

These 6 Resorts Are Great For Traveling Pickleball Players

Pickleball remains the fastest-growing sport in the U.S. In honor of National Pickleball on Aug. 8, here's six resorts with fantastic courts catering to the craze.

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Rancho La Puerta hosts pickleball weeks for serious players.

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From infinity pools to rooms with swoon-worthy views, every traveler has their go-to amenities when booking a resort. But for die-hard pickleball players? Access to a good court while on vacation is non-negotiable.

The pickleball obsession is still going strong: It remains the [fastest-growing sport](#) in the United States for the fourth year in a row. While it's long been beloved by retirees, the average player age is now 34.8, with younger generations picking up paddles and joining the fun. Pickleball-centric travel is even becoming its own thing, with travel agents booking court times, organizing tournaments, and yes, even planning pickleball cruises.

In honor of National Pickleball Day (it's Aug. 8), here's a half dozen resorts that serve up epic pickleball courts and are ideal for booking if you're the type who never leaves home without your paddle.

Rancho La Puerta in Tecate, Mexico



Post-pickleball, retreat to your private plunge pool.

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Pickleball enthusiasts of all levels will find fun and competition on the courts at [Rancho La Puerta](#), where you can play matches with your travel companions or sharpen your skills on outdoor courts with expert-led instruction. The courts' exterior lighting means p.m. pickleball matches don't have to stop when the sun goes down.

Serious pickleball players should especially put this Mexico resort on their radar in 2025. For players rated 2.5 to 4.0, the resort's [Specialty Pickleball Weeks](#)—running December 6–13 and December 13–20, 2025—offer an immersive experience with 15 hours of small-group coaching led by renowned pros Mario Boschi, Rick Witsken, and other guest instructors.

Pickleball weeks will include hands-on instruction, unlimited open play, three spa treatments, on-court refreshments, and a curated welcome gift bag.