

# Entry Details

“\$” HAS BEEN DEDUCTED FROM THE PUBLISHED TEAM “REGULAR” ENTRY FEES BELOW IF YOU OR AT LEAST ONE OF YOUR TEAMMATES IS STAYING AT THE TROPICANA [MARKED “YES” IN THE COLUMN] DURING COMPETITION DATES IN THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS [IN 2020 – Entry Fees include \$25/player GREENS FEES/Tables will be OPEN for all competition, practice, mini-tourneys and 2<sup>nd</sup> Chance]:

Regular Entry Postmark Deadline: <u>3/16/20</u>	YES	NO
• Men’s/Mixed Advanced 9 Teams	\$300 <i>if staying at the Tropicana</i>	\$375 <i>if not staying at the Tropicana</i>
• Women’s Advanced 9 Teams	\$300 “	\$375 “
• Men’s/Mixed Open 9 Teams	\$225 “	\$300 “
• Women’s Open 9 Teams	\$225 “	\$300 “
• Men’s/Mixed Standard 9 Teams	\$225 “	\$300 “
• Men’s/Mixed Advanced 8 Teams	\$525 “	\$650 “
• Women’s Advanced 8 Teams	\$500 “	\$600 “
• Men’s/Mixed Open 8 Teams	\$425 “	\$550 “
• Women’s Open 8 Teams	\$400 “	\$500 “
• Men’s/Mixed Standard 8 Teams	\$325 “	\$450 “
• Women’s Standard 8 Teams	\$300 “	\$400 “

“YES” reflects a discount of \$25/team player: a). \$75 if a 3-person 9-Ball Team/ b). \$100 if a 4-person Women’s 8-Ball Team/ c). \$125 if a 5-person Men’s 8-Ball Team.

- IF NEITHER YOU NOR AT LEAST ONE OF YOUR TEAMMATES IS STAYING AT THE TROPICANA LAS VEGAS DURING YOUR COMPETITION DATES AT THE 2020 ACS NATIONALS, YOU ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THE APPROPRIATE TEAM ENTRY FEES UNDER THE “NO” COLUMN ON THE ENTRY FORM !!!
- For “ACS Nationals” discounted \$95 WEEKDAY/ \$150 WEEKEND TROPICANA HOTEL RATE: GO TO <https://book.passkey.com/go/AmericanCueSports2020>. The discounted rate at the Tropicana Las Vegas is available through April 8, 2020, ...AND... YOU MUST RESERVE USING THE ACS-EVENT-SPECIFIC WEBSITE IN ORDER TO GAIN THE DISCOUNTED \$10 DAILY RESORT FEE! Resort Fee benefits include 1). High-speed wireless internet access in your guest room; 2). Two (2) bottles of Tropicana water; 3). Unlimited fitness center access; 4). 2 for 1 show tickets to *Laugh Factory* (Sunday thru Thursday); 5). 2 for 1 cocktails at *Oakville Steakhouse* from 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm; 6). Free local calls; and 7). Printing of Boarding Passes. [We recommend all attendees make their reservations prior to January 31, 2020!]
- “EARLY-BIRD” DISCOUNTED ENTRY FEE: If you postmark any entry fees by January 31, 2020, pay the 20% discounted entry fee stated on the front of this entry form. Entry fees on the entry form in the “YES” column reflect 20% discount AFTER the \$50 deduction for staying at the Tropicana and deducting greens fees. “Early-Bird” discount % if you are NOT staying at the Tropicana is slightly less.
- \$25 is deducted from each Team entry fee towards a Registration Fee.

**PAYMENT INFORMATION:** Enclose entry fee with form. All fees must be in U.S. dollars. Postmark your entry by Monday, March 16, 2020, to qualify for the Standard Entry Fee. Between March 17 and March 30, 2020, pay the Late Entry Fee. Late entries must be paid in US funds by cashier’s check, traveler’s check, money order, credit card, PayPal or online. Credit card and PayPal payments will be assessed an additional 5% merchant finance fee. No personal, business or league checks will be accepted for entries postmarked after March 16, 2020. No entries postmarked after March 30, 2020 will be accepted. No exceptions! Take advantage of the **“EARLY BIRD” ENTRY FEE for 2020 if postmarked or online by January 31, 2020 !**

## ELIGIBILITY

**MASTER/ ADVANCED PLAYER:** Any player listed on any state or national Advanced, Intermediate or Masters lists, incl. VNEA and BCAPL...or “Known Ability” with skills commensurate with players on these lists.

