

## Captains Log, November 11th, 2018 - UPDATED WITH CORRECTION REGARDING ADDING PLAYERS

This is the final week of the Fall Session to add players to your roster if you play on Sunday, Monday or Tuesday division teams. Wednesday and Thursday teams cannot add players to their roster at this time without League Operator approval. If you have make up matches, you need to get those done. We do not allow makeups in the last two weeks of play.

There will be a [Turkey Shoot tournament](#) on Saturday, November 24th at [Pockets Billiards and Brew](#). It's a single game matches and a double elimination tournament. There will be two separate events. One is for skill level 2-4 and the other one is skill level 5-7. Any APA member competing in our league is eligible to compete in this event. If you only play 9 Ball and don't have an up to date 8 Ball skill level, your 9 Ball skill level will be used to determine which tournament you play in. The entry fee is \$10 and these tournaments are double elimination. We will be adding prize money to each tournament based on participation, and the fields are limited to the first 64 paid players in each tournament. We are not taking early sign ups. Doors open at 12pm and tournaments begin at approximately 1:30pm. APA 8 Ball rules apply. See the flyer for more details about this event.

As we get closer to playoffs, we would like to remind you that players need a minimum of 4 matches with the team for the session to be eligible for playoffs. Any new members to your team are also required to have a minimum of 6 lifetime matches in the format you are competing in along with the 4 match for the session rule to be eligible to compete in the [Blast tournament](#). As an example, if you had a player that joined an 8 Ball team as a new APA member and they have 4 matches for the regular session, they are eligible to play in the playoffs. If they play both weeks of playoffs and your team wins, they now have 6 matches and are eligible to compete in the Blast. If your team is looking to finish in 1st place in the standings, your team won't get those extra playoff matches to get your new player their necessary 6 to play in the Blast. So please be aware of the eligibility rules as we constantly see teams not getting their new players the necessary 6 matches to be eligible for Blast.

As the session comes to a close, we would also like to remind everyone that the [MVP](#) races can change dramatically from week to week. Whatever skill level a player finishes the session as is the skill level tier they will calculate for MVP. As an example, even if someone played an entire session as a skill level 3 and in that last match of the session their score was good enough to make that player go up to a 4, they will calculate in the skill level 4-5 tier for MVP. You need to have played in a minimum of 51% of the matches to be eligible for the MVP, also. A lot of the time, there are players that are ranked at the top of the MVP list that are not eligible to win the award, so be sure to count their matches. Byes do not count as a week of play when determining the 51% matches played rule.

With the Old Member Services now replaced by the [New Member Services](#), we have come across a problem that needs to be addressed. When you go to print score sheets on the New Member Services, rather than clicking a box to print only your score sheet or the opponent's score sheet or both, the New Member Services page just automatically brings up both team's score sheets for each match. The first sheet that is currently set to print should be your team's page, but double check it by making sure your team name and number are listed at the top. Each of those score sheets are different. The biggest problem with printing the opponent's sheet instead of yours is that the match ups for next week will not be for your team. We are also having problems in the office with teams printing and using the wrong sheets, because when you submit the wrong sheet to us, once we print the score sheet from your email, we think it's from the other team instead of your team as it is showing the other team's number and name on top. To determine which of the two sheets to print, your team name will be listed at the very top of the sheet along with your team number. So when you click the score sheet link, it will open up two score sheets for each individual match. You then need to look closely at the two sheets and then choose to print page 1 or 2 depending on which one is for your team. We apologize for this confusion. I'm not sure if APA has plans to put a toggle switch back in for this new site or not, so all we can do for now is try to warn you to print the correct sheet to prevent people from going to the wrong bars next week and ensure that you use and submit the correct score sheet.

We sadly announce the passing of two of our SDAPA league members. Mitch "Ty" Wood died a few weeks ago. Ty joined our league in 2013 and he played on teams out of the Break Room, JP's Pub and Nite Owl. Ty was only 36 years old and was actively competing on his first 9 Ball team. Lee Landau-Harrison passed away on November 4th. Lee joined the SDAPA in 2015 and played on teams at On Cue, Break Room, Pockets and Channel 2 Sports Bar. Lee was a skill level 3 and mostly competed as a 9 Ball player during his time with APA. Our sincerest condolences go out to the friends, family and teammates of Ty and Lee. They will be missed!

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