



How to use the Paddle Rack

Upon arrival all players are asked to place their paddle into the rack installed on the fence.

The system works as follows:

If there are paddles in the paddle rack, players who just finished their game **MUST** exit the court so that the waiting players can come on to the vacated court. This is not optional!

A stack of paddles is complete when there are 4 paddles. You can add your paddle to any stack that does not already have 4 paddles. If all the paddles are in sets of 4, you start a new set by putting your paddle beside the last stack to the right.

As a court becomes available, the players with the set of paddles on the far left take their paddles and access the court. All the paddles are shuffled up one bracket to the left to make more space on the right. The paddles must remain in the same order when they are moved. Even if a stack has less than 4 paddles, it moves to the left just like the 4 paddles stacks.

If **YOUR** paddle is up next and it is your turn for the next court, but there are not a total of 4 paddles, you should call out that you **NEED** however many more paddles/players. Those players who complete the group of 4 can come from anywhere, even if they just came off the court.

If there are 4 paddles waiting to play and they choose not to mix together with other paddles, they cannot trump any player(s) that are 'up next' and do not have 4 paddles.