

AIR CAP POOL LEAGUE NEWS

PLAYER AVERAGES ARE ONLINE... www.acplwichita.com

LEAGUE POOL ETIQUETTE

We have some new players to the league that are unfamiliar with league pool etiquette. Simply put **the shooter 'owns' the area around the table**. The opponent should not approach the table until it is their turn. That includes picking up chalk when you are not the shooter! You **should not stand beside** the table or in the line of the shooter. Teammates are **not to approach** the table when any player is shooting to just 'look at a shot'! Only when a time out is ACTUALLY called, is it appropriate for others to approach the table. (Or when a player requests a Referee to watch the hit.) Until then, there should be no communication of the game being played with the shooter, **including the opponent heckling (sharking) the shooter**. In general; **if you are not shooting, you should be at least 6 feet away from the table and not causing a distraction to the shooter.**

Team Captains it is your responsibility to make sure that your players conduct themselves in accordance with the sportsmanship and etiquette standards set by this league.

MAKE-UP MATCHES

WE ALREADY HAVE SEVERAL MAKE-UP MATCHES. THE 'OFF WEEK' IS OCTOBER 3RD – 6TH. THIS WEEK WILL BE USED FOR MAKE-UP MATCHES AND TO PREPLAY ANY MATCHES NECESSARY.

FYI – MONDAY TEAMS, WE ARE SCHEDULED TO PLAY ON LABOR DAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH! LET ME KNOW A.S.A.P. IF YOUR TEAM WILL NEED TO RESCHEDULE YOUR MATCH TO THE OFF WEEK!

IS THAT A TIME OUT?!

IF A TEAM MEMBER OR ANOTHER PERSON OFFERS ADVISE REGARDING PLAY WHEN IT IS THE SHOOTER'S TURN AT THE TABLE, THEN **SAID ADVISE SHALL CONSTITUTE A TIME OUT. A PLAYER'S TURN BEGINS WHEN THE OPPONENT MISSES AND ALL BALLS HAVE STOPPED MOVING.** ANY DISCUSSION OF PLAY CAN OCCUR WHEN IT *IS NOT* THE SHOOTERS TURN AT THE TABLE. IF COACHING IS OFFERED WHEN A PLAYER DOES NOT HAVE A TIME OUT LEFT, THEN IT IS A FOUL AND BALL IN HAND IS GIVEN TO THEIR OPPONENT. PLEASE USE GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP AND MAINTAIN COACHING TO THE DESIGNATED TIME ALLOTMENT. (*Rule Book Page 8 Paragraph C and Page 14 Paragraph H #5.*)

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING THE AIR CAP POOL LEAGUE!