Shaffer Entertainment Indianapolis by laws

1 START TIMES

League play is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. with a 20 minute grace period.

2 LINE UP

When making your line-up; the home team will make theirs first. Line ups can be in any order that the captain chooses.

3 SUBSTITUTIONS

You may substitute players from round to round provided you notify the opposing team captain prior to the start of that round. The placement of subs does not have to be in any particular order provided that they don't play the same player more than once. There is no longer a "House sub" rule. If you are short one player, the opposing team can pick a player from your team to play twice. If you are short more than one player then you must list your highest rated player that is not present and take a 10-0 loss for each time that player

4 LEAGUE FEES

League fees are \$35 per league night. Sanction fees are \$15.00 for BCAPL, \$15.00 for VNEA, and \$2 for the IAMOA annually and are due on the first night of league play, renewable each year in June. BCAPL will be switching to the calendar year beginning January 1, 2021. If not paid by the 2nd night of play there will be a \$5 late fee. Any player joining after Dec 15th will owe an additional \$5 to the VNEA for late fees.

5 ELIGIBILITY

You may change your team's roster until the completion of your teams 6th week of play. Sanction fees are due by the 3rd night of play (**No Exceptions**). Jeopardy Rule: In special cases for the survival of a team you can take your roster down to 4 players and add new players after the mid- week of the session. At this point you can add only 2 players. This rule will not apply for the 11th or 12th week of play. If you drop a player due to the jeopardy rule their games do not count for post season play.

6 MAKE UPS

From time to time it is necessary for teams to reschedule league matches. Both team captains must agree to reschedule, the reschedule date must be submitted to the league office prior to rescheduling, and the match must be made up within 2 weeks of the scheduled match or both teams will receive a score of a 0 for that night of play. All rescheduled matches will be held at the location originally scheduled. You may not play ahead more than one week at a time.

7 BYES

The first time you are scheduled a bye it will be worth 0 points and no fees are due. The second time you are scheduled a bye you will receive 5 points and \$35.00 league fees are due that night unless you have prepaid.

8 FORFEITS

On occasion teams may not have 5 players for league play. You may start a match with 3 players. If 3 players are not available by 7:20 the team must take a forfeit for that night of play. *Individual forfeits the* forfeiting team will fill out their line up as if they had 5 players, using their highest handicap player not present and will take a score of 10-0 loss each time they were to play.

<u>Team forfeits</u> If a team forfeits both teams are responsible for that weeks league fees. The opposing team will receive a winning score of 5-0. Any team forfeiting in more than once in a session or in the last 2 weeks of league play will be dropped from the league and forfeit any prize money due and will not be eligible for post season play.

9 TIES

In the event of a tie at the end of a round, the team with the most 10's will win the round. In the event of a tie in total balls and 10's at the end of a match, each team will be awarded $\frac{1}{2}$ point

10 HANDICAPS

We will use Fargorate to determine handicaps. The league calculator can be found at leaguecalc.fargorate.com. Use the 10 point system

11 Scoring

Take a picture and text to (614)-989-0680.

12 STATS

Weekly stats will be available online at www.shafferentertainment.com. You will be provided envelopes for your weekly fees and score sheets.

13 EQUIPMENT

The home team will designate the Shaffer Entertainment table to be played on. A 3-1/2 x 7 will be used when available. All 8-ball matches are to be played on 2 two tables if available after 8:00 pm matches are to be played on 2 tables. The CUE BALL provided by location is to be used. All MATCHES MUST BE PLAYED ON TABLES OWNED BY SHAFFER ENTERTAINMENT.

14 PROTESTS

Any team wishing to protest a match must do so in writing and must be submitted within one week of the scheduled accompanied by a \$25.00 fee. All protests will be heard within 2 weeks of submission. The team captain who protested must be present at the hearing or the protest will not be heard. If you win the protest you will be refunded the \$25.00 fee. If you signed the score sheet for that night of league play, you may not protest that match. The home team score sheet (the white copy) will be the master score sheet

15 Age Limit

All players participating in Shaffer Entertainment pool leagues must be 21 years of age.

16 Rosters

You can roster a maximum of 8 players per team.