





Pictona Members Win Big at USA Pickleball Nationals

The USA Pickleball National tournament was held in Mesa, AZ from November 9-17, and included nearly 2600 amateurs, juniors, professionals, and wheelchair players. Pictona members Lucie Denault, Julie Martens, Kristen Nagrani, Bob Traul, and Sylvia Whitehouse made the trip and did Pictona proud!

Lucie Denault: Silver with Cassandra Rollins in Women's Doubles 5.5 60-

64; silver with Sterling Payne in Mixed Doubles 6.0 60-64

Bob Traul: Silver with Bob Thacker in Men's Doubles 4.0 75-79; silver in singles 4.5 80+

Julie Martens: Silver with Georgie Scott in Women's Doubles 5.0 75-79

Kristen Nagrani: Bronze with James Gerson in Mixed Doubles 5.0 55-59



Represent Pictona in the Holly Hill Christmas Parade!



TOMORROW!!

March in the Holly Hill Christmas Parade with us! Join the FUN!

You still have time to sign up! Would you like to represent Pictona in the 65th Annual City of Holly Hill Christmas Parade? Dress up in your favorite Pictona attire - add a sprinkle of holiday cheer - and join us for a fun morning to get your Holiday Season started right!

Saturday, Dec 7 at 9 am, we will gather at the north entrance (Pictona 1).



Welcome Rri Hagans, Player Shop Manager!

Rri has a deep passion for athletic health and wellness, has many years of experience in operations and the fitness industry and over eight years of experience as a personal trainer in NYC. She is a dog mom to a handsome boy named Duke, loves a good board game night, and a little adventure! As a lifelong sports enthusiast, she is thrilled to embrace the world of pickleball and looks forward to connecting with you all soon!



Give the gift of Pickleball this Christmas!

Swing into the holiday spirit at the Player Shop! From paddles to

ornaments, discover the perfect gifts and gear for every enthusiast. Serve style and make this season a smash hit!

Can't Decide? How about a Pictona Membership? A Pictona Gift Certificate is another terrific option!





Mark Shaw, Pictona Marketing Director crossing the Panama Canal!

Tammy Lynne Calef, Pictona Referee, reps Pictona in Hollywood!

Christopher Edwin Funk braves the cold to show off his Pictona pride in Antarctica!



DECEMBER - INSTRUCTIONAL CALENDAR

10.29.24

Non-members must purchase day pass or punch card



PICTONA CLASSES

			Instructor
PB 211: Guided Novice Play	M, 12/2 - 9:00 - 10:	00 am \$50	Jordan
PB 301: Serve & Return	W, 12/2 - 7:00 - 8:0	0 pm \$50	Sylvia
PB 306: Two-Handed Backhand	Handed Backhand T, 12/3 - 6:00 - 7:00 pm		Doug
PB 203: Ball Machine Instruction	Ball Machine Instruction W, 12/4 - 9:00 - 10:00 am		Daniel
PB 212: Guided Intermediate Play	W, 12/4 - 6:00 - 7:	00 pm \$50	Rob
PB 307: Going Single	T, 12/10 - 6:00 - 7:0	00 pm \$50	Doug
PB 305: Developing the Backhand	W, 12/11 - 6:00 - 7	:00 pm \$50	Chris
PB 302: Drops & Drives TH, 12/12 - 6:00 - 7:00 pm		7:00 pm \$50	Mary
PB 203: Ball Machine Instruction	TH, 12/12 - 6:00 - 7:00 pm \$50		Daniel
PB 304: Block & Reset	TH, 12/2- 6:00 - 7:0	00 pm \$50	Chase
PB 303: Dinking Smart	S, 12/14 - 10:00 - 1	1:00 am \$50	Chase
ADDITIONAL CLASSES \$50			
Partner Tactics Lob Class	M, 12/2 M, 12/9	5:30 - 7:00 pm 5:30 - 7:00 pm	Sylvia Sylvia
COURSES \$150 - includes three	ee sessions		
PB 201: Pickleball First Steps Dink, Drop Shot, Serve	M, 12/2, 9, 16	5:30 - 6:30 pm	Chris
PB 202: Pickleball First Steps Ground Strokes, Return of Serve, Vo	W, 12/4, 11, 18 olley/Block	5:00 - 6:00 pm	Chris

View and download the December Instruction Calendar HERE.

Reserve your spot by calling (386) 310.7067 or by registering **HERE**. See you on the courts!

<u>Reminder</u> Only certified instructors may charge a fee for their instructional services. Anyone else may instruct or coach, but cannot charge a fee.





December Flex Leagues

Sign up for the 2.50 - 3.49 League HERE.

Sign up for the 3.0 - 3.99 League HERE.

Sign up for the 3.5 - 4.0+ League HERE.

