Program Notes

With the start of the **Fall Flex League**, we will no longer be reserving courts for league play. Players will be responsible for scheduling matches themselves, or take advantage of opportunities where league members have gathered at the same place and time, and play games by league rules that can count as official league results.

Member contact information is available next to every name on the GPN League ladder, so players can reach out directly to people that want to play. They can also use the Challenge system of communication, if they are not premium members.

Once you have scheduled a match, you will need a scorecard to record the results.

■ Flex Scorecard Blank.pdf

There may be some pre printed Blank Sheets in the boxes at Meadow and Westmoreland Parks, but you should probably find a way to print your own.

Match Winners Post Results to the Ladder homepage at GPN. Flex League Match results will be the Best of 3 games to 11, Win by 2.

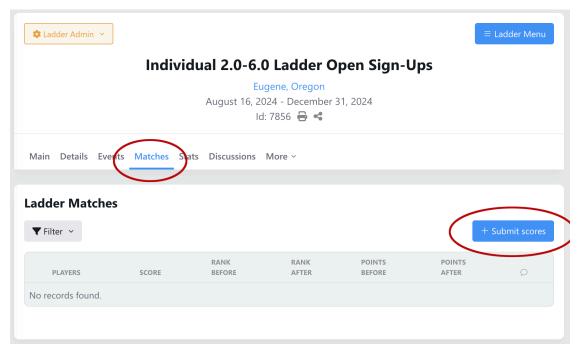
Scorecards will need to be complete as in the example below. Important information includes:

FALL FLEX LEAGUE			
LADDER: Individual 20-60		Date:	116124
TEAM 1: Tim Lay July Randy King TEAM 2: Andrew Ham ATR Josh Goske	Gm1	Gm2	Gm3

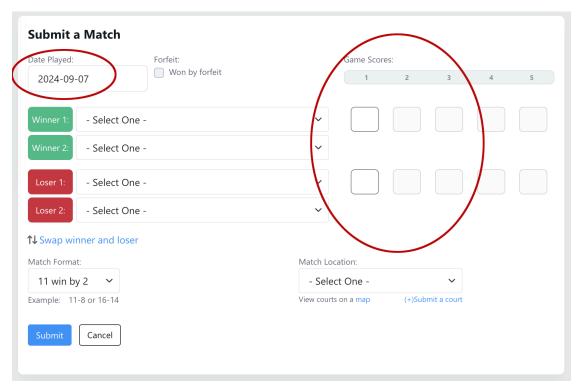
Example of a league Scorecard. Blank PDFs are available for download here: Once your match has been played, the Winning Team has the responsibility of postin the results to GPN, and sending a photo of the scoresheet to the League Director for verification.

- 1. Post the winning Scores to the home page of their ladder on the GPN website.
- 2. Take a photo of the completed scorecard, signed by a member of both teams.
- 3. Email the photo of the scorecard to <u>leagues@evpbc.com</u> with the Title of the email as the Name of the Ladder that needs to be credited with the results. Examples include:
 - o Individual 2.0 6.0 Ladder
 - Women's Doubles 3.0 to 3.5

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LADDER HOME PAGE: To enter scores, players will need to go to the homepage of their ladder, as select the MATCHES tab, then click on the SUBMIT SCORES button enter results.



SUBMIT SCORES PAGE: Make sure the names of the Winners of the match are listed first, as well as the results from the 3 games.

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Once your email is received, your **League Director** will verify the results and approve the scores to be submitted to DUPR. We will only be doing this once a week, so please be patient, as we have many matches to approve each week.

Once all results for a week have been verified, one of our EVPC DUPR Representatives will post the scores to DUPR.

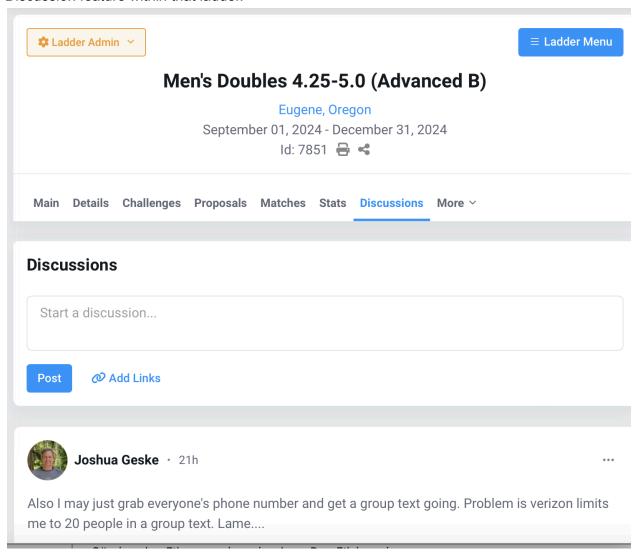
We hope this Fall Flex League is as competitive as the summer leagues have been. Please let us know if you have any comments or questions by emailing the League Team at Leagues@evpbc.com

