

## SOUTH BRADFORD BILLIARDS & GAMES LEAGUE

### RULES OF SUMMER TEAM SNOOKER COMPETITION

1. The competition shall consist of teams registered from the Bradford Area.
2. Entry fee will be £15 per Team, with a subs fee of £4 per match during all GROUP STAGES. 4 players per team on the match night. Maximum of 8 players can be registered for any Team. Maximum 2 teams per club.
3. ALL players must be registered with the league prior to the start of season. Any NEW\* players handicaps will be decided by the Secretary and monitored over the first 3 games.
4. All matches to be played on a Tuesday night, starting at 8pm.
5. The Teams will be split into 2 groups of 9, with the odd team out each week from each group playing each other in an inter group match, which will count as a group match.
6. The home team captain will write his 4 players on the board and the Away captain will then decide which of his players will play which home players. Order of play to be decided by the Home captain after the pair ups have been done. The 4 player handicaps to be added together then doubled (2 frames) to form the team handicaps for the match.
7. Each game will be 2 frames, home team break first frame, away team break second frame. All frames will be played off scratch, with the frame scores recorded. If a frame ends level after all the balls have been potted then that is the end of the frame – **NO RESPOTTED BLACK**. After all 8 frames have been played, the frame scores are added together along with the Team Handicap, and these totals are then recorded on the Match Result Sheet, which is to be sent to the secretary. The team with the highest aggregate total will win the match and be awarded 2 points.
8. When all rounds of matches have been completed, the group table will show the team with the highest number of points at the top of the group, second highest in second place etc etc. If 2 teams finish on the same number of points then the “Points scored minus the points conceded” will determine who finishes higher in the group.
9. Following the Group Stages, the competition will be split into 2 x knock-outs. Higher Ranked teams will compete in the “Knockout Trophy” and Lower Ranked teams will compete in the “Knockout Plate”.
10. **Knockout Cup** - The winner of Group 1 will play against the 4<sup>th</sup> placed team in Group 2, at home in the 1<sup>st</sup> leg. The Runner Up in Group 1 to play at home against the 3<sup>rd</sup> placed team in Group 2 and vice versa.
11. **Knockout Plate** - The 5<sup>th</sup> placed team of Group 1 will play 1<sup>st</sup> leg at home against the 8<sup>th</sup> placed team in Group 2, the 6<sup>th</sup> placed team in Group 1 to play at home against the 7<sup>th</sup> placed team in Group 2 and vice versa.
12. These knockouts will be 2 leg matches, with the team scoring the most combined points being the winner.
13. Finals will be played over 2 legs, home and away, with the highest ranked team playing at home in the first leg.

\* NEW Player – Any player registering to play in the South Bradford league for the first time