Flex Leagues are sponsored by Wire 3.





Register by December 31 and SAVE \$15!

Leave winter behind to play in a dedicated senior pickleball tournament in pickleball paradise, Pictona at Holly Hill, part of the greater Daytona area where you'll find the world's most famous beach. The average temperature in February is 72 degrees. Play with players in your age and skill category from Canada, Mexico, and across the United States in a round robin format with a playoff in each division.

You'll have the opportunity to play lots of pickleball and experience outstanding hospitality at a world-class facility. Pictona has 49 courts, 13 under cover, along with the beautiful MetroHealth Stadium that seats 1200 where playoff matches will be played.

- Enjoy our special welcome party Saturday night with FREE food and drinks. (Guests may also attend for \$15).
- Come early and enjoy the World's Famous **Daytona 500 Race** on February 16th.
- Extend your stay and enjoy playing pickleball on Pictona's state-ofthe-art courts with our 1400 + members! Our non-member daily fee is \$15 per day or \$60 for one month.
- Visit our <u>lodging partners</u> to receive your special Pictona discount on your visit.
- Membership IS required to play in the North American
 Championships. To join USSP, go <u>HERE</u>. It only costs \$20 per year.

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USSP REGISTRATION HERE!



1,147 PLAYERS have already registered to Play Where the Pros Play!

The Oh Snap! Daytona Beach Open is coming to Pictona at Holly Hill from **Dec. 18** - **22** and now's your chance to join in!

Amateur players get the unique opportunity to compete right alongside the world's top pros, with matches happening next to Championship Court.

REGISTRATION CLOSES 12/14! Don't miss your chance to compete in this exciting event and experience the thrill of a pro-level tournament.

Register HERE and secure your spot in the action!

Purchase tickets to watch the Pros HERE!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!





PICTONA AND PPA are in need of Volunteers for the December 18-22 tournament weekend! There are incentives for donating your time!

If you'd like to volunteer for Pictona, please consider joining the **Pictona Success Team of Volunteers**. Click **HERE** and explore the many opportunities to help us continue to make Pictona the best pickleball facility in the U.S.!

PICTONA VOLUNTEER NEEDS - CLICK HERE!

PPA Volunteers Needed - Click HERE!



95+ enthusiastic Picklers have already signed up! If you're relatively new to pickleball and you're working on mastering your skills, then the Arrow Rookie Rally at Pictona is a tournament just for you. It is your opportunity to play others of like skill and age in a fun round robin format.

Team up with your partner to play men's, women's, and mixed doubles at the 2.5 and 3.0 skill level.

** Be sure to sign up by Dec. 26th if you'd like a tournament T-Shirt!

Register for the Arrow Rookie Rally HERE!



Join us for women's doubles, men's doubles, mixed doubles and singles in our annual Spring tournament, the Pictona Challenge!

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL! Save \$\$ if you register by January 31st! Registration fees increase after that date. Click below for details!

Register for the Pictona Challenge HERE!



USA Pickleball Sanctioned Tournament - Click HERE for more Info.







Weekly SPECIALS in The Kitchen!

December 9- 15

Philly Cheesesteak Sub - Ala Carte \$10, with a regular side \$13 Shaved Ribeye sauteed hot, with onions and peppers on a traditional hoagie roll, topped with melted provolone cheese.





Join Tom & Jo Sanders in the FHCP Activity Center to dance your way into the holiday spirit!

Thursdays at 3:00 pm and each date will focus on two different dances.

- Cha Cha & Rumba December 12
- Foxtrot & Tango December 19
- Bachata & Merengue December 26

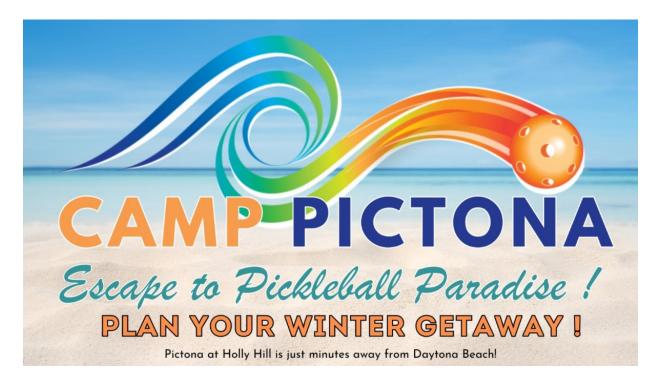
** \$5 Suggested Donation



Stress Management - December 13

• 11:30 am in the FHCP Activity Center





Camp Pictona will once again be holding 3-day camps this 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: Self-Rated Skill Levels 2.5 - 4.0

- January 28-30, 2025
- February 18-20, 2025
- March 12-14, 2025









CITY OF HOLLY HILL CONCERT SERIES

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