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## FORMAL COMPLAINTS PROCEDURE

The Association takes all allegations of inappropriate behaviour and conduct extremely seriously and will investigate any formal complaint accordingly. Upon receipt of a formal complaint, the League Secretary will forward copies of the complaint to the individual player or team concerned. The player/team will be entitled to copies of all the documentation provided by the complainant with no information being withheld from them.

The player/team will be invited to respond to the allegation in writing by a specified date. The complaint will then be considered at the first Executive Committee

meeting following this date. The player/team will also be entitled to request an oral hearing before the Executive Committee.

Should a player/team fail to respond within the prescribed time limit, the matter will be considered by the Executive Committee without the benefit of their representations.

Failure to respond will also result in the player/team forfeiting their right to an appeal unless they can show good cause why they failed to respond within the specified time.

Prior to any consideration of a complaint by the Executive Committee, 3 members will be invited to form the Appeals Committee in the event of an adverse finding.

The Appeal

Committee members will then leave the meeting and will not take part in any discussions or decisions at this first stage.

The Chairman or Vice Chair will chair the Executive Committee for the initial decision with the other being responsible for chairing the Appeals Committee.

In the event of the Chairman or Vice Chair being unable to be involved due to a conflict of interest, the Executive Committee shall nominate one of their members to act as chair. Should the Executive Committee dismiss the complaint at first instance, both the player/team and complainant will be notified in writing.

Should the Executive Committee uphold the complaint at first instance, the player/team will be notified in writing of the decision. They shall also be informed of the action the Executive Committee intend to impose following the finding.

The Executive Committee may impose whatever sanction they consider appropriate in the circumstances of the complaint. The complainant will also be notified in writing of the outcome.

Provided a player/team have not forfeited their right to an appeal, they will be informed in the decision letter of their right to appeal the decision and the time limit in which they must submit an appeal to the League Secretary.

Should a player/team exercise their right to an appeal, the Appeals Committee will invite the player/team to attend an oral hearing. The Appeals Committee may, on dismissing an

appeal, increase and add to the sanction imposed by the Executive

Committee. The decision of the Appeals Committee will be final and binding.

The decision will be notified to both the player/team and the complainant.

## Rules

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### 1. Name

This Association shall be called the Lincoln City and District Billiards and Snooker Association and shall consist of such clubs playing Billiards and Snooker or any other games played on an English Billiards table according to the rules of the game as laid down by the English Billiards and Snooker Control Council and such rules and regulations of the Association as the Executive Committee may approve. The area to be at the discretion of the League.

### 2. Objects

The objects of the Association shall be to promote the welfare of the game of Billiards and Snooker and in furtherance thereof shall promote such League competitions as shall be determined from time to time. It shall deal with matters affecting such games and their players and take such action thereon as may be deemed expedient.

### 3. Management

The Business of the League shall be governed by an Executive Committee which shall be appointed at each Annual General Meeting. In the event of any office becoming vacant, the Executive Committee shall have the power to appoint a successor until the next Annual General Meeting.

### 4. The Executive Committee

The Executive Committee shall consist of the Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary, Match Secretary, Championship Secretary, Treasurer and eight members, five of whom shall form a quorum. The Treasurer, Secretary, Match Secretary and Championship Secretary shall have full voting powers. Committee members who miss three consecutive committee meetings without an acceptable apology / reason shall cease to be a committee member.

### 5. Power of the Executive

The Executive Committee shall have the power to arrange for the appointment of any sub-committee and to delegate to such a committee any business it may deem necessary. The Executive Committee shall be empowered to make rules for the benefit of the association and do such things considered to be necessary for achieving the objects of the Association. It shall have full powers for dealing with offending teams or individual members under its auspices and with any infringement of the Association rules. It shall be empowered to give a decision on any matter on which these rules are silent. The committee's decision on all matters are final.

### 6. Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting, of which six weeks notice should be given, shall be held in the month of July each year for the purpose of electing the Honorary Officers and the Executive Committee, the Auditors and confirm or revise the rules. A statement of accounts showing all receipts and expenditure, duly audited, shall be rendered by the Secretary and Treasurer. At this meeting any number of members of the club may attend but each club is only allowed one vote for its Snooker team and one vote for its Billiards team, however the Billiards vote can only be used by the clubs with a Billiards team that was entered in the League the previous season and only for Billiards business. Likewise the Snooker vote can only be used for Snooker business if the club had a team in the League the previous season. All clubs participating in the league shall send at least one representative to the Annual General Meeting. Failure to do so will result in a fine of £10.

