

Diablo Valley Pool League

MINUTES FOR PLAYERS MEETING

OPEN-MIX SUMMER

PLAYERS MEETING: TUESDAY JULY 11TH, 2017

(VINNIE'S BAR-7:30 pm)

LEAGUE STARTS ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2017

Due to BCA Nationals and many of our players participating on singles/scotch events on week 1 and team event on week 2 we will start our session on Tuesday August 1.

Unless we hear from any one about not coming back we assume everyone is. Captains please send an e-mail confirming your participation or not so we can deal with teams looking for sponsor bars.

These were the final standings, therefore the number of your team.

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TEAM STANDINGS as of 06/06/17			
	TEAM	ROUND POINTS	
1ST	#02 - FARRINGTON'S - FRANK		90.5
2ND	#01 - VINNIE'S - JASON		81.0
3RD	#03 - BAR NONE - ANTHONY		78.5
4TH	#04 - RACK 'EM UP - CHALK & AWE		73.5
5TH	#22 - JAGUAR'S - JARED		73.0
6TH	#06 - FARRINGTON'S - RICK		66.5
7TH	#09 - VINNIE'S - SHARK-SHOOTERS		63.0
8TH	#05 - VINNIE'S - GEORGE		61.5
9TH	#19 - CUE 'N BREW - ANDY		60.5
10TH	#14 - CJ'S - GARY		60.0
11TH	#08 - BAR NONE - MARCUS		58.5
12TH	#07 - THE OFFICE - JIM		58.0
13TH	#12 - CUE 'N BREW - JOSIE		57.5
14TH	#13 - FARRINGTON'S - SOMETHING TO C		56.0
15TH	#20 - VINNIE'S - 4 PLAY		55.0
16TH	#17 - JAGUAR'S - RICHARD		53.5
17TH	#15 - RACK 'EM UP - SOFT POCKETS		52.0
18TH	#11 - WPLJ'S - RANDY		51.5
19TH	#18 - THE OFFICE - BAND OF BROTHERS		51.5
20TH	#16 - WPLJ - TINA		48.0
21ST	#10 - THE OFFICE - BRYAN		37.0
22ND	#21 - CLAYTON BOWL - JIM		30.5

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Blind log:

The Ruling - 6 singles NO double blinds allowed

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
#01 - JASON	17-Jan	14-Mar						
#02 - FRANK	10-Jan	21-Feb	28-Feb	11-Apr	25-Apr			
#03 - ANTHONY	9-May							
#04 - LYNN								
#05 - GEORGE	14-Feb	21-Feb	28-Feb	11-Apr				
#06 - RICK	6-Dec	28-Feb						
#07 - JIM	13-Dec	17-Jan						
#08 - MARCUS	17-Jan	9-May	23-May					
#09 - VINNIE	6-Dec							
#10 - BRYAN								
#11 - RANDY	17-Jan	24-Jan	25-Apr	9-May				
#12 - JOSIE	28-Feb	11-Apr						
#13 - ANNETTE	14-Mar	6-Jun						
#14 - GARY	28-Feb							
#15 - BONNIE	6-Dec							
#16 - TINA	3-Jan	7-Mar	9-May					
#17 - RICHARD	28-Feb	21-Mar	11-Apr					
#18 - DENNIS	6-Dec	3-Jan	14-Feb	28-Mar				
#19 - ANDY	6-Dec	21-Feb						
#20 - CARMEN	2-May							

1-Handicap to stay at **150%**

2-Position rounds stay the same (3)

3-Each player will continue to pay \$10 every time he plays.

4-Forfeit rule stays the same.

5-Standings will continue to determine the # of your team.

6-Jaguar Karaoke sponsored 2 teams.

7-Rack em Up sponsored the same 2 teams.

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8-Cue n Brew has taken a third team. Tina Lux's Team was awarded the spot as they have been part of DVPL for many years.

9-Clayton Bowling Alley has 2 teams now. Tina M will oversee one of this teams and make sure there is a full roster every week. This team will have 2 new players and a couple of returning players.

10-As a reminder the fees are;

\$20 score keeper fee

\$10 to be added to the overall pot

\$15 BCA sanctioning for 2018-2019 Nationals

(\$10 ACS sanctioning for 2018-2019 – For those interested - Optional).

\$45 Fees need to be paid by the **4rth week.**

11-The floater alternate concept will be based on need. Alternate has no financial obligation unless agreed with captain. E-mail us a week ahead.

14-Players will purchase a drink full prize to qualify for the half free drink from the sponsors. Players are expected to tip the bartenders.

A player who does not drink alcohol is encouraged to purchase juice, soda, water etc.

15-Players will pay \$3 for warm up time as long as it is at 7:00 pm. League starts at 7:30. If anyone wants to play before 7:00 pm they will have to pay sponsor's regular price.

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16-At the end of the night if there are not coin tables, every team will pay \$8 to the sponsor when they return the balls.

17-The players will at all times show sportsmanlike behavior and never disrespect the bar, its patrons or the players.

DVPL reserves the right to refuse participation to anybody that we believe has a poor sportsman like behavior or owes money. Warnings will remain in effect for 1 year from warning date.

18-We will continue to use the same rules whenever ties between teams are to be resolved. Position round matches are not used in resolving ties.

19-Tie breaker #1 - Whichever team won the most round points when they played against each other during the regularly scheduled match/matches. We will however split the money evenly between the teams.

