

TRUE OR FALSE

When a member recruits a new player for the APA (or a player who has been inactive for 2 or more years) they receive a FREE night of play.

TRUE

Be sure to ask the new player to put your name on their application. Follow up with Lee @ 256-476-6093 within 2 weeks if you don't receive your coupon. Text or e-mail to northalabama@apaleagues.com are best.

ASK THE LEAGUE OPERATOR

In 8Ball, I wasn't paying attention to my match and didn't realize I was shooting my opponent's balls (obviously my opponent wasn't paying attention either). I made it to the 8Ball before our error was noticed. What happens in that situation?

Answer:

If you made **legal contact** with the 8Ball **before** the error was caught then you assumed control of the erroneous category of balls.

But let's say the sitting player did not call a foul before your turn ended and also contacted the wrong ball during their turn, then both of you would assume the new category of balls for the remainder of the game.

Also, if you would have realized your error **before** a foul was called and started shooting your actual category of balls that would have made it too late to call a foul.



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DID YOU KNOW?

If you wanted to promote something league wide you can e-mail us @ northalabama@apaleagues.com and we will post it in the app! It could be your personal business, benefit tournaments, etc.!

OBJECTIONS TO WHY PLAYER'S DON'T WANT TO TRY PLAYING LEAGUE

Ever try talking to a friend or co-worker that YOU know would love playing APA league but they won't give it a chance? Then I bet you have heard some of the following objections. I have also listed some rebuttal statements for you to try!

*I am not good enough to play. That is PERFECT! Our teams need ALL levels of

players because this league is for amateurs. While you are playing you can learn from your team mates EVEN while shooting a match because time-outs are given EVERY RACK!

*My spouse won't let me play. Why don't you turn it into a "date night" then? Since up to 8 players make a team, there are plenty of teams out there who need two players. This is something you can do together.

*I can't afford it. The cost of the Annual Membership is \$25 and covers as many nights or formats as you wish to play. The actual cost of a match is less than going to the movies, playing a game of bowling and considerably lower than 9 holes of golf.

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

March 7-8, 2020 – Regionals @ Bumpers Billiards

April 26-30, 2020 – League Operators at Convention

April 29 – May 3, 2020 – World Poolplayer Championships

May 9, 2020 – World Qualifier Captain Meeting (tentative)

May 15-17, 2020 – 8Ball World Qualifier

May 29-31, 2020 – 9Ball World Qualifier