



CAMERON TAYLOR

Co-Founder & Head Teaching Professional

Taylored Pickleball Academy (TPA) &
Taylored Pickleball Initiative (TPI)



Coaching

Cam is a 5.0 ranked player and has his level 2 certified Pickleball Teaching Professional through the IPTPA. He has been teaching pickleball for the last 7 years with over 3000 hours of on-court experience.

He is the club professional for Headwaters Racquet Club, Sudbury Indoor Tennis Centre, True North Courts, Lighthouse Point, Thornbury Pickleball Club and Wasaga Beach Pickleball Club among many other partnerships across Ontario and Canada.

The mission of Taylored Pickleball Academy is to provide the highest quality lessons, clinics, boot camps and club events in a fun, challenging, learning environment. Cameron's ability to relate and connect with players is one of the valuable skills he brings to the court.

When combined with his proficiency for identifying opportunities and improving a player's overall game any participant leaves with a positive experience and more confidence in their abilities. His ability to create a learning environment that is both light and fun makes the sport accessible to players of all skill levels.

Pickleball-Specific Experience

- **Pickleball Ontario Board Member** for 2 years - overseeing Provincial Tournaments, Coaching/Referee Development
- **GTPC** - One of the Founding Members of a highly successful pickleball club in Collingwood, ON that is now in its 5th year of operations
- **Events** - Hosted and ran multiple successful tournaments and events across Ontario
- **Facilities** - Part of an ownership group that opened an indoor pickleball facility and has partnered with multiple facilities across Ontario to provide coaching and program development for their pickleball communities
- **Connections** - Currently building a team of coaches in Ontario to help successfully facilitate TPA programs, Clinics and Lessons
- **Youth** - Founding member of TPI - A charity focused on youth and indigenous groups with the goal of using our sport as a conduit to growth

Development/Management

- **Volunteer Firefighter** for 13 years - including 2 as an officer whose portfolio included department training and community awareness.
- **Restaurant Management** for 8 years - day-to-day management of various restaurants and event facilities, with a primary focus on execution and training of staff

Sports Background

- **Volleyball** - Level 3 Volleyball Canada Official - 18 years - Refereeing events across Canada at all Levels
 - **Referee Assignor** - Managing a team of officials across a catchment area, building relationships with facilities and schools to provide officials for their matches.
 - **Trainer** - As senior officials, we operate as mentors for our junior officials and help evolve and mature their matches' quality.
 - **Coaching** - Coached volleyball to youth at a high school and rep team level