

Pickleball Doubles Service Sequence for Rally Scoring:

- 1. Both players on the serving doubles team have the opportunity to serve and score points until they commit a fault or lose the rally *(except for the first service sequence of each new game).
- 2. The first serve of each side-out is made from the right/even court. The person initiating the serve from the right/even court is Server 1.
- 3. If a point is scored, by the serving team the server switches sides and the server initiates the next serve from the left/odd court.
- 4. As subsequent points are scored, the server continues switching back and forth until a fault is committed and the first server loses the serve.
- 5. When the first server loses the serve the partner (Server 2) serves from their side of the court (except for the first service sequence of the game*).
- 6. The second server continues serving until his or her team commits a fault and loses the serve to the opposing team (side out).
- 7. Once the service goes to the opposition (at side out), the first serve is from the right/even court and both players on that team have the opportunity to serve and score points until their team commits two faults.

*At the beginning of each new game only one partner on the serving team has the opportunity to serve before faulting, after which the service passes to the receiving team (side out). Prior to the 1st Serve the score should be called as: Zero – Zero – Start (or Two).

Rally Scoring:

- 1. Points are scored by the team that wins the rally.
- 2. Games are normally played to 15 points, win by 1.
- 3. Scores are called before each serve as follows: 'Your Team Score – The Opposing Team Score – The Server #.