

Dear Randal,

Welcome to the 43rd edition of the SJPA's Weekly Pickle.

#### Week in Review

The first SJPA Pickleball social for 2025 took place this past Sunday. Sixty-Eight players challenged each other on the pickleball courts. Players of all levels had a great time playing, drinking hot chocolate and enjoying the many snacks. A big thank you goes out to these players for supporting SJPA and to Andrea Velez and Lynn Albrecht for running the event. If anyone is interested in getting on the email list to play with others, please contact Scott Nasiff at <a href="mailto:snasiff@gmail.com">snasiff@gmail.com</a>. Happy New

### Upcoming Events

Year and see you on the courts.

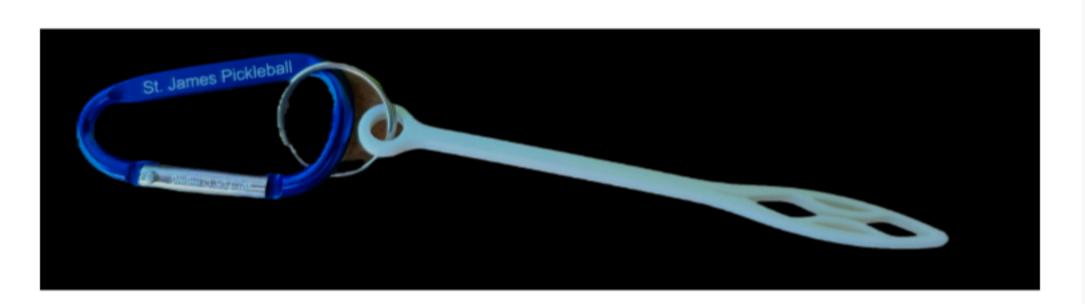
## Valentine's social



Join us on Sunday, February 9th for our next event - a Valentine's Mixed Social - an open-play, round-robin event open to all SJPA members. There will be two sessions. Please be on the lookout for more information about this event in the coming days. Be sure to sign up as space is limited. Registration opens on January 20th!

#### Reminder

For those who have renewed their SJPA membership or recently joined the SJPA, Pickle darts will be distributed at Rymer Courts on Saturday, January 18th during White Board play (10:00 AM - 11:30 AM).



Be sure to stop by to pick one up OR contact Liz Wilson - 717-574-9788.

## Kim's Corner

## New Pickleball Rules Explained

As previously announced, the new 2025 USA Pickleball rules have been announced. Here is a great <a href="YouTube Video">YouTube Video</a> that describes the changes that may actually affect your game. See more details on the <a href="SJPA Website">SJPA Website</a>.

# Kim would like to remind anyone who won gift cards for lessons with her to please contact her to

Did you Win a Gift Card for Lessons at Battle of the Paddle?

schedule!

<u>DATE</u>	DAY	EVENT At Greg Rymer Courts (unless otherwise noted)	TIME
February 9th	Sunday	Mixed Valentine's Day Social	1:00 PM - 2:30 PM 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM
March 9th	Sunday	Mixed Up Doubles Play with a Pro	TBD
March 13th	Thursday	SJPA Progressive Dinner	TBD 🥒
April 1st	Tuesday	SJPA Bonfire on the Beach	TBD
April 26th	Saturday	Spring Teams Tournament	TBD
May 4	TBD	SJPA Spring Fling	TBD
June	TBD	SJPA Pool Party	TBD
August	TBD	SJPA Beach Night	TBD
September	TBD	Battle of the Paddle	TBD
October	TBD	SJPA Championship Weekend	TBD
October	TBD	Halloween Social Play	TBD
November	TBD	Member Appreciation	TBD
December	TBD	Holidink	TBD

Thank you for being a part of the St James Pickleball Association family. We hope you have enjoyed reading this newsletter. If you have any suggestions for future editions, please respond to this email.

Warm regards,

St James Pickleball Association

**P.S.** Don't forget to follow us on <u>Facebook</u> for the latest updates and stories from the courts!