



NORTHEAST MASS APA POOL LEAGUE WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

FALL SESSION 2014 | WEEK 12 | NOV 16, 2014



UPCOMING EVENTS:

Charity Event
Pleasant Cafe
Nov 22

8-Ball Doubles for Vegas
Feb 14

9-Ball Doubles for Vegas
Feb 15

Jack n Jill for Vegas
May 16

Fall AMI Jan 17-18
Fall Div Finals Jan 24-25
Fall Tri-Cup Feb 13-14

Spring AMI May 30-31
Spring Div Finals Jun 6-7
Spring Tri-Cup Jun 13-14

LTC Jun 20

8-Ball Best of the Best
TBD

9-Ball Best of the Best
TBD

POST SEASON ELIGIBILITY

Team Playoff Eligibility - Teams must be caught up on weekly dues before being eligible for wildcard, division playoffs or AMI playoffs. Please keep your weekly fees up to date so your team does not get disqualified from post season play.

Player Playoff Eligibility - All players must have at least FOUR matches played during the session with your team in order to be eligible for playoffs. There are NO exceptions to this rule.

It is the captain's responsibility to make sure all players get the required number of matches. Do not wait until the end of the session.

FORFEITS AND BYES DO NOT COUNT AS MATCHES PLAYED, THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THIS RULE.

CHARITY EVENT

The Pleasant Cafe in Maynard will be hosting a pool tournament fundraiser in honor of Dave Herlihy who recently passed.

Pleasant Cafe
November 22nd
Doors open at 11
Starts at Noon

\$20 per person, ALL players welcome
Luck of the Draw Partners
1/2 the money will go to the Herlihy family

Prizes and raffles will include trophies, cue stick, t-shirts and hats provided by the APA pool league.

Come down to Pleasant Cafe and support a good cause.

MARCH REGIONAL DEADLINE



The deadline for singles boards to qualify for Session II Regionals in March, is November 30th. If you or your host location would like to hold a singles board please contact the office.

TABLE FACTOR

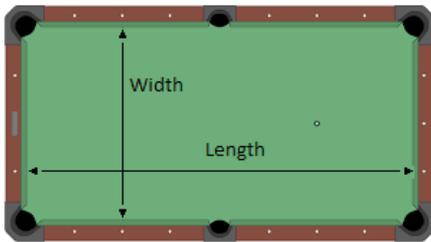
Please take a moment to review your scoresheet. If you notice, there is section next the signature the reads:

This weeks match took place on

- _ 4 x 8' Coin Operated**
- _ 4 x 8' Coin Operated**
- _ 4 x 8' Regulation**
- _ 4-1/2 x 9' Regulation**

Please make sure one of these boxes are checked on every scoresheet. It is very important in determining proper handicaps. If you're not sure which size table you are playing on, please ask your opponent.

TABLE DIMENSIONS



Pool table dimensions are designed as two equal squares. In other words, the length is twice the width. The following chart shows the actual playing surface dimensions.

7' = 38" x 76"

8' = 44" x 88"

8' Reg = 46" x 92"

9' Reg = 50" x 100"

Did you know...

Pool tables come in many different sizes. Two of the most common varieties are referred to as a "Bar Box" and a "Regulation Table."



A standard Bar Box dimension is 3-1/2 x 7'. If you were to measure the playing surface you would notice that the playing surface is actually less than 7'. The pocket openings are designed slightly different. The opening is slightly wider, the faces or sides of the pocket are angle to accept balls from more angles and the shelf or depth of the surface does not extend as far back as a regulation table. Bar Box tables are typically coin operated. Because of their smaller size they are very common in Bars and taverns.



Regulation tables are larger and are more common in Pool Halls and clubs where space is less of an issue. Drop pockets are also common on regulation tables. Drop Pockets are where the ball remains in each pocket until the end of the game. Others are equipped with ball returns which directs the balls to a reservoir at the racking end of the table.



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