### 6 (a) Amendments to Rules

That these rules shall not be altered or any new rules added except at the Annual General Meeting of which six weeks notice shall be given to enable twenty eight days notice of any proposed alteration or new rule to be submitted to the Honorary Secretary ( in writing ) who shall communicate the proposed alteration to clubs forming the League with a notice convening such a General Meeting. Where applicable, proposals to be tried out for one season in one division of the League as a pilot scheme. This division to be specified by the Executive Committee. Not to be arbitrary. Amendments to proposals can be accepted up to, and including, the night of the Annual General Meeting. Any rule passed takes effect immediately

## **7. Membership**

Before any team can be accepted into membership, the team shall be approved by the Executive Committee. In the event of the withdrawal of a team once the fixtures have been made, it will result in a fine of £20. The results of the matches played shall be void and all monies paid or due to the League shall be forfeited.

## **8. Eligibility of Players**

All players must be fully paid up members of the club they represent with a minimum age of 10 years.

Professional or Semi-Professional players shall not be permitted to take part in any singles or doubles championships at either Billiards or Snooker.

**Players will be allocated to leagues at the discretion of the Executive Committee**

## **9. Registrations**

All players must be registered on the official printed form supplied by the league.

**No registrations will be accepted without the address of the player concerned.** Players to be Registered before the meeting prior to the commencement of the season convened for the purpose of deciding the handicaps. Any club wishing to register a new player (s) after this meeting must make an application in writing to the Match Secretary, who in turn presents it to a sub-committee, consisting of three committee members, who will give permission within seven days. If one of the sub-committee members objects to any one player they will withhold their registration until the next Executive Committee meeting. Clubs will be notified by a telephone call followed up by a letter. The clubs secretary can only make new registrations:

registrations made by anybody other than the secretary will not be accepted. Registration-only players will be given a Billiards handicap, providing their club has a Billiards team in the league. Once a player has played a game for a Billiards team they then become a member of that team and is no longer a registration-only player. Registration-only players will also be designated Snooker leagues that they will be allowed to play in. No new registrations to be made after the halfway stage except in exceptional circumstances at the discretion of the Executive Committee. The Executive Committee will reserve the right to refuse the registration if is considered in the interest of the league to do so. **N.B. League teams will be allocated a division at the discretion of the Executive Committee.**

**Fixtures will be arranged so that they are not played on a Bank Holiday.**

## **10. League Competition Matches**

Home and Away matches shall be played in the league competitions. All matches shall be played **on the dates specified in the fixtures,** and it is the responsibility of each club to ensure that **ALL** of its teams have enough reserve facility to ensure the meeting of its fixtures. **Any matches not played on the dates as indicated in the handbook shall be forfeited by the defaulting team or player.**

Any team failing to fulfil its fixtures in accordance with the rules shall be fined. The level of the fine to be determined by the committee. The Executive Committee will arbitrate in any case of contravention of the above which is considered to have extenuating circumstances. If a team withdraws from a league, the players, may at the discretion of the Executive Committee be considered to be registration-only players and will qualify /continue to qualify for individual championships.

## **11. Snooker and Billiards Leagues**

All leagues shall comprise between 8 and 16 teams and all matches shall be completed by the end of the second week in April. If the teams are level at the end of a season the team, which has won the most games will be declared champions.

**If games won are level then the team that has lost the fewest will be declared champions this way the most consistent team has won the league if these are again level the results between the two teams will be considered and the team with the best combined results against each other will then come into consideration**

## **12. Results**

The results of the match and the names of the players of both teams who took part, should be forwarded to the Match Secretary. **Snooker scorecards to be in on Friday and Billiards by Saturday morning**

**(latest 10-00 am ), following the match.**

All cards that are posted should be sent first class post. The specially provided result cards must be signed by both home and visiting captains or responsible person. Cards not signed by any captain must be posted to the match secretary accompanied by a letter of explanation. Rule 12 will then apply. Late score cards will incur a £2-00 fine, those not received at all £5.

