

## APPLE RIVER POOL LEAGUE (last pocket 8 ball) 2014-2015

1. Starting time is 7:00 pm. If your team is going to be late, they must call the captain of the opposing team (not the bar or the bartender). You must have all players present by 7:15: **No call or No show must be rescheduled & played within two (2) weeks. If not played in this time frame it will result in 9 wins for the team that was there. No individual wins.** If teams don't agree on a make-up date, no show team takes the loss. Any make up games must be agreed upon by both teams or above rules apply. Make- up game no later than 7 days after the last week of scheduled play& MUST notify Chris & get envelope to her by Friday. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
2. You must play with 4 players. **If your team only has 3 players, the missing games will all be forfeits for the team score.**
3. Total cost per player per night is \$6.00 (\$2 for table, \$4 for payback)

### Game rules for Last Pocket 8-Ball

4. You have to call your pocket. You do not have to call "banks", "kisses" or "short rails"
5. If there is a scratch on the break, the table is open.
6. One foot must be on the floor at all times while making your shot.
7. When shooting at the cue ball, it must move 3 inches to be a legal shot
8. In a combination shot, you must hit your ball first or you forfeit the shot, except on an open table, then you must call the shot using any ball.
9. Players may request help from any one team mate.
10. If both players make last ball in the same pocket, the last shooter has the opposite short pocket, and if made the 8 ball in the same shot in opposite pocket, would win **providing 8 ball is last ball pocketed.**
11. Any object ball knocked off the table shall be spotted on the center diamond on the rail.
12. The 8 ball in on the break, is an automatic win unless person scratches, then it is a loss.
13. Players have "3" rail minimum option on the 8 ball at any time.
14. One ball in on the break-goes to the breaker. Multiple balls in, table is open until a called ball is made (rule pertains to ball in on break and next shot is missed).
15. In a situation when your opponent pockets your last ball, you have a choice of pocket, but you cannot choose the same pocket as opponents.
16. If any part of an object ball is touching or over the line, it is considered "in". On a scratch the cue ball must be behind the line.
17. If you have an object ball remaining on the table & your opponent only has the "8" ball, you cannot shoot it out of pocket or you will forfeit.
  
18. Score sheets must be signed by the opposing team at the end of the night. Envelopes should be marked with the team names and the date, and dropped off at Cedar Creek Inn or the Sportsman's at the end of the evening of play. Any envelope not received in time WILL NOT be reflected in the stats that week. The visiting team is responsible for making sure the money in the envelope is correct and that the envelope is dropped off. Shortages in the envelope will be deducted from the visiting team's payback.
19. You must provide your captain's name and phone number prior to the first night of play. A Captain's list will be distributed when schedule is sent out. Players can be added as they play, so please put **first & last names** the first time someone plays. If you have 2 people on your team with the same first names, use their last initial also. Please write legibly or scores will not be recorded. **Use the same names of players** each week. If you notice a mistake on the standing sheets, please call or e-mail as soon as you notice it.

20. The location of the **year end tournament** will be as follows: Sportsman 2, Apple River Inn, Legion, Bristol Ridge 1. T Buckets, Sportsman 1, Cedar Creek 2. Cedar Creek 1, Huey's, Bristol Ridge Maynard's. Date to be determined. It will have a \$5.00 entry fee + \$2.00 for the tables. Sign up will be from 12:00 – 12:30.  
NO EXCEPTIONS. There will be no sign up after 12:30 and you **must be present** to sign up. Play begins promptly at 1:00 pm. If there is an odd # of players the first team losing will partner with the last player by luck of the draw.
21. Pay back will be 60% for wins & 40% for losses. Traveling plaque will be awarded to the top team.
22. If there are any grievances, questions, or discrepancies, a Captain's meeting will be held. Call Chris to schedule. It will NOT be on pool night. All decisions will be final.
23. Sponsor fee is \$75.00. Please submit by second week of play. **Checks must be made payable to: Chris Boardman not Apple River Pool League.**