

The Pikes Peak Pickleball Association promotes the sport of Pickleball in El Paso County through education, training and amateur competition

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## Job Description EDUCATION AND TRAINING DIRECTOR

### **Term: Responsibilities:**

Elected by the general membership in odd years; serves a two-year term

- ➤ Designs, develops, implements and monitors education & training programs and opportunities to meet the needs and goals of PPPA members.
- ➤ Works with team leaders to make adjustments to various programs to address player needs.
- ➤ Ensures program times are in compliance with City and County operating agreements
- ➤ Recruit Coordinators for all E&T programs (Beginning Lessons, Guided Play, Round Robins and Ladders. Coordinators report to the E&T Director.)
- ➤ Works with the PPPA Board to implement existing E&T programs at new public facilities as they come online and propose and implement new programs as appropriate.

### **CURRENT PROGRAMS:**

#### ➤ **Beginner Lessons**

- Held at Wasson Academy weekly April-September.
- Provides new players with one free pickleball lesson.

#### ➤ **Guided Play**

- Held at MVP once weekly, May-September.
- Supports newer players in further development of their PB skills (serves, returns, lobs, strategies, and overall play).

#### ➤ **Instructor Training**

- Recruits & trains new instructors as needed throughout the year to support PPPA programs.

#### ➤ **Round Robins**

- Held at MVP to support skill level play and competition.
- Play levels include 2.0-2.5, 2.5-3.0, 3.0-3.5, 3.5-4.0.

#### ➤ **Ladder Play**

- Ladder leagues are in place for 3.0, 3.5 and 4.0 skill levels.

Supports the use of SignUpGenius software program used to manage scheduling participants for Lessons, Guided Play and Round Robbins, etc. A SUG coordinator monitors and trains users.

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