleball tournaments.

- Mixed doubles (male and female) playing split ages at skill levels 3.0, 3.5, 4.0, and 4.5+. The split ages are 30/50, 40/60, and 50/70.
- Gender doubles (men and women play separately) playing combined ages of 60+, 100+, and 130+ for skill levels 3.0, 3.5, 4.0, and 4.5+.

*More Details and Registration info by clicking the button below !*

**Register for the Generations Tournament [HERE!](#)**

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# More PICTONA TOURNAMENTS !

2024

AETNA MINOR LEAGUE  
PICKLEBALL  
SEPTEMBER 7, NOVEMBER 2

PICTONA OPEN BY EMERGE  
INSURANCE SERVICES  
SEPTEMBER 26 - 29

EMBRY RIDDLE UNIVERSITY  
COLLEGE TOURNAMENT  
OCTOBER 5

NCPA REGIONAL  
TOURNAMENT  
OCTOBER 12-13

GENERATIONS TOURNAMENT  
OCTOBER 24-27

DAYTONA BEACH CLASSIC  
NOVEMBER 15-17

USSP EAST CHAMPIONSHIPS  
DECEMBER 6-9

PPA TOUR  
DECEMBER 18-22

2025 ROOKIE RALLY  
JANUARY 11-12



**CLICK HERE FOR SAVINGS WITH OUR  
LODGING PARTNERS!**



## THE KITCHEN AT PICTONA



**CHOICE OF CHICKEN OR  
SHRIMP FLATBREAD**



**SALMON CAKE  
SANDWICH**

### *Weekly SPECIALS in The Kitchen!*

8/26-9/1

**Choice of Chicken or Shrimp Flatbread w/side \$13**

An artesian flatbread with diced tomato, green peppers, onions, spinach,

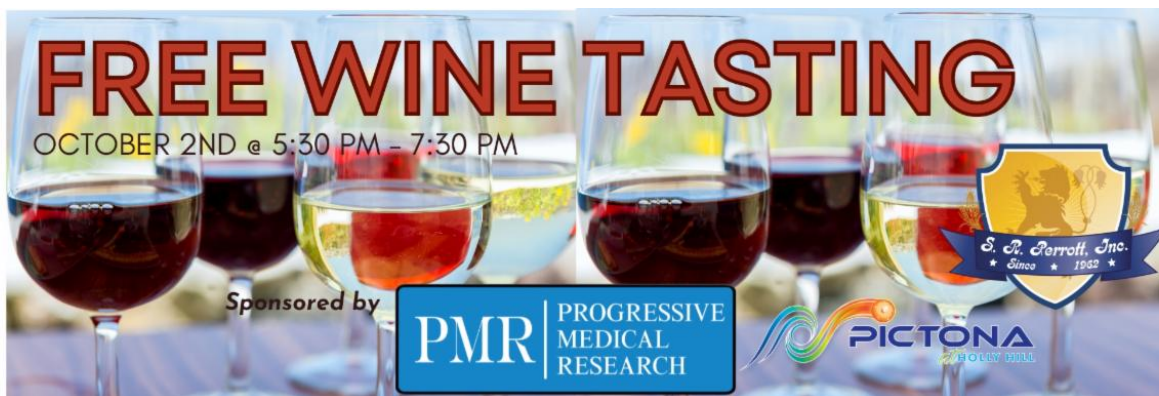


house blend cheese, garlic parmesan sauce and balsamic glaze.

**9/2-9/8**

### **Salmon Cake Sandwich w/side \$13**

Homemade salmon cake grilled to perfection, on a toasted brioche bun with our special homemade remoulade sauce, topped with Romaine Lettuce, Tomato slices, and Red Onion.



### **FREE WINE TASTING CLASS!**

Progressive Medical Research (PMR) is offering a FREE wine tasting on Wednesday, Oct. 2nd, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Indulge in various wines, learn more about their origins, and savor their unique flavors. Seating is limited to 30 people, so sign up before all the spots are taken. PMR will also provide an overview of their company and have doctors present to answer any questions. The sampling will take place in the S.R. Perrott Pavilion. Light appetizers will be furnished, and additional beverages will be available for purchase.