## **13. Disputes**

Any complaint indicating a breach of these rules must be forwarded in writing to the Secretary within 3 days of the occurrence by a responsible official of the club concerned. The Secretary of the league shall notify the club concerned and the secretaries of the said clubs shall state their views in writing to the League when the matter shall be placed on the agenda of the next Executive Committee meeting. No objection or protest may be withdrawn except with the permission of the Executive Committee.

**N. B. In the event of a dispute which may effect the match result the score card should be left open. i.e. NOT SIGNED.**

## **14. League Funds**

Clubs shall be responsible for the collection of amounts from their players but any difficulty in collecting dues from individual players will be dealt with by the Executive Committee – the offenders subject to disciplinary action. Monies so derived shall be to the general purpose of the League.

## **15. Payment for use of the table**

Any charge made by a club or Billiards hall for the use of the table in any individual match shall be paid by the home players unless mutually agreed by the players concerned.

## **16. Members of clubs having more than one team**

Where a club is running two or more teams in the Billiards or Snooker sections, the following regulations shall apply:

- (a) Second team players may play for the first team (or third team players may play for the first or second team ) and so on but only twice for any one team in one season.
- (b) Should a second team player play in the first team (or a third team player in the first or second team and so on) a third time, they then become a first team player (or a second team player and so on ).
- (c) In the event of a club wishing to transfer a player from a team of higher standard to that of a lower one, application must be made to the Executive Committee and each individual application will be adjudicated entirely upon its own merits.
- (d) No player can play for more than one of their teams in the same week unless one match is Billiards and the other Snooker.
- (e) Where a club is running two teams in any one division, such teams shall be called “A” and “B” and shall be considered to be separate clubs within the meaning of these rules.
- (f) Any player may register for any club of whom he is a member, for either Billiards or Snooker or both.
- (g) If a player is a member of more than one club, he may register for Billiards or Snooker at separate clubs providing they do not play the same game at different clubs. I.e. Once a player has been duly registered for a club and been accepted , he cannot register at another club for the same game during that season unless the player has not played for the team / club he registered for, and then only by acceptance of transfer by the Executive Committee.
- (h) Any player registering for a 2nd, 3rd, 4th, division team, who subsequently during the season becomes registered player for a higher team (through playing 3 games) will automatically be disqualified from their original league competition.

## **7. Billiards**

In the first division teams shall consist of three players and each game shall be 200 points up. One point shall be awarded for each game won (the maximum number of players to be registered for any one team shall be six). All players to be handicapped individually and no new registrations shall receive more than plus 60 points handicap. No player shall receive more than 100 points at any time. Any player playing less than 6 games in the league in any one season will have their handicap re-evaluated when next registering.

**In all Billiards league matches and competition players will string for break**

## **18. Handicaps**

All handicaps will be adjusted weekly on the following basis: ten points shall be awarded or deducted for each match lost or won. No players handicap to be adjusted in respect of games in which they did not actually take part. **ARAMITH (RED, WHITE AND YELLOW)** balls to be used in all Billiards League and competition matches.

## **19. Snooker**

### **Premier league**

The format for the Premier Division is 8 single frames played by 4 players. Each player playing two consecutive frames against the same opponent, one point being scored for each frame won. A total of 8 (eight) points. All players to play off scratch.

The Miss Rule to be played in the Premier League and Competitions (matches when refereed by an official of the league. IE in all semi finals and finals).

1. If the striker has a clear shot in a straight line at any ball on or part ball on and fails to make contact with the first impact of the cue-ball with any ball on, a Miss shall be called. (Unless either player required snookers before or as a result of this stroke.)
2. If the striker can see and hit any ball on Full ball in a straight line and plays a miss on three successive occasions from the same position of the cue ball the frame shall be awarded to his opponent. When considering such a step the Referee must advise the striker after two misses of the consequences.
3. All misses to be called at the discretion of the referee.
4. After a miss only the cue ball will be replaced unless the referee considers the offending player has gained an advantage.
5. After the second consecutive miss the referee will warn the player that if he misses a third time the frame will be awarded to his opponent.

**Note.** After a miss when the referee is replacing the cue ball both players will be consulted as to its position, at this point the referees decision is final. Under no circumstances whatsoever must either player touch the ball. The referee cannot call a miss if one of the players requires snookers.

## **Divisions 1& 2**

The format for the above leagues is four single frames and two single frames of doubles with one point being scored for each frame with a total of 6 (six) points being available. All players shall play off scratch. The visiting captain shall present his card with four single players and his two doubles pairs of players in that order to the home team captain, so that he can pair them off.

