

PLAYER RATINGS AND LEAGUE PAYOUT

LEAGUE PAYOUT SCHEDULE

Minimum Prize Payouts* for Championship Finals

Place	6 Players 1-11 avg wk	12 Players 12-17 avg wk	18 Players 18-23 avg wk	24 Players 24-29 avg wk	30 Players 30-35 avg wk	36 Players 36+ avg wk
1st	\$100	\$200	\$300	\$400	\$500	\$750
2nd	\$75	\$150	\$200	\$250	\$300	\$500
3rd	\$50	\$100	\$150	\$175	\$250	\$300
4th	\$35	\$60	\$100	\$150	\$200	\$200
5th	\$25	\$50	\$90	\$125	\$150	\$150
6th	\$15	\$40	\$60	\$75	\$100	\$100
TOTAL	\$300	\$600	\$900	\$1200	\$1500	\$2,000

*The minimum payout for six players in the Session Championship Final is \$300 and is paid according to the schedule above. Actual payout is based on the total number of player weeks for the session less the cost of trophy and scorekeeper (\$100).

(See Operator for Details)

PLAYER RATINGS

AAA DRG SL 14 and 15 Pro Level Players. Not allowed to compete in Session Championships for the Prize Funds. May play in weekly AA Tournaments at the approval of the other players as a guest.

AA Top Level Amateur Players. DRG Skill Levels 12 - 13, Semi Pro – Tournament Players. Includes APA 9 Ball 9's and some 8's. Finishes in the money. Known in billiard circles.

A DRG Skill Level 10's and 11's. APA 9 Ball Skill Level 7 and 8's.
Consistent runout player. The League Standard for a good amateur player.

B DRG Skill Level 7 - 9's. APA 9 Ball Skill Level 4's, 5's, and 6's. A good player but not a consistent runout player.

C DRG Skill Level 6 and below. APA 9 Ball Skill Level 1's, 2's, and 3's.
Includes Juniors who are not otherwise rated, beginners, and unrated ladies.
Seldom wins, always plays, runs a couple of balls and makes a good shot every once in awhile. Doesn't make it in the top 6 of the points leaders.

All players who win a Session Championship will be ranked an A or AA player in the following sessions. Player ratings are assigned by the league operator based on known or observed play, league standings in other leagues, and are strictly at the discretion of the League Operator. Player ratings are strictly for organizing the weekly games so that competition is fair and fun. It is not a system to allow weaker players an advantage in the Finals for Prize Money.

Some players choose to play in the A or AA games and may be allowed to do so.

GAME 1 (The A Games) A and AA, and some B's.

In a game with all AA players (excluding the Session Championship and Annual Championship), the B players will get an extra 1,000 points to start, starting at 4,000 instead of 3,000. This allows them to play two extra rounds in the 500 round if they do not win a game in the 300 and 500 series. It does not have a dramatic affect on the outcome in a game with AA Players.

GAME 2 (The B Games) A and B Players

If a AA player plays in the B game, he forfeits 1,000 points starting at 2,000 instead of 3,000. If two or more AA or 3 or more A and AA players are in the B Game, the B players start at 4,000 points and the A Players start at 3,000 like in the A Game. The B players in the top 6 points standings should be grouped to compete in this game or together in the A game.

GAME 3 (B or C Games) A third game may be held if 12 or more players are present and two or more players are "C" players. In lieu of two games, the third game allows for the C players to play. No A or AA players may play in the "C" game. A game must have a minimum of 4 players to receive points credit and prize or trophy awards.

Efforts should be made to match up games during the regular season so that games are competitive and players get an opportunity to play and shoot.

As a player rises in points to the top 6 points leaders, he should be at least a B player and possibly an A.

If a player wins 6 Weekly Qualifiers in a Skill Level, he may be raised to the next skill level at the discretion of the league operator.

The **Championship Finals** at the end of each session has no handicaps and all players play equally. The 1st Place winner of the Session Championship should represent the "Best" player in the league from that establishment, to move on and represent the establishment in future Champions Tournaments.

WEEKLY WINNER OPTIONS

A 1st Place trophy can be awarded each week to each **1st Place Winner** on each table.

In lieu of the weekly trophy, a player or the establishment may choose to accumulate the wins for other prizes, gift certificates, and trophy offerings.

The Session Winner, in addition to the payout from the Prize Fund Schedule, will receive a large Champion's Trophy. In lieu of a trophy, a Gift Certificate for \$75 may be chosen.