



Emory and Henry Intramural Ping Pong Rules

A GAME

A game shall be won by the player or pair first scoring 21 points unless either players or pairs score 20 points, when the game shall be won by the player or pair first scoring subsequently 2 points more than the opposing player or pair.

The 3rd game will be played to 15 points. The serve will be swapped every two serves.

A MATCH

A match shall consist of the best of 3 games.

Play shall be continuous throughout a match except that any player shall be entitled to claim an interval of not more than 2 minutes between successive games.

THE CHOICE OF SERVING, RECEIVING AND ENDS

The right to choose the initial order of serving, receiving and ends shall be decided by a Ping and the winner may choose to serve or to receive first or to start at a particular end.

When one player or pair has chosen to serve or to receive first or to start at a particular end, the other player or pair shall have the other choice.

After each 5 points have been scored the receiving player or pair shall become the serving player or pair and so on until the end of the game, unless both players or pairs have scored 20 points or the expedite system is in operation, when the sequences of serving and receiving shall be the same but each player shall serve for only 1 point in turn.

The player first in a game shall receive first in the next game of the match and in the last possible game of a doubles match the pair due to receive next shall change their order of receiving when first either pair scores 10 points.

To have a let serve, the server must contact the net and the ball must fall on the opponent's side. If the ball misses the table a point will be given to the player receiving the serve.

TOURNAMENT

The tournament will be single elimination.

All decisions made by the Intramural Supervisor are final.