19-Tie breaker #2 – To only be used if Tie Breaker #1 didn't resolve the tie. Count the number of games won between the two teams from the match/matches when they played against each other

20-Tie breaker #3 – To only be used if Tie Breaker #1 & #2 didn't resolve the tie. Count the total number of games won by the teams that are tied for the entire season.

When it comes to selecting who plays a blind the team with 4 players gets to select who will play the blind.

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21-One female player will get \$50.00 for top woman shooter and we payed \$25.00 to the second best woman.

22-“Feedback for next season: we have currently the 15min rule as a courtesy for people in case they are late. However, many teams have made it a norm to walk in at 7:45 every single time and some other teams that walk in at 7:30 and still expect to practice. It's really irritating that we show up early to practice so we can start on time while other teams take advantage of the 15min window. I feel if we are to give people time it should be 5min and start at 7:35 no matter what. If half the team is there and one person is late I understand but this is getting out of hand.”

If a team does not show up by 7:00 pm so they can warm up, they will NOT be able to do any warm up games and matches shall start at 7:30.

23-End of year Tourney. Keeping the same format of a blind draw.

24-All new male players will start as 8's and women's as 7's.

25-This league will play for 22 weeks, with 3 position rounds.

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26-“Regarding 'rolling' average: Some of us don't consider the description of the current 'rolling' average as actually 'rolling'. It seems to be more of a cumulative average.

By the DVPL example, if I played 21 weeks in the previous session, and my score was 500 balls for 84 games, my end of season average would be 5.95. The example goes on to explain how each game in the following (or current) session adds to my total games and therefore the average will be calculated by dividing number of balls - this season plus last season - by total number of games - this season plus last season.

If you only include the current season plus one past season games and points, I suppose it can be considered 'rolling' two seasons at a time, but that isn't entirely clear from the DVPL description. Maybe you just need to clarify. If the average calculation isn't dropped off from two seasons ago, then it definitely isn't 'rolling'.

Many of us consider a 'rolling' average as a set number of games used for the average - you could say it's 12 or 24 games or 40 games - and thereafter once you reach the total of 12 or 24 or 40, then for every new game you play, the oldest game drops off the average calculation.

27-Feedback from our Score Keeper regarding averages:

“DVPL'S modified rolling average" Average calculation:

If you played 2 weeks or more in the previous session, then you have an existing established average. Whatever your average

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calculates out to be at the end of the session, for just that sessions data, that will be your starting average for the upcoming session. For example: at the end of the session you had a total of 84 games played and 500 balls (21 weeks). Your starting average would be $500 \div 84 = 5.95$. So, once the new season starts, whatever you shoot every week is added to your starting point of 500 balls & 84 games. For another example - week #1 of the new season you shoot a 40. The formula to calculate your average for week #2 would be $540 \div 88 = 6.14$. Your average for week #2 would be 6.14.

Exception to using prior season's data: The only time we don't use the previous session's data is if the player only played a few weeks but in any previous session played an entire season then we would use the entire season's data instead of the more current previous session where the player only played a few weeks. We don't feel it's fair if a regular player decides to take a season off but subs for a few weeks and establishes a really high or really low average that obviously is not what this player usually shoots to saddle that player with that average for a starting average. For example - Player #1 plays 4 weeks last season and establishes a 7.50 average, but he played the entire season before and averaged a 9.25. We would use the 9.25 as his starting average. In this scenario it's not fair to the teams he plays against to bring him in with a really low average when his obvious known average is almost 2 balls higher. If the tables were reversed and he established a 9.25 with his 4 weeks of play and his known average from playing an entire season before is 7.50 then it wouldn't be fair to his own team to start him with the higher average. We feel the more data available the more accurate the average of the player will be. If a player only shoots a few weeks and does not have any previous data with us then yes, we would use that data for the players starting average. If they never played with us in the past then females start with a 7.00 average and males start with a 9.00, unless DVPL league operator says otherwise."

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There will be no change as to how averages are calculated.

28. "We need to address the new Captains and the "Basic" rules this League has established over the years in the Meetings and Voting.

There should be an understanding that these Rules are how we all play equally. If a Captain is in violation, that shouldn't be a excuse for them to use "I didn't know". That's not fair to the other Teams, especially in a Position Round situation.

All Captains need access to these Rules, need to know these Rules, and to be held accountable for following these Rules for themselves and their Teammates. Maybe a Website, where all the By-Laws are listed for new and existing Captains to access for review? Make it their responsibility to be familiar with DVPL's way of playing."

Captains to be responsible for knowing the rules provided in their folder. Rules are also posted on website.

29. DVPL Master Rules were just cleaned up, updated and posted on website dated 07/01/17. We appreciate the help, Lynn Westhoven.

**DVPL HAS ESTABLISHED RULES. REFER TO
MASTER RULES AS NEEDED.**

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Teams participating:

- 1st Farrington's - Frankie
- 2nd Vinnie's - Jason
- 3rd Bar None - Anthony
- 4rth Rack em Up - Lynn
- 5th Jaguar's - Jared-Ryan
- 6rd Farrington's - **Gary M**
- 7th Vinnies's - **Ken**
- 8th Vinnie's - George
- 9th Cue n Brew - Andy
- 10th JC's - Gary
- 11th Bar None - Marcus
- 12th The Office - Jim
- 13th Cue n Brew - Josie
- 14th Farrington's - Annette
- 15th Vinnies's - Carmen
- 16th Jaguar - Rich
- 17th Rack em Up - Bonnie
- 18th The Office - Denise
- 19th Clayton Bowl - Tina M**
- 20th Cue n Brew - Tina L**
- 21th The Office - Bryan
- 22th Clayton Bowl - Jim

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