

## Captains Log, February 16th, 2020

Entry forms were sent out to each [Southwest Challenge](#) team that signed up. It was sent to the person that signed up the team. If you didn't receive yours, please [contact the league office](#). We also have it [posted on the web site](#), but please do not fill one out from the web site until you have actually signed up by contacting the league office first. The entry deadline is February 22nd. If your entry isn't submitted by the February 22nd due date, your team will be moved to the bottom of our sign up list, and I cannot guarantee spots for teams at the bottom of our list. Skill levels will lock on March 2nd, but only for those teams that are fully paid. If your team adds up to more than 14 on the day of the skill level lock, you will be required to switch out one of your players. This does happen on occasion since we have so many teams going to this event, The best thing I can recommend to those teams that add up to 14 on the week of the skill level lock is to avoid playing someone that you think is close to going up.

If you are submitting Southwest Challenge fees, we accept check, money orders, Zelle and Venmo payments along with Paypal, but only if you use Friends and Family. Paypal has two ways of submitting payments, "Goods and Services" and "Friends and Family". "Goods and Services" charges the recipient a fee and "Friends and Family" does not. Every dime of your Southwest Challenge entry fee is spoken for, and if you send it "Goods and Services", the fees charged make it where we did not receive the full \$540 required to participate. If you send it as "Goods and Services", we will reject the payment. There is a toggle on your Paypal app that allows you to change your payment from "Goods and Services" to "Friends and Family". Many of you have paid already, and we do appreciate receiving the payment before the due date.

We currently have more than 70 teams signed up for the Southwest Challenge, so San Diego will have an amazing turn out once again.

Fran Adamson (APA member at Stagecoach Inn) asked to place this announcement in the newsletter, and since it involves charity work of some kind and our league members, we are happy to oblige, so here goes....

"The founders and members of One Life To Love in Baja (a women's shelter for women and children who are victims of abuse) would like to extend a very heartfelt thank you to Rachael Stone, Owner of Stagecoach Inn in Vista, and the players of the San Diego APA teams who play out of Stagecoach as their home location. They recently came together and helped raise funds for one of our young ladies in need of extensive medical care. As a board member for the shelter and a long-time APA player, I commend these individuals working in unity for such a noble cause." Fran Adamson, on behalf of One Life to Love in Baja.

[Singles Regionals](#) takes place the first weekend of March. [Pockets Billiards and Brew](#) will be your host and the San Diego APA League Operators will be your tournament directors. If you qualified on a Singles Board between June 15, 2019 and December 1st of 2019, you should be on our list of competitors. If you have not received your paperwork from APA, please reach out to the league office. We can email you the forms that APA sent by mail. The 8 Ball qualifier is on Saturday, March 7. We will be qualifying 5 players total for the APA Poolplayer Championships [8 Ball Classic](#) in May at this event, with one from every skill level tier. The 9 Ball Regional qualifier takes place on Sunday, March 8th and we will be qualifying 3 players for the APA Poolplayer Championships [9 Ball Shootout](#). There will be one winner each in the 4-5, 6-7 and 8-9 skill level tiers. The skill level 1-3 players that qualified for this event are actually scheduled to compete in the Riverside CA Regional on Sunday, March 8th. There is a small handful of players coming from Desert Cities APA to compete in the 8 Ball Regional, and the 9 Ball Regional is 100% San Diego APA players. We have a chance to qualify 8 more players for the PPC. The following players qualified for the Poolplayer Championships in October 2019:

8 Ball Classic Blue Tier (skill level 2-3) **Angela Elliott** 8 Ball Classic Yellow Tier (skill level 4) **Pam Cabaniss** 8 Ball Classic Red Tier (skill level 5) **David Salyer** 8 Ball Classic Orange Tier (skill level 6) **Ces Ralston** and **Joel Kindem**

9 Ball Shootout White Tier (skill level 1-3) **Cynthia Walker** and **Michael Hartman** 9 Ball Shootout Gray Tier (skill level 6-7) **Darryn Lewis** 9 Ball Shootout Black Tier (skill level 8-9) **Paul Langley**

Congratulations once again to everyone that won in October and good luck to everyone competing on March 7-8.

Shoot Pool Good! Brian, Jill and Lindsay Office Hours 9am-7:30pm Daily 619-303-0183

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