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OPAL: Putting The Fun Back Into Playing League



Boomers Page

NUMBER OF TIMES YOU MUST PLAY

In order to advance to playoffs and tri-cups, you must play at least 4 times with your team this session. In double jeopardy, you must play 4 times with the 8-ball team to advance with the 8-ball team. In order to advance with the 9-ball team, you must play 4 times with the 9-ball team.

Time Outs

Only the player involved in the match is allowed at the table. No one else should be coming up to the table, unless a timeout has been called or they have been specifically called up to watch a hit. During a time out, only the player and the coach are allowed at the table. If the coach wants to have a conference with someone else on the team, the conference must be away from the pool table. Only a player listed on the roster can coach a player. Visitors should not be engaging in any disputes that may arise during the match or be involved in any coaching. Time outs are to be limited to one minute only, including any conferences. This is a time to advise the player, not teach them how to play pool. Once the balls have stopped moving on the table it is the next player's turn at the table. The player needs to approach the table immediately and all coaching must stop. Sideline coaching, whether verbal or physical, is illegal and is a ball in hand foul. Continuous complaints about sideline coaching will result in severe penalties up to and including getting kicked out of the league. Play fair and use your timeouts wisely. Note: Rule clarifications are not considered a time out.

MAKE UP MATCHES NEED TO BE COMPLETED

All make up matches, including matches from Chinook Winds week, need to be completed by November 15. Thanksgiving matches need to be pre-played if you will not be able to field a team for that week. If you have not made arrangements with the other team to get your make up or pre-plays completed, you need to do so immediately. Failure to complete a make up match may result in your team not being eligible for playoffs or tri-cups no matter what position you hold in the standings. Makeup and pre-play matches need to be turned in when your next week's score sheet are due, even if you have a bye that week, to be considered on time. Be sure and call the league office before you do a make up to get the most current skill levels. Remember, the office is closed all day on Sunday.

Last Week To Add Players

Except in extreme situations, this week is the last week to add players to your team for all divisions. "Extreme situations" will be determined by the league office. We do not allow additions during the last 4 weeks of the session. If you need to add a player to your roster, you must call the league office to get specific instructions on how to do so. Failure to follow those instructions may lead to that person not being added to your team and any matches they may have played being forfeited.

Hope To See You All At Chinook

8-Ball Play Till You Win Singles Qualifiers

Saturday, November 22 All Skill levels, starting at 10 am

(Boards will be grouped by skill level whenever possible)

Please pre-register early, so we can set up a 2nd location if necessary

Rodder's, 19195 S Molalla, Oregon City, OR 503-605-2363

Stay all day or arrive when you can!

For one \$40 entry fee or 62 Incentive points, plus \$3 greens fee, you can play on as many 4 person-single elimination boards as we have time to run, until you win

Win 2 races on a board and you qualify for the 2015 Spring Regionals

We will draw the last boards of the day at 7 pm

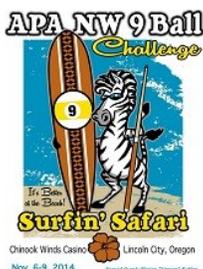
Call the league office by 5 pm, Friday, November 21 to pre-register

503-243-6725

Tips For Sending Your Paperwork Electronically

Please note that this option is available for all teams, even if you are not in an electronic division.

1. Scanning and emailing to apaboomer@aol.com is the preferred method. Please have your score keepers keep score in blue or black ink. Pencil does not copy well. Use white out for those occasional errors. We would prefer to get a messy score sheet that we can read, rather than one that we cannot read at all. Remember we need both sides of the 9 ball score sheet.
2. If you are using your smart phone to take pictures, make sure that you have good lighting. Pool table lights generally do not provide enough light to get a good clear image. Please make sure to get close enough that we can read the score sheet. We need to be able to see the entire score sheet. There is important information at the top of the score sheet that we need. Again pen must be used in order for us to get a clear image.
3. If sending by email, I will always send you a confirmation stating that I have received your paperwork. If you do not get a confirmation by your deadline, you need to investigate. Always put something in the subject line indicating what team name or number the score sheets are for. If I am not here, the office staff will only open what they need to process for that day. If there is nothing in the subject line, your email may be skipped. Please open the confirmation, there may be questions that we have regarding your paperwork that we need clarification on.
4. Anything that is paper can be sent by email including special performance forms, nickname changes and applications. We do not need the originals. Sending a copy of your check or money order, is not proof of payment.
5. We do accept Paypal. Before sending your first Paypal payment, please contact the league office. We have a specific way we need to have this sent. You can set up a Paypal account by going to Paypal.com. Payments and score sheets must be received by the deadline for your division in order to receive the maximum number of bonus points.



If you have not sent in your entry for Early Bird Scotch or 3 Person Team, I am sorry, you missed the boat. **Any changes to these events need to be in the office by Nov 2.**

Free exhibition, Thurs Nov 6 at 8 pm by Florian "Venom" Kohler

You can, however, still sign up for Singles until 1 pm, Nov 6, at Chinook Winds

Pool Gods Tournament until 4 pm, Nov 6, at Chinook Winds

Weekender Scotch until 10 pm, Nov 7 at Chinook Winds

Lincoln City Open until Noon, Nov 8 at the Billiards and Barstools booth at Chinook Winds.

Do not mail anymore entries or put them in your team packets.

I may not get them in time