



SVBPL, THE 8-BALL BILLIARDS LEAGUE FOR SILICON VALLEY
A Not for Profit Organization

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League Information Summary

The **Silicon Valley Bar Pool League** mission is to promote fun, fair, and competitive tavern based 8-ball billiards. SVBPL is supported by its sponsors (the Bar, Tavern, and room operators/owners) with all proceeds, less operating expenses, returned to the members of the league in the form of trophies and awards.

SVBPL operates and sanctions two seasons per year, one starting in the spring and the other in the fall (just after Labor Day) in the Sunnyvale, Mt. View, Santa Clara CA area. League play occurs on Tuesday evenings starting at 7:00PM. Seasons are typically 12 to 14 weeks of regular season play and an additional 5 weeks of post-season play.

Sponsors Requirements

Sponsor fees are \$100/team. Sponsors are required to host match play (either with quarters or open table access) and a round of half-time drinks.

Sponsors agree to maintain pool tables to acceptable standards of play (felt and bumper maintenance, level field of play, etc.). Sponsors are responsible for ensuring a "sporting" atmosphere free of harassment or intimidation by their other customers.

Sponsors may support up to two teams per pool table. If the bar/tavern has one table, the maximum number of allowable teams is two. If the bar/tavern has two tables, the maximum number of teams is 4, and so on.

Teams and Play

Teams are typically comprised of 5 to 8 individuals, maximum 12, however the league recommended minimum is 6 regular players so as to ensure enough for each match.

Teams are arranged in divisions depending on their skill level and face off in 20 game matches, each player shooting in a maximum of 4 games per regular season match. Matches may last from 3 to 4 hours.

2006/07 Important Dates

5 September, Fall League Starts

28 October, Mid-Season Business Meeting @ QuarterNote, 7:00PM. All Welcome!

20 December, End-of-Season Meeting @ Beefy's Cabin, All invited!!

20 February '06, Awards Banquet @ Conference A Winner (**Date may change**)

SVBPL Contact Information

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