

Captains Log, January 21st, 2018

I'm providing the membership payment information again, because it's now the 4th week for Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday divisions, and it will be the 4th week for Sunday and Monday teams next week. No players are allowed to be listed on rosters after week 4 if they have not [paid membership fees](#). If you play someone on your team after week 4 and they do not submit the membership fees, the team becomes responsible for those fees as we are required to send APA their membership money.

It is membership renewal time. Many of you have already renewed online. You are certainly welcome to pay your memberships online at www.poolplayers.com. If you want to pay your membership via cash, check or money order, you can do that by mailing payment to:

SDAPA
PO Box 19848
San Diego CA 92159

We do NOT accept credit card payments for memberships through our payment portal at www.mysdapa.com site. There is a reason that "membership" isn't a purchase option through that site. APA will happily take your credit card/debit card payments through their direct site, listed above. Memberships need to be paid by week 4 to stay listed on the roster of your teams. Anyone not paid up on week 4 will be removed from the roster for week 5. QUALIFIED TEAMS (teams that are qualified from Summer and teams that could still qualify from the Fall Session Blast) must have all of their members paid up no later than week 4 or they will be dropped and cannot be re-added. By rule in the [APA Official Team Manual](#), no qualified teams are allowed to add players to their roster after week 4 of the Spring Session. Qualified teams can make roster changes within those first 4 weeks, but once the 4th week passes, your roster is set for [City Championships](#) provided you met all other eligibility requirements.

Prize money checks for standings and playoff winners from the Fall Session are being mailed to captains unless you specified otherwise. You should receive these checks on or close to the date of your scheduled match this week. If your team re-qualified and does not have to play in [the Blast](#) this time, your check will be available for pickup at the Blast this weekend. You can have anyone come by to pick up the check and trophies for your team.

[MVP](#) trophies, [patches](#), [Perfect Session](#) trophies and other awards will be available for pickup this coming weekend at the Blast. The hours we are scheduled to be at [Pockets Billiards and Brew](#) this coming weekend (January 27-28) are 10am to 7pm on Saturday and 11am to 6pm on Sunday. If you are picking up patches, be sure to make a list of names of your teammates for pickup. You can also look up ahead of time on the web site to see who on your team has patches or MVP awards coming to them.

Time is running out to get your team in for the [2018 APA 8 Ball Southwest Challenge](#) in Las Vegas. We have lots of teams signed up and it's going to be a great time once again. We hope to see you there. We will be sending out the official entry forms in a few weeks. Entry forms with payment are due February 17th. The [flyer](#) with all of the details for the Southwest Challenge is posted on our web site.

The MVP list that posts on the member services web site shows everyone in your division in each tier that has played at least one match. However, to actually win MVP in your division, you must have played in at least 51% of the matches that your team was scheduled to play. Obviously, byes do not count as a week of play since no one on your team plays during a bye week. Playoff weeks also do not count towards MVP. So someone can be listed as being in first place in the MVP race, but they still have to meet the criteria we require to be eligible to win the award. Also, anyone that goes up more than one skill level within that session and wins at the highest level is not eligible to win MVP.

Perfect Session awards require that a league member play in at least 66% of the matches the team is scheduled to play, play in one of the last two weeks of play the team was scheduled in that session, and has never lost a match. Congratulations to Salvador Laguna, John Pasquarella, Blake Kamiab, John Plunkett, Rob Ossorio, Melissa Schulz, Frances Tiumalu and Ethan Flores for their outstanding accomplishment this session!

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