

Results of the
Montana/Wyoming
Help Support Global Warming
Extreme Pickleball Tournament

First Pickleball Tournament of 2010 held in Billings, Montana on day after New Years.

Even though there was snow on the ground and the outside temperature was below freezing, that did not stop the seventeen rugged Montana/Wyoming hard-core full body contact Pickleball players from starting out the New Year in right way. The “Montana/Wyoming Help Support Global Warming Extreme Pickleball Tournament” was held January 2, 2010 on the six new Pickleball courts recently painted on the large gym floor in the Billings Family YMCA in Billings, Montana.

The entry fee was a donation to help fund some new portable nets that USAPA will make available in the next month or so. The YMCA has had four Pickleball courts available. With the addition of these six new courts we will have a total of ten courts. We don't need that many right now, but we are thinking big!

Pickleball is becoming a major feature of the YMCA. We now have it five different official sessions each week with one or two unofficial sessions. The after school program offers it to over twenty children each school day and it is demonstrated by various High School Physical Education Programs as a life time sport in cooperation with the YMCA.

We are constantly getting feed back that the young people consider Pickleball as one of their favorite activities.

Open Singles-

Flight A: 1st-Cooper Warren, 2nd-Vu Pham, 3rd-Becky Warren

Flight B: 1st-Jim Pahl, Cody, 2nd- Russ Brannon, 3rd-Sean McCotter

Flight C: 1st-Larry Seekins, 2nd-Greg Harris

Open Women's Singles: 1st- Vicki Harrison, 2nd- Kristi Brenden

Open Doubles:

Flight A: 1st-Jason Bough/Russ Brannon, 2nd-Jake Tedlund/Rachel Warren:

3rd-Cooper Warren/Katie Truscott

Flight B: 1st-Daryl Coram/Kylan Coghlan, 2nd- Kristi Brenden/Larry Seekins,

3rd-Vicki Harrison/Greg Harris

Most of the Montana/Wyoming Hard-core Full Body Contact Pickleball Players are shown below.



Top Row: Jake Tedlund, Rachel Warren, Cooper Warren, Katie Truscott, Jim Pahl, Jason Bough, Russ Brannon, Daryl Coram.
Bottom Row: Ray Zubik, Greg Harris, Vicki Harrison, Larry Seekins, Kristi Brenden, Kylan Coghlan.