*This event is for Pictona Members Only.* Sign up at [this link](#) before the 30 spots are FULL.

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SR PERROTT PRESENTS

**PICTONA**  
at HOLLY HILL  
IN THE  
AETNA GARDENS!

**OKTOBERFEST**  
**OCTOBER 11**

**BEER & WINE PASSPORT  
TASTING**

**AUTHENTIC GERMAN  
BUFFET DINNER**

**STAY FOR THE  
HUEY LEWIS  
TRIBUTE BAND  
CONCERT  
AFTERWARDS  
FREE!**

Join us before the Huey Lewis tribute concert on **October 11th** in MetroHealth Stadium for **Pictona's Oktoberfest** celebration!

From 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm, S.R. Perrott will have tents in the Aetna Gardens where you can indulge in free beer and wine samplings—just remember to bring your ticket to The Depot to snag your wristband (and don't forget your ID!).

Afterward, treat your taste buds to our delicious **Oktoberfest Dinner** for just \$20, featuring authentic dishes like Beer Brats, Sauerkraut, Pork Schnitzel, and more, topped off with a slice of decadent Chocolate Cake.

Sign up for the **FREE** Huey Lewis Tribute Concert, the **FREE** beer & wine tasting, or the German Dinner Buffet (or all of them!) [HERE](#).

**ORMOND BEACH  
SENIOR GAMES  
2024**

**Ormond Beach  
40<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Senior Games**

**Oct. 18 - Oct. 26, 2024**

Pictona will be hosting the Pickleball Senior Games in October! Anyone

50+ is eligible to participate in any or all of the 10 sporting events. To find out more, Click [HERE!](#)

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## THE METROHEALTH EXPERIENCE AT PICTONA



**FREE DRAWING WITH EACH TALK IN SEPTEMBER**

**FIRST SESSION ON 9/11 @ 11 AM**

IN THE HUMANA EDUCATION CENTER AT  
(INSIDE HERON ROOM)



**LACKING ENERGY ON ON THE COURT?**

**LEARN HOW MODIFY YOUR  
NUTRITION WITH QUICK TIPS!**

DO YOU HAE A TOPIC THAT YOU WOULD LIKE FOR US  
TO COVER? CALL 386-463-0522 AND LET'S TALK



MetroHealth & Humana sponsored talks offered at Pictona in the Heron Room at P2. Talks begin at 11am. RSVP-396-463-0522.

- 9/11 - Lacking Energy on the Courts?
  - 9/25 - Preventing Scams for Seniors
  - 9/27 - Medicare 101
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**Save-the-date!**

September 6th between 9 am - 11 am, the Conviva team will be at the Conviva Cooling Cabana with lots of swag and goodies for you!

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**METROHEALTH STADIUM - Are Friends Electric - September 13th!**  
A celebration of creativity. An invitation to dance unfettered into the night. That's the war cry of Are Friends Electric, a Daytona Beach three-piece that spins commanding vocals and a rhythmic ruckus into full-blown theatrics on stage. A dash of David Bowie, a sprinkle of Blondie and the Beatles, the Pretenders or Prince — it's a little bit nostalgic for the '80s, while charging forward into whatever's next!

Get your **FREE** Tickets [HERE!](#)

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## SPONSOR HIGHLIGHT



If you're heading to the Daytona Beach and Holly Hill area for a pickleball tournament at Pictona, dining out can be one of the most enjoyable aspects of your trip. Whether you're sampling the local seafood, grabbing a quick bite between matches, or celebrating a win with your team, the food scene here has plenty to offer. However, as with anything, there are both pros and cons to eating out while traveling.

Read more about Max Beach Resorts Full-Sized Kitchens [HERE](#).

# *Leave us a Review!*



We'd love your feedback! Please take a moment to review us on [Yelp](#), [TripAdvisor](#), or [Google!](#) Your'e feedback will help us ensure we continue to be the state-of-the-art facility you love!



Pictona was built through a public-private partnership with the City of Holly Hill and Martens Charities, and \$2.9 million in Volusia County **ECHO** grants.



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