THE RUNDOWN

What: Atlanta Team Pickleball Combo Doubles Season – Spring 2027

When: Thursday nights - 7PM start time. 6 to 8 weeks of play which includes regular season and playoffs, followed by City Finals (typically scheduled on a weekend day)

Where: Home and away league format. See rules document for more information on approved facilities

Teams: Consist of a minimum of two (2) men and two (2) women. There is NO MAXIMUM number of players required on a team. Captains have the discretion to create a team with as many players as necessary to avoid defaults of play.

Format of play: All team matches will be three (3) rounds (Gender Doubles, Round 1 Mixed Doubles, Round 2 Mixed Doubles) of two (2) lines, two (2) games each to 11 (win by 2 points). **Note**: The 2 men and 2 women who compete in the first round of gender doubles MAY BE DIFFERENT than the 2 men and 2 women who compete in the mixed doubles rounds of play. However, once the mixed doubles partnerships have been determined for the first round of mixed doubles play, the players MUST remain the same for the second round of mixed doubles.

Cost: $35 registration fee/person

Important Dates:

Registration Opens..... March 4th, 2027

Registration Closes..... April 4th, 2027

Regular Season Play Begins..... April 22nd, 2027

Regular Season Play Ends..... May 27th, 2027

Additional Information:

- All players MUST have a DUPR account prior to their registration with our league. Remember, a player is not required to have a DUPR rating but is required to have a DUPR **account** created prior to their registration for our spring season
- Courts should be certified through Match Time requirements. Please contact the League Coordinator for facility approval prior to registration if your facility uses tennis nets
- Players competing in each division must have a MAXIMUM DUPR rating of the following:

3.0 Division → 3.49 4.0 Division → 4.49

3.5 Division → 3.99 4.5 Division → 4.99

NOTE: If a player has 5 matches or less in the DUPR rating system, their DUPR rating will not be used for the league's season. The player will consult with the captain and can play under a "SELF RATE" rating at the level they intend to play. Any results garnered during the league season or other results will NOT impact the player's "division eligibility" for that season. As a reminder - even if a player qualifies for the "self-rate" rule, a DUPR account is still required!

- Please review the Rules and Regulations Document to its entirety before the start of the season! Any questions can be directed to **pickleball@ustaatlanta.com**