Tim Lay

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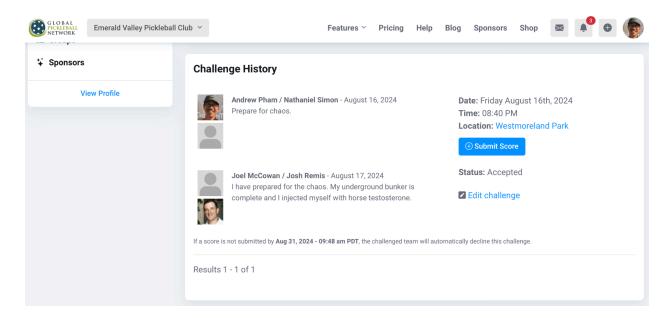
Optional Features:

Discussion: You may communicate with those within a particular ladder group using the Discussion feature within that ladder.

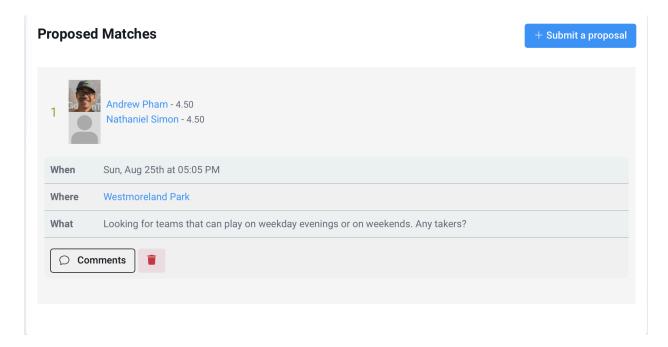


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Challenge system: Through GPN, players/teams can challenge other teams in the network.



Proposals: Teams can also make open requests not directed towards any team in particular in order to find a game or team able to fulfill some particular request.



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FAQ

Do we have to stick to the same format in every league? We recommend and have formatted score cards for playing best 2 out of 3, games to 11, win by 2; but you are welcome to change the format as you would like (1 game to 11, 1 game to 15, best 3 out of 5 games to 11, etc.) with the understanding that there will only be one "match" submitted with one clear winning team/individual (for singles) for DUPR's sake. Teams should agree on the format before starting the match. Other details that we would suggest include flipping a coin to allow the winner of the call to determine if they would like to begin by serving, receiving, or choosing a side. We would also recommend switching sides at 6 (or 8 if playing to 15) if you are only playing one game. Two timeouts per team is also encouraged in each game.

What is the timeline for this league? Do I have to be available the entire time? The league will run from September to December. It is not required to be available the entire time. Ideally, at the end of each month, we will acknowledge teams that did the best in each ladder.

Do I have to keep the same partner all fall?

Individuals may elect to change partners each month if they choose to do so.

Do I need to register with a partner? You're welcome to sign up without one and then to find one to join you after registering.

What if I want to play more DUPR games beyond the ladder requirement? If you end up playing multiple games that you want to contribute towards DUPR, decide amongst all of the players before playing which match(es) you want to count towards the specific level ladder you are playing. The suggestion is that each team play each other team within a particular ladder for 2 matches, where each match is the best 2 out of 3 games, play to 11, win by 2. If you want to play beyond that, you can count your other games in the 2.0-6.0 ladder, which is unstructured. Please make sure that all players are registered for the 2.0-6.0 ladder if so.

How does the 2.0-6.0 ladder work? This is our all encompassing database for recording DUPR games that are outside of the level regulated ladders. Find three other players who are in the ladder (or who may join the ladder), and you may play however many matches that you would like. Should you choose to rotate partners, be sure that you submit a separate score sheet for each match and unique partnership.