



## Welcome to the Players Meeting

Sunday, Sept 4<sup>th</sup> @ 1:00 pm

League Operators:  
Scot Burnell & Liza Gazmen

sandiego.apaleagues.com  
(619) 303-0183  
sandiego@apaleagues.com

## Agenda



- ❖ Quick Sync Objective
- ❖ Meeting Guidelines
- ❖ Vegas Teams (Captains and Masters)!
- ❖ Hot Topics
- ❖ Key Changes
- ❖ Top Questions Being Asked by the Players
- ❖ Open Forum Q&A

\*closed captioning will be turned on for this meeting

## Quick Sync: 15mins



- ❖ Objective is to cover all agenda items in 15 minutes
- ❖ League Office will remain online for Open Forum Q&A for up to an additional 30 mins
- ❖ Presentation and Video Recording will be Posted online

## Meeting Guidelines



- ❖ Chat: Please keep this open for questions, rather than random comments
- ❖ Some questions may need to be taken offline and answered later
- ❖ Purpose of meeting is not to debate process or rules, but rather to inform and clarify
- ❖ Concerns and suggestions can be sent via email, and we will respond promptly
- ❖ Any inappropriate comments/actions will result in that individual being muted and/or dropped





**CHAMPION**  
★ ★ ★ 2022




WE SHOWED UP!

**World Pool  
Championship  
Results!**

*Congrats to All  
the Teams that  
went to Worlds!*




**TALK IS CHEAP**  
2022 3RD PLACE \$3,000



## Hot Topics

- ❖ Teams who won the Summer Blast ([Cities Qualified](#))
  - Need to keep 4 players on your team in Fall and Spring sessions to retain qualification eligibility for Cities
  - Spring Session ending roster will be your Cities & Vegas Rosters
- ❖ Fall Session starting Tues 9/6, if you haven't confirmed your team please reach out
  - Reposting all Divisions today
  - As always, we welcome new teams and new team captains
  - Please ensure new players [join](#) (become APA member) before playing their first match if possible
  - Anyone can start a team
- ❖ Make sure [member services account](#) is up to date (ph# and email are used for communications)
- ❖ Official Team Manual has shot times (20s avg, 45s difficult and 1 min timeouts)
- ❖ Rules change, may be misinterpreted from another area or league → confirm current ruling via the [OTM](#) and [Bylaws](#)



## Hot Topics



- ❖ Double check opponent's scoresheet for name, player #'s and correct match score to avoid incorrect standings
  - Teams are responsible to inform the league office about a discrepancy within 1 week for adjustments that impact standings and MVP
  - Patches and other misses can be corrected at any time
- ❖ Please read the Message Center (yellow highlight on scoresheets) as we use it for key communications
- ❖ Watched shots: once both teams agree on the person watching, no disputing the call
  - If the shot isn't watched it's shooter's call, same rule no disputing
- ❖ Teams looking for players/Players looking for teams
  - we have a list
  - Contact us as not all players use the [FB team building page](#)

## Hot Topics



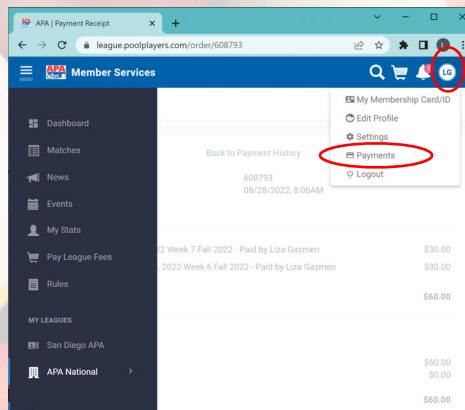
- ❖ Rumors
  - Please reach out directly as we have heard many rumors that may not be accurate.
- ❖ Things that can occur when not using your correct scoresheet
  - Incorrect past due
  - Incorrect filing of your scoresheet (or it gets deleted)
  - Incorrect opponent for next week
  - Marking the wrong team as returning
- ❖ Voicemails and Text Messages: please provide details so we can be prepared when responding back
- ❖ Players who move up 2 or more skill levels in a session
  - Not eligible for MVP (on any night they play in that session)
  - Their Team will lose points earned for any matches they played at the lower skill level
  - To avoid, know your players ability before they play and/or move them up during the match
- ❖ Known limitation of member services
  - Will not show playoff patches earned
    - They will be correct in the report we run for Blast
    - National Office has this in the queue to resolve



## Hot Topics



For App/Stripe payments review “payment history” under your initials in the app to determine if a discrepancy in your account



- Under Schedule: “Match Paid by XYZ” may not be accurate when a schedule change occurs. Best path is payment history.

## Hot Topics



- ❖ Starts Oct 1<sup>st</sup>
- ❖ Monthly Division



❖ Oct 27 – 30<sup>th</sup>



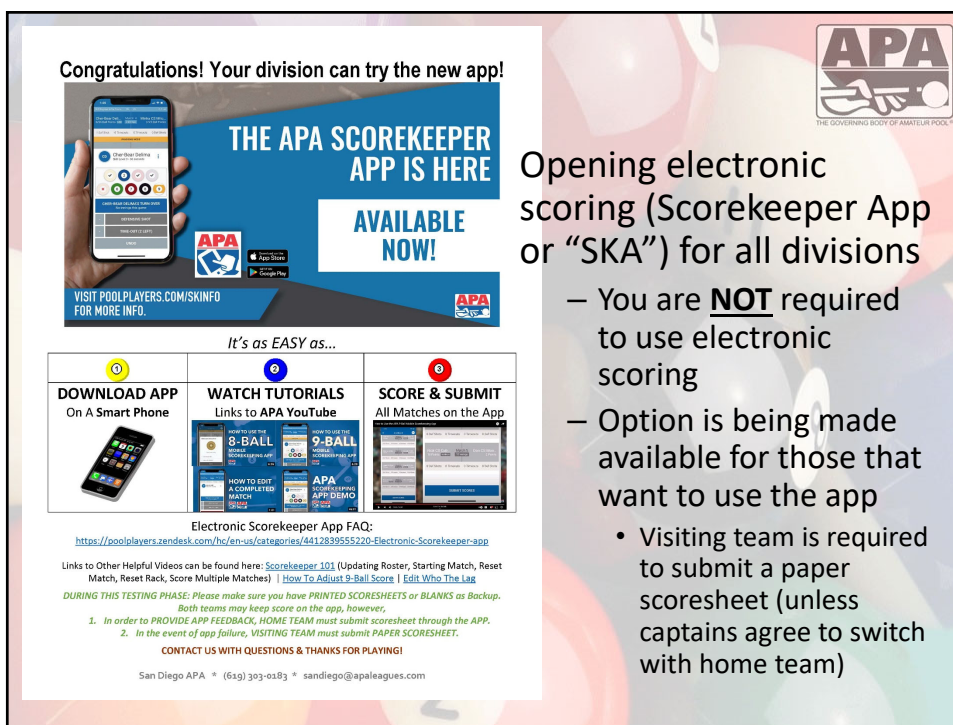
- ❖ Starts Oct 15<sup>th</sup>
- ❖ Monthly Division

❖ All details can be found on the San Diego Website  
<https://sandiego.apaleagues.com/Default.aspx>

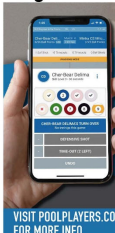


## Hot Topics

- ❖ We heard the feedback regarding league play during Nationals
  - Discussed at the BOG meeting 8/27
  - Session end made it more complicated
  - How to manage rescheduling and pre-play
    - Support from league office to accomplish these
- ❖ Worlds/Vegas Dates have shifted over the years so aligning to Summer Playoffs isn't always possible due to session requirements
- ❖ Will Share our Plan for 2023 Worlds in the Spring Session Players Meeting




Congratulations! Your division can try the new app!





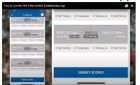
### THE APA SCOREKEEPER APP IS HERE

**AVAILABLE NOW!**

VISIT [POOLPLAYERS.COM/SKINFO](http://POOLPLAYERS.COM/SKINFO) FOR MORE INFO.



*It's as EASY as...*

1	2	3
<b>DOWNLOAD APP</b> On A Smart Phone 	<b>WATCH TUTORIALS</b> Links to APA YouTube 	<b>SCORE &amp; SUBMIT</b> All Matches on the App 

**Electronic Scorekeeper App FAQ:**  
<https://poolplayers.zendesk.com/hc/en-us/categories/441283955220-Electronic-Scorekeeper-app>

Links to Other Helpful Videos can be found here: [Scorekeeper 101](#) (Updating Roster, Starting Match, Reset Match, Reset Rack, Score Multiple Matches) | [How To Adjust 9-Ball Score](#) | [Edit Who The Lag](#)

*DURING THIS TESTING PHASE: Please make sure you have PRINTED SCORESHEETS or BLANKS as Backup. Both teams may keep score on the app, however.*

**1. In order to PROVIDE APP FEEDBACK, HOME TEAM must submit scoresheet through the APP.**  
**2. In the event of app failure, VISITING TEAM must submit PAPER SCORESHEET.**


**CONTACT US WITH QUESTIONS & THANKS FOR PLAYING!**  
 San Diego APA \* (619) 303-0183 \* [sandiego@apaleagues.com](mailto:sandiego@apaleagues.com)



Opening electronic scoring (Scorekeeper App or "SKA") for all divisions

- You are **NOT** required to use electronic scoring
- Option is being made available for those that want to use the app
  - Visiting team is required to submit a paper scoresheet (unless captains agree to switch with home team)

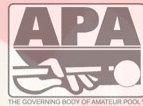
## Hot Topics



- ❖ **BOG Meeting held 8/27**
  - Onboarding of new BOG members
    - Anyone can be Nominated (min requirements)
      - Player must accept nomination
      - SDAPA member for 2 or more years
      - Must play multiple nights
    - BOG votes, majority
  - Running BLAST at other locations
    - May try one format in the future

## Key Changes

Since Last Player's Meeting



- ❖ Rescheduled matches will be played at your current skill level, not necessarily what appears on original scoresheet
  - Aligns to Official Team Manual
  - Teams are responsible to look them up, signed scoresheets are final
- ❖ No requirement to play in the last 2 weeks for Perfect Session
  - Was not a requirement for MVP and is still not a requirement
- ❖ Bi-Weekly Ladies and Monthly Leagues will be updated weekly. Please use the scoresheet closest to the date you play your match
- ❖ Doubles Leagues
  - Teams will now get trophies for Division and Playoff Winners
  - MVP will no longer be an award
- ❖ [League Office Hours](#) (M-F 10am-7:30pm, Sat-Sun 11-6pm)
  - Text or email 24/7
    - After hours, please text if urgent
      - Doesn't include rules that can be looked up in the OTM or Bylaws



## Top Questions Being Asked by Players



- ❖ Q: I can no longer see the option to pay for a league night in the app or I have past dues?
  - A: Once a match is entered you will no longer be able to pay for that week.
  - A: You can pay past league dues via the various options (<https://sandiego.apaleagues.com/scoresheets-payments.aspx>)
    - Example Zelle, Paypal, Venmo, CashApp.
- ❖ Q: Can I add a player after week 4?
  - A: Yes, up until the last 2 weeks. Exception: qualified teams in the Spring session cannot change their rosters.
- ❖ Q: Do I have to send in partial or BYE scoresheets
  - A: No, only send in your scoresheets once the full match is complete
  - A: No, BYE scoresheets are no longer required

## Open Forum Q&A

