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GMAA PICKLEBALL TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

Tournament Date(s), Times & Locations

Bantam Girls – November 11th 3:45pm – 6:00pm at John Rennie HS Bantam Boys – November 6th 8:00am – 4:00pm at Bialik HS (with Cadet Boys) Cadet Girls – October 23rd 12:00pm – 2:30pm at Bilaik HS Cadet Boys – November 6th 8:00am – 4:00pm at Bialik HS (with Bantam Boys) Juvenile Girls – October 28th 8:30am – 3:00pm at St George's School Juvenile Boys – November 8th 9:30am – 2:30pm at West Island College

Team Entry Deadline: Team entries are due September 24th by 11:59pm on S1.

Player Registration Deadline: 48 hours prior to the scheduled tournament on S1.

Classification: Boys or Girls

Bantam or Juvenile Bantam Girls, Bantam Boys, Juvenile Girls, Juvenile Boys

Teams: A team is made up of 6 players (like badminton) 2 singles players and 2 doubles teams. Schools may enter a maximum of 2 teams per category.

Cost: approximately \$350 per team (This is an estimated cost; all schools will be invoiced following the tournament.) The cost will include rental of the facility, awards, administrative fees, etc.

Staff Member: Each School must provide a staff member for the duration of the tournament.

Scoring: For Round Robin Games: Game will be played with rally scoring up to 15 points. A game must be won by 2 points up to a maximum of 21 points. (Example, game is tied 20-20 next point wins). For Playoff Games: Traditional Pickleball scoring will be used. Only the serving team will score points. Games will be up to 11 points. A game must be won by 2 points up to a maximum of 15 points. (Example, game is tied 14-14 next point wins).

Equipment: All players must provide their own paddles for games, paddles cannot be shared, since the schedules for each team may overlap.

Rules: The official Pickleball Canada rules will be used with GMAA modifications that will be confirmed prior to the tournament.

Basic Rules: <u>https://pickleballcanada.org/play-and-learn/basic-rules/</u> Official Rulebook: <u>https://pickleballcanada.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/2023-Official-Rulebook-</u> International-Edition.pdf