

# Soaring Eagle Open VIII

## Tournament Regulations

Rules used are the 2014-2016 Official Rules of CueSports International  
Commonly referred to as BCAPL Rules.

### 9 Ball and 8 ball Rules

Flip for the first break

Alternate break

Breaker racks their own

**The penalty for the first violation of the following rules during a match will be a warning instead of a foul:**

- 1) Chalk color must be compatible with cloth. No green, tan, etc chalk
- 2) Electronic equipment and all hearing impediments prohibited. No ear

If the cue ball is frozen to a legal object ball, you **MUST** shoot at 45 degrees away from the contact point or it is a foul.

### 9 Ball Rules

#### 3 Foul Rule

Three successive fouls rule is not in affect.

#### 9 on the break

9-ball does not count if it goes in either foot rail corner pocket. If you do make the 9 ball in a foot rail corner pocket the 9 ball will be spotted and the breaker continues shooting.

### Scotch Doubles

Coaching - No coaching allowed.

Breaking - When it is your team's turn to break, either player may break.

After the break, players on a team alternate shots during their inning.

If you pocket the 8-ball on the break or if your break is illegal, the incoming player must make the decision whether to continue play or to re-rack.

**If you have a rules-related question, or you need a shot watched, please summon a tournament official for assistance.**

# Forfeits

You alone are responsible for being on time for your match.

You will start to forfeit games at 10 minutes past your match start time and every 5 minutes thereafter. Plan on being 5-10 minutes early for your matches. Once you are late for a match, you will not be given future grace periods.

If you aren't sure what time your match is please ask. The below are the only event officials authorized to give you your starting time.

Dean Roeseler

Doug Garn

Dan Scharenbroch

## \*\*\* Ratings \*\*\*

The Final decision on a players rating is at the sole discretion of the Tournament Director or designee. They have the right to determine a player's eligibility and playing divisions or to refuse entry. They reserve the right to raise or lower a players rating before or during the tournament.

**All decisions by the Tournament Director or designee are final.**