

AIR CAP POOL LEAGUE NEWS

WHAT AVERAGE DO I USE?

This week all players that have played 3 matches this session will have an established average ON THE ATTACHED STAT SHEET. (Remember, if you play on multiple nights your average can change from night to night.) Each week the Fall Session player averages will be attached to this newsletter and is to be used each week, it will be revised weekly based on your play. **You now use the established players handicap in the book ONLY for players who have NOT yet played three matches for the same team in the same division.** If you have a new player to our league, they will be establishing an average every week until they have played three times and are listed in the weekly stats.

Sportsmanship Requirements

It is essential that all players understand that the **Air-Cap Pool League** will not tolerate any displays of bad sportsmanship....while playing your match, it is not acceptable to talk to your opponent while they are shooting, you should maintain at least a 5-6 foot distance from the table when you are not shooting, never resort to verbal or physical altercations in the event of a disagreement. If such a disagreement occurs, please call me immediately. Any team that starts a fight with the opposing team, club patrons, or disrespects the hosting bar management will be expelled from our league and will not be allowed to play in future sessions.

FROZEN BALLS?

NOW THAT I HAVE YOUR ATTENTION...ALL DIVISIONS (EXCEPT TUESDAY OPEN VNEA) ARE TO USE THE MODIFIED B.C.A.P.L. RULE FORMAT REGARDING THE FROZEN BALL RULE, AS SPECIFIED IN YOUR RULE BOOK...

SOME PLAYERS ARE HAVING TROUBLE UNDERSTANDING THIS RULE. SOME PEOPLE SEEM TO THINK THAT THERE IS NO LONGER A **"PUSH SHOT"** RULE...**THAT IS INCORRECT.** HERE IT IS IN SIMPLE TERMS:

WHEN THE CUE BALL IS FROZEN TO OBJECT BALL OR RAIL (BOTH PLAYERS AGREE), IT CAN BE SHOT STRAIGHT THROUGH (NO 45 DEGREE MINIMUM)...

IF BOTH PLAYERS AGREE BALLS WERE FROZEN BEFORE THE SHOT.
REMEMBER THIS ONLY APPLIES WHEN THE CUE BALL IS FROZEN TO THE OBJECT BALL AND DOES NOT APPLY TO THE TUESDAY OPEN VNEA DIVISION