College of Charleston
PEAC 117-01 Badminton/Racquetball
Spring 2016  2 Semester Hours

Time & Place:    8am  MWF,  Johnson Center, Room 110

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Office Hours:    MWF 10am-11:50am, TR 8-9am, and by appointment any day.

Prerequisites:  None

Grading:  A, B+, B, C+, C, D, F

Course Description:
The history, techniques, practice of skills, and rules of badminton, pickleball and racquetball.

Optional Texts:
Any badminton or racquetball text or informational website (YOU TUBE) may be helpful. FYI and Study Guide will be posted on OAKS.

Course Objectives: Instruction and participation within the course should prepare students to:
1. develop and improve on basic skills in badminton and racquetball by participating in drills and competitive activities.
2. demonstrate a basic knowledge and understanding of the history, rules, and strategies of badminton and racquetball through application in game situations.

Student Learning Outcomes:
1. As a result of participating in PEAC 117, students will be able to demonstrate the basic history, rules, and strategies of badminton and racquetball as assessed with a grade of 75% or better on a written test.
2. As a result of participating in PEAC 117, students will be able to demonstrate the basic skills of badminton and racquetball as assessed with a grade of 75% or better on a skills test.

Waiver Acceptance Required:
Must submit health insurance waiver or you may not continue in class. Students have one week from first day of class to complete.

**Equipment Required of Students:**
Each student must provide their own personal goggles for racquetball. All other equipment will be provided by the College.

**Requirements:**
- Participation 20%
- Skills Tests 40%
- Written Tests 40%

**Criteria For Evaluation:**
- Written Exam Badminton 20pts
- Written Exam Racquetball 20pts
- Skills Test Badminton 20pts
- Skills Test Racquetball 20pts
- Participation 20pts

Total 100pts

**Grading Scale:**
- A 93-100pts
- A- 90-92pts
- B+ 88-89pts
- B 83-87pts
- B- 80-82pts
- C+ 78-79pts
- C 74-77pts
- C- 72-73pts
- D+ 70-71pts
- D 68-69pts
- D- 66-67pts
- F 65 and below

**Make-up Test:**
Make-up written (not skills) tests may be given with an excused absence, but it is the responsibility of the student to inform the instructor immediately upon missing a test to arrange for make-up tests. Unexcused make-ups may be given with 10 points per day reduction, but not **skills tests which may be given over two class periods. Missing either day will result in loss of the skill tested on the respective day.**

**Attendance:**
Attendance is required. You may miss three classes without being penalized. For each additional unexcused absence, your final grade will be reduced by two points. Excused absences must be pre-approved by Mrs. Barnette or approved by the Undergraduate Dean's Office. No other excuses will be accepted. Those students not using the acceptable amount of cuts will have 2 bonus points per absence added to their final point total. Entering class after roll call is considered tardy. Three tardies will equal one absence on
point deductions. If a student misses three or more classes which are excused, they will not be eligible for the bonus points on attendance.

**Disability Access Statement:**
Any student eligible for and needing accommodations because of a disability is requested to speak with the professor during the first two weeks of class or as soon as the student has been approved for services so that reasonable accommodations can be arranged.

**Honor System:**
The College of Charleston Honor System is recognized in this course. For the specific details of responsibility and penalty, see the current issue of the College of Charleston Student Handbook. Take special note of the following NEW policy concerning grades and cheating. "Cases of suspected academic dishonesty will be reported directly to the Dean of Students. A student found responsible for academic dishonesty will receive a XF in the course, indicating failure of the course due to academic dishonesty. This grade will appear on the student’s transcript for two years after which the student may petition for the X to be expunged. The student may also be placed on disciplinary probation, suspended (temporary removal) or expelled (permanent removal) from the College by the Honor Board."

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**Badminton/Racquetball**

**Tentative Class Schedule**

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5f  Games
8m  Skills, Play
10w  Skills, Play
12f  Challenger Games
15m  Tourney
17w  Tourney
19f  Badminton Written -All Students
     (Jump Rope for Heart, Silcox 9-2pm, Donate $15 to Heart Association, 2pts Bonus)
22m  Practice Skills Test
24w  Badminton Skills Test (2/3 of Test)
26f  Badminton Skills Test (1/3 of Test)
29m  Begin Racquetball, Rules, Strokes

March
2w  Serves, Review Strokes, Rules
4f  Class Canceled
7-11  Spring Break
14m  Review Skills
16w  Rules, skills
18f  Play games
21m  Backwall, games
23w  Strategies, games
25f  Play Games
28m  Review skills
30w  Wild Wednesday -Doubles

April
1f  Play Games
4m  Challenges
6w  Tournament
8f  Tournament
11m  Written Test
13w  Practice Skills test
15f  Skills Test (2/3 of Test)
18m  Skills Test (1/3 of Test)
20w  Last day of Class, No exam, CPR/Evaluations*

(*If 75% of class does evaluations by this last class period, each student will receive 1 extra cut - worth 2pts.)