**OPEN PLAYER:** Any player who does not meet “Advanced Player” guidelines and who averages an “8” or “9” in a league that uses the 10-point scoring system or the equivalent if using other scoring systems - an average or above-average player in most leagues.

**STANDARD PLAYER:** Any player who does not meet “Open or Advanced Player” guidelines and who averages a “7” or below in a league that uses the 10-point scoring system or the equivalent if using other scoring systems – a below-average player in most leagues.

All Men’s/Mixed 8-Ball teams are 5-person teams (3-person if 9-Ball) and may have up to 10 players (6 players if 9-Ball) on the roster. All Women’s 8-Ball teams are 4-person teams (3-person if 9-Ball) and may have up to 7 players (6 players if 9-Ball) on the roster. All players must have played a minimum of eight (8) full matches over a minimum of eight (8) weeks during a sanctioned session in the same ACS/CCS-sanctioned league since June 1, 2019, and meet ACS amateur requirements. **IMPORTANT! ALL TEAMS IN ALL DIVISIONS MAY BE COMPOSED OF ANY QUALIFIED PLAYERS FROM THEIR LOCAL LEAGUE OPERATOR’S SYSTEM** (exception: Advanced Teams).

### 8-Ball:

- **5-person Men’s/Mixed Standard Teams and 4-person Women’s Standard Teams** may contain a maximum of one (1) Open player on roster and NO Advanced or Masters!
- **5-person Men’s/Mixed Open Teams and 4-person Women’s Open Teams** may contain a maximum of one (1) Advanced or Master player on roster.
- **5-person Men’s Advanced Teams and 4-person Women’s Advanced Teams** must enter these respective divisions if the team roster contains more than one (1) (no minimum) ACS Advanced or Master, State Masters on ANY list, VNEA Intermediate or Master or BCAPL Advanced or Master on its roster; and - **IMPORTANT!** - may consist of any qualified players from ANY ACS/CCS/MPA leagues (can be from more than one) based within the same state or province!

### 9-Ball:

- **3-person Men’s/Mixed Standard Teams** may contain a maximum of one (1) Open player on roster and NO Advanced or Masters!
- **3-person Men’s/Mixed Open Teams** must contain no Advanced or Master player on roster.
- **3-person Women’s Open Teams** may contain a maximum of one (1) Advanced or Master-rated player on roster.
- **3-person Men’s Advanced Teams and Women’s Advanced teams** must enter these respective divisions if the team roster contains more than one (1) (no minimum) ACS Advanced or Master, State Masters on ANY list, VNEA Intermediate or Master or BCAPL Advanced or Master on its roster; and **IMPORTANT!** - may consist of any qualified players from ANY ACS/CCS/MPA leagues (can be from more than one) based within the same state or province!

There are **NO** minimum or maximum age requirements to enter. **DRESS CODE: Matching collared shirts REQUIRED. See DRESS CODE details at [www.americancuesports.org](http://www.americancuesports.org). ACS NATIONALS IS A NON-SMOKING EVENT!**

Team Divisions	Men’s/Mixed Teams	Women’s Teams
Advanced 9-Ball	Race to 14/10	Race to 10 (Advanced Teams play format is double-elimination)
Open 9-Ball	Race to 14/10	Race to 10 (Open Teams play format is double-elimination)
Standard 9-Ball	Race to 14/10	N/A (Standard Teams play format is double-elimination)
Advanced 8-Ball	Race to 13	Race to 13 (Mixed-Advanced Teams play format is double-elimination)
Open 8-Ball	Race to 13	Race to 10 (Open Teams play format is double-elimination)
Standard 8-Ball	Race to 13	Race to 10 (Standard Teams play format is double-elimination)

**CHECK – IN:** A representative of the team is required to check-in onsite at the ACS registration desk to collect their tournament “goodie bags” and confirm their final “official” roster. The official roster of players will appear on every score sheet during play.