## **Division 3**

Five players to form a team, each player to play one frame, a total of five points in all. Each player shall play off scratch.

The winners and runners up in divisions 1, 2, 3 and 4, shall be promoted and the bottom two teams in divisions 1, 2, 3 shall be relegated at the discretion of the Executive Committee.

All home team players shall mark "SPOT". Home score cards should indicate breaks made throughout the match concerned. Home teams shall provide a referee. All matches shall commence no later than 7-15 pm, all players to be in attendance by 9-15 pm, and cases of contravention of the above to be considered on merit as individual cases by the Executive Committee. The home team captain shall present his card to the away team captain, who will then write down his team. The home team captain will then have the option of pairing players. In the event of any named player not being available a reserve may be substituted in place of the named player. Order of play is as stated. Four singles followed by two doubles unless an agreement is made by the two captains. Any club (s) which will not allow persons under 18 to play in their club shall forfeit the frame or match or play the frame or game at the said persons club. **Super Crystalite balls or Aramith snooker balls** shall be used in all snooker league and competition matches.

## **20. Incomplete teams**

Any team found to be falsifying a scorecard, both teams will be fined £5 and all games not played shall be awarded to their opponents. Any team playing an unregistered player shall lose 1 point if the player loses, 2 points if the player wins and the team fined £5. Teams failing to attend a match will be fined the sum of £20 and the points awarded to their opponents, (At the discretion of the committee).

**If any one team has been unable to field a full team on two or more occasions they will be fined a sum of £2.50 per team.** Any team playing an unregistered player under another name will be fined the sum of £10 and all points from that match awarded to their opponents. The player in Question will be banned from playing for the rest of the season.

## **21. Conditions of play in championships:**

**Players who fail to attend any Individual championship semi finals or final and including the One day Competitions without an acceptable written reason shall be suspended from playing in all championship matches for a period of one year.**

In all championship games the onus is on the home player or teams to make contact. Reasonable times must be given. Both players/teams must contact within 21 days of notification of the draw. Matches must be played on the table of the club at which the home player/team is registered for that discipline, unless the players mutually agree to reverse the venue. Applications to play at any other venue must be agreed by the Executive committee. Home players to provide a referee where possible.

**Any player (s) /teams arriving late for a championship match will lose 1 frame for every 15 minutes late and the match if they are 30 minutes late for Billiards. Final decision to be left with the Executive Committee. Also players in one day Senior or Junior competitions withdrawing before being eliminated from the competition without good reason will be suspended from playing ALL one championships for a period of one year.**

## **22. Championship entries:**

The entry fees for individual competitions is £3 and team events £8.

## **23. Individual Senior Billiards championship:**

Qualifying rounds to be 300 points up, semi finals 450 points up and the final 600 points up.

## **24. Individual Junior Billiards championship:**

Qualifying rounds to be 200 points up, semi finals 250 points up and the final 300 points up. Any non league player wishing to enter the junior billiards championship must register as registration only for the club they wish to enter from so that a handicap can be given at the start of the season by the Executive committee. Any player having twice reached the final in either senior individual championships will henceforth be ineligible to enter the junior championship in that discipline, also winners of any two consecutive junior championships in the same discipline will be Ineligible to enter the event of which they were such a winner. The above are subject to the discretion of the Executive committee.

## **25. Individual Billiards Open Championship:**

This competition is open to all registered snooker or billiards players. Players will play the best of three matches playing to 75 points up.

## **26. Individual Senior Snooker championship:**

The best of 5 frames .Semi finals – best of 7 frames and the final the best of 9 frames.

## **27. Individual Junior Snooker championship:**

Entries will be made up of 2nd/3rd division players with the best of 3 frames and the semi final and the final the best of 5 frames

## **28 .Snooker Doubles championship:**

Teams of any two players who must be registered with the same club for the snooker. Winners to be determined by the of 5 frames in the qualifying rounds and the best of 5 frames in the semi finals and the final.

## **29. Snooker Doubles 2nd/3rd championship**

Teams of two players registered with the same club in the above divisions. Winners to be determined by the best of 3 frames in the qualifying and semi final rounds and the best of **3 frames in the final.**

### **30. Divisional Championships**

The four divisions will play individual championships within their own leagues.

**The Premier League & 1st division will be the best of 5 Frames .** In the event that