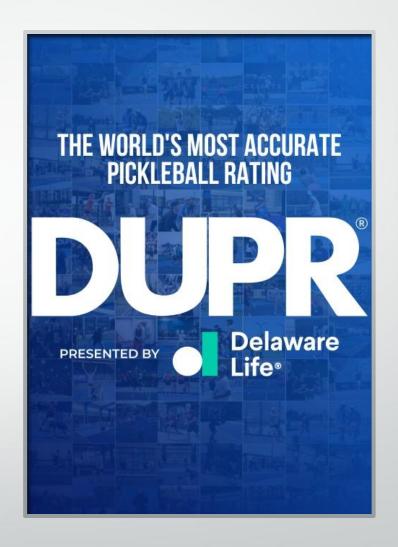


# DUPR Information Session

#### What is DUPR?

#### **Dynamic Universal Pickleball Rating**

All players, regardless of their age, gender, location, and skill, are rated on the same scale based on their match results.



## Why DUPR at Pickleball Moncton?

- Self-Rating is often not accurate
- DUPR is based on players' match results no testing needed
- It is now integrated with Pickleball Brackets for tournaments
- Makes it easier to group players by similar skill levels
- Easier to determining sessions needed to match skill levels of members

## Who Can Have a DUPR Rating?

- DUPR is free, and anyone can get a rating.
- All new players start as NR (Not Rated) and progress through a scale ranging from 2.000 to 8.000.
- Every match counts toward your rating, even if you are playing against someone who is unrated or new to DUPR.
- Your DUPR automatically updates every time a match result is submitted.
- Players can have both a singles and doubles rating.



# **How is DUPR Rating Calculated?**

DUPR uses a player's last rating to update their new rating. The algorithm considers the following factors:

#### 1 - Match Results

- If you win, your rating will go up and if you lose, your rating will go down.
- Winning by a large margin increases your rating more than a narrow victory.
- Winning against players rated at or above your level increases your rating more than winning against players rated below you.

#### 2 - Match and Player Characteristics

- Players with more matches will see less fluctuation in their ratings compared to those with fewer matches.
- Recent matches impact your rating more than older ones.
- Ratings are affected differently depending on whether the match was a self-posted recreational game, a club match, or a DUPR entered tournament/league result.

# **DUPR Reliability Score**

- Player profiles shows two key numbers:
  - your **DUPR Rating** (2.000–8.000)
  - your Reliability Score (1–100%)



- Reliability Score shows how accurate your rating is. A low reliability means your data is outdated or insufficient.
- To keep your rating accurate, play consistently and often.
- A passing Reliability Score is 60%, but achieving this score is just the beginning. Aim for a fully reliable rating, which is 100%.

# Process of Implementing DUPR at Pickleball Moncton

### **DUPR Implementation Process**

#### Getting Ready

- Create or Claim your DUPR Account (if you don't already have one).
  - If you played in tournaments, your matches might already be in DUPR
  - Log in at dupr.com or by downloading the iOS or Android app

How to create an account on DUPR? – DUPR

How to claim an account on DUPR? – DUPR

- Merge Any Duplicate Accounts
  - Check if you have duplicate profiles

I have a duplicate account. How do I merge my profiles? – DUPR

Add Pickleball Moncton as one of your Clubs

How do I join a digital club as a user? – DUPR

# DUPR Implementation Process <u>DUPR Rating Sessions</u>

(Starting February 1st, 2025)

- DUPR Rating Sessions will be added to schedule to build your DUPR Rating
  - Register for sessions on Playtime Scheduler
  - Score sheets will be available on all courts and collected by a session coordinator
  - Scores will be submitted to DUPR by Club administrators
- How groups will be divided (based on actual DUPR rating)?
  - NR (Not Rated) and under 3.00
  - 3.00 to 3.49 DUPR rated regardless reliability
  - 3.5 to 3.374 DUPR rated regardless reliability and includes NR from Advance group
  - 3.75 and above DUPR rated regardless reliability
  - This could be modified depending on the demand

#### **DUPR Implementation Process**

**Updates to Sessions** (bubbles)

(Starting in March 2025)

- Sessions will be by DUPR Skill Levels (instead of self-rating)
  - Players must be over the minimum session skill level with a 60% Reliability Score
  - Register to play on Playtime Scheduler
  - Scores will not be submitted to DUPR

#### Tips for Successful DUPR Implementation

- Ensure you don't have duplicate DUPR accounts (check different spellings of your name).
- Participate in DUPR Rating Sessions (or tournaments) to keep your Reliability Score at 60% minimum.
- Once you have a reliable DUPR Rating (min of 60%), update your self-rating in Playtime Scheduler (under Account). Choose the closest <u>minimum</u> rating. (i.e., If you have a 3.60 DUPR Rating, choose 3.5)
- Members to provide feedback to the Club.

The Club will review feedback from members, monitor attendance to ensure the maximum number of members can participate, and adjust as needed.