

August 2023 Dink and Dine Event – August 12 & 13

August's Dink and Dine was another huge success! We had 6 beginner/novice players, 24 Intermediate level players, and 19 teams of Advanced players.

Beginner/Novice - switch doubles

On Saturday, the 6 beginner/novice players participated in 9 switch doubles games and some of them also opted to play some singles games. Games were one game to 11, win by 1. At the end of the round robin play, the player with the highest total points was the winner, with second and third places also determined by total points scored. Winners were:

Najwa Wimmer	GOLD
Pam Gropp	SILVER
Kaija Kauffman	BRONZE



Intermediate - switch doubles



Also on Saturday we had 3 pools of 8 players each in the Intermediate level. Every player got to play 7 round robin matches, one game to 11, win by 1. At the end, the player in each pool that had the most wins went on to play in a round robin switch doubles medal match (total points were used next to determine winners). The fourth participant was chosen by the next highest wins and total points in all 3 pools. Each medal match participant played with and against each of the other 3 pool winners to determine the overall winner.

Winners were:

Karen Miller Rush	GOLD
Jason Stacy	SILVER
Jody Saylor	BRONZE
Trent Kauffman	4th

Advanced - Team doubles

Sunday there were two pools of round robin play. Pool 1 had 9 teams and Pool 2 had 10 teams. Play was one game to 11, win by 2. After the round robin play was completed, the top 4 teams from each pool were seeded into an 8 team single elimination medal match tourney, one game to 11, win by 2. The medal match tourney turned out to be a little different as there was a forfeit both for 3rd and 4th place, and also for first and second place.



Winners were:

Shane Dyer and Seth Scholfield GOLD
John Hanlon and Joshua Hanlon SILVER
Kelly Weadick and Don Happ BRONZE
Monica Lemons and Jerry Cunningham 4th

Congratulations to all who came out and played, and special congrats to all winners!

Special thanks again to Courtney Allard for providing all the wonderful electrolyte icy pops! Everyone really thanks you!!!

Next Dink and Dine is September 9 and 10. It will be a mixed doubles team tourney for both Intermediate and Advanced levels, so pick your partner soon! Partners must be woman/man. The beginner/novice level will still be switch doubles - you need no partner. Every player will play with every other player.

Please note: To play in the Advanced level, one player at least must be rated a 4.0 or higher. If you would like to play in the advanced level, but are not rated a 4.0 or higher, you may register on the waitlist, and if there is still room by 6pm the Saturday before the tourney, you may move up to the active list and play.