

8 BALL RULES
TRI-CUPS & WORLD POOL QUALIFIER
CONGRATULATIONS AND GOOD LUCK

1. **RULES & FORMAT – 8 BALL APA RULES**
 - A. **NO USING CELL PHONES WHILE PLAYING, PLEASE LEAVE CELL PHONES ON SILENT.**
 - B. **NO WEARING OF I-POD, WALKMANS - ONLY EXCEPTION IS: HEARING AIDS AND REGULAR EAR PLUGS.**
2. **CONDUCT - SPORTSMANSHIP IS A MUST**
3. **DRESS CODE – DRESS IS CASUAL, MUST BE APPROPRIATE & IN GOOD TASTE.**
4. **HANDICAPS/SKILL LEVELS WILL BE REVIEWED AFTER EACH ROUND – PLAYERS WILL PLAY AT THE SKILL LEVEL THAT IS ON THE SCORE SHEET AT THE TIME OF THE TOURNAMENT & EACH ROUND.**
5. **TIME MANAGEMENT**
 - A. **PICKING PLAYERS & LAG - 2 MINUTES**
 - B. **HAVE ALL PLAYERS READY - CUES, DRINKS, QUARTERS, ETC.**
 - C. **20 - 40 SECOND PER SHOT MAXIMUM DEPENDING ON DEGREE OF DIFICULTY**
 - D. **TIMEOUTS / 1 MINUTE ONLY (1 TIMEOUT PER GAME-NO MATTER WHAT SKILL LEVEL THE PLAYER IS)**

**SUDDEN DEATH IS: 3-1/2 HOURS AFTER START TIME
THERE IS NO WAIT TIME BETWEEN MATCHES / SCORING IS THE SAME AS WEEKLY LEAGUE PLAY.**

PLAYERS MUST BE SEATED AWAY FROM THEIR TEAM TABLE WHILE PLAYING. PLAYERS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO BE AT TEAM TABLE OR TALK TO OTHER PLAYERS, GUEST, ETC., WHILE PLAYING UNLESS IT IS A TIME-OUT SITUATION.

NO MASSE' OR JUMPSHOTS ALLOWED ON ANY OF THE TABLES - NO MATTER WHAT YOUR SKILL LEVEL IS..THERE IS NO EXCEPTION

ALL TOURNAMENT TABLES WILL BE CLOSED PRIOR TO THE TOURNAMENT.

**DIVISION WINNING TEAMS WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO HAVE A TEAM PICTURE TAKEN AT THE TRI-CUP FOR THE TEAM PLAQUES. IF YOUR TEAM CHOOSES NOT TO HAVE TEAM PICTURE TAKEN AT THE TRI-CUP, YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR YOUR OWN PICTURE.(PICTURES MUST BE TAKEN IN BETWEEN ROUNDS-NOT WHILE TEAM IS PLAYING)
TEAM PLAQUES WILL ALSO BE HANDED OUT AT THE TRI-CUP TO THE DIVISION WINNING TEAMS.**

IF A PLAYER EARNS A 8 ON THE BREAK OR 8 BREAK & RUN PIN MAKE SURE TO PICK IT UP WHEN DONE PLAYING FROM APA STAFF.

TABLE COST IS: \$10.00 PER TEAM, PER ROUND (GREEN FEES & OPENING TABLES) YOU WILL PAY THIS TO YOUR SERVER.

**NO OUTSIDE FOOD OR DRINKS OF ANY KIND ALLOWED UNLESS YOU HAVE AUTHORIZATION FROM THE BAR.
IF YOU ARE 86TH OUT OF THE BAR DUE TO CONDUCT BY THE BAR WE CANNOT HELP YOU AND VICE VERSA IF WE NEED TO HAVE YOU LEAVE THE TOURNAMENT, THE BAR CANNOT HELP YOU.
ANY TROUBLE WITH THE POOL TABLES PLEASE GET YOUR SERVER, IF YOU HAVE TO WAIT A CONSIDERABLE AMOUNT OF TIME PLEASE SEE AN APA STAFF MEMBER.
PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL TABS ARE CLOSED AND PAID BEFORE LEAVING THE BAR
TREAT HOST LOCATION & WAIT STAFF AS YOU WOULD YOUR HOME BARS WITH COURTESY & RESPECT.**