# **Greater Seattle APA**

Spring Session 2020

Spring Session is about to begin! We hope you enjoyed a happy holiday season! We are glad you are a Captain! You will find some important information, including schedules, procedures, and resources in this email "packet." Please share this information with your team. Be sure to check for updates to schedules as they often undergo changes in the first few weeks of the session.

This session there will be a greater emphasis placed on sportsmanship as we desire to make League night an enjoyable time for all. You will be asked to rate the opposing team each time you play as part of a complete scoresheet (see Bonus Points below). <u>Check out what the</u> <u>sportsmanship ratings mean >></u>.

We hope you have fun meeting people and playing pool this session!

## SCHEDULES

Each Team Captain's contact information is listed on the schedule in case you need to reach another captain in your division for rescheduling matches or other league-related matters. Please note that matches are scheduled on most holidays, but you are able to make up matches and you are welcome to pre-play matches. Be sure to give a copy of the schedule to your Host Location so they are aware of when your team will be playing at Home.



#### SCORESHEETS

Weekly scoresheets are available to print from the Member Services site or APA phone app (league.poolplayers.com).

Blank scoresheets are available on the website

(greaterseattle.apaleagues.com>League Materials). If you are preplaying matches, please contact the League Office to request preprinted scoresheets.

# WHERE TO SEND SCORESHEETS

Scoresheets can be submitted electronically to scoresheets.gsapa@icloud.com. Please note your Team Number, Team Name, and Week of Play in the Subject line.

To be considered for bonus points they must be submitted **by midnight** the night after the completion of matches.

Email a scan or a CLEAR photo of your scoresheet. When sending a 9-Ball scoresheet you must send BOTH the front and the back pages. There are apps on your phone (iPhone Notes) or free apps that can be downloaded to your phone such as geniusscan, camscanner, scannable, turboscan, and others.

If you mail your scoresheets they must be POSTMARKED the day following the match to be considered on time. Please send them to:

Greater Seattle APA 6947 Coal Creek Parkway SE #723

#### **Team Schedule**

Newcastle, WA 98059

### MEMBERSHIP

Annual Membership Dues are \$25 and must be paid BEFORE playing a match. On the scoresheet, if a player's name does not have a dollar amount next to it this means that the player has paid their 2019 membership dues.

If a returning player shoots a match without paying their membership dues the team will lose ALL POINTS for that week for allowing an unpaid player to play.

New players being added to your roster must pay their membership dues BEFORE playing their first match. If an unpaid playing shoots a match without submitting their fee the team will lose ALL POINTS for that week for allowing an unpaid player to play.

Encourage your players to pay online before the session starts.

Join/Renew Membership

### RULES

Team Captains and players should familiarize themselves with the Official Team Manual and Local Bylaws. Being familiar with the current rules can help avoid unnecessary conflict on league night.

Did you know? There are now QR codes on the 8- and 9-Ball scoresheets which will link you to the Official Team Manual.

**Official Team Manual** 

Local Bylaws

#### PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

Weekly team fees are \$40 (\$30 for Masters). The entire team fee is due regardless of the number of matches played (including forfeits). The entire team fee must be submitted at one time.

If submitted electronically the fee must be paid **by midnight** the night after the completion of your match to be considered on time. Please note your Team Number, Team Name, and Week of Play to which the payment applies. At this time we accept PayPal (Friends & Family), Zelle, SquareCash, and Venmo. Please use (425) 802-2403 as the 'Pay To' telephone number.

Checks should be made payable to Greater Seattle APA. If you send cash in the mail you do so at your own risk.



BONUS POINTS Bonus points will be awarded as follows at the discretion of the League Office:



### DIVISION REPRESENTATIVE

Your Division Representative is listed on the schedule and on the top of your scoresheet. Please contact him/her for questions about rulings and general matters on league night. 8-Ball: 3 points possible (1 point for ON TIME scoresheet, 1 point for ON TIME and correct payment, 1 point for complete scoresheet

9-Ball: 10 points possible (3 points for ON TIME scoresheet, 2 points for ON TIME and correct payment, 5 points for complete scoresheet

Masters: 3 points possible (1 point for ON TIME scoresheet, 1 point for ON TIME and correct payment, 1 point for complete scoresheet

# **Other Resources**



- Scorekeeping
- Handicap Information
- Patch Request Form
- Home by 11 Campaign
- Starting Skill Level change (as of December
- <u>2018)</u>

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