Captains Log, September 9th, 2018

The Fall Singles Regional will take place at <u>Pockets Billiards and Brew</u> on October 6th. If you are scheduled to play in the 9 Ball Regional, the date of October 7th is being changed to October 6th. The 8 Ball Regional has registration starting at 8am on October 6th and the 9 Ball Regional registration starts at 1pm. Emails will be sent out confirming these changes. As of this writing, there will be 5 Boards in 8 ball and 3 boards in 9 Ball, and we will qualify one winner on each board. There will also be a winner in each skill level tier. The current singles board qualifying window is open until November 30th and will qualify players for the Spring Regional. The Spring Regional is the last qualifier for the <u>2019 APA Poolplayer</u> <u>Championships</u>.

<u>Southwest Challenge entry forms</u> were due in the league office on September 8th. You can still get in after the entry deadline, but the longer you wait, administration fees make the package price more expensive. The skill levels lock on September 17th. Any team that is signed up that adds up to more than the max handicap of 15 on September 17th will be required to make a roster change. Any team that isn't paid up by September 17th will not have their skill levels locked until payment is received and if you are over 15 when payment is received, your team will be required to make a change to be 15 or less. You can go up after September 17th if your team was submitted on time and it won't count against you, unless it's more than 1 player and it puts you at 17 or more.

APA is still transitioning in the electronic industry, so it's probably a bit confusing out there trying to determine which apps/web sites to use. Here is a list of what is currently offered:

<u>www.mysdapa.com</u> this is our debit/credit card payment app which also provides info on how to pay other ways, submit score sheets, etc...

<u>sandiego.apaleague.com</u> is the old web site. It still works and some people prefer it to the newer one. However, new things are being added to the new one. The message board no longer works on this site, but we do still post league related stuff to this page. Access to <u>members.poolplayers.com</u> is available on this page.

league.poolplayers.com is the new web site. This one takes you right to members.poolplayers.com

<u>www.poolplayers.com</u> is the APA National web site. This is where you can get information regarding national tournaments, national APA discounts, membership information and you can also access members.poolplayers.com there. You can also download the free app APA Pool Leagues to your phone. This is basically the cell phone access page for league.poolplayers.com

We have Facebook pages for you to follow also. <u>San Diego APA</u> is our business page. We use this page to keep you up to date on what's happening in our league. We have a Facebook page called <u>San Diego APA Team Building Group</u>. This is where we send people who are looking to add players to their teams and players looking to be added to teams. It's a nice page to find a new member for your team. We also have <u>SDAPA Singles Qualifier Events & Info</u> to keep up on when Singles Qualifiers are taking place to qualify for the APA Poolplayer Championships. <u>San Diego APA Players</u> is our most recently added page, which is designed for anything anyone would like to talk about that doesn't pertain to singles qualifiers or teams looking for players. It's kind of like our message board replacement page. Find these on Facebook and click to follow them to stay up to date on everything SDAPA! The <u>APA National Office Facebook page</u> is American Poolplayers Association.

When you are submitting payments to the league office, it is extremely important to put your 5 digit team number in the comments section of the payment submission. Your team number can change each session, so make sure you are using the most current team number for this Fall Session. We want you to receive credit for submitting the payment, and the team number makes it much easier for us to find your team to apply the payment in our scoring program.

We do have new <u>APA team manuals</u> for this current league year. You can access the new team manual at <u>www.poolplayers.com</u>. Very soon, there will be a bar code right on your score sheet that you will be able to scan with your smart phone that will access the team manual. In the meantime, we will have manuals available at <u>the Blast</u> if you would like to come by and get your own copy. Grab one for your host location so that they have one on site for your league matches.

Prize money checks for the Summer Session will start mailing out September 13th. If someone other than the captain is to receive the check, please <u>contact the league office</u> to make that change. Be sure we have your current address on file, also. Checks will be mailed to the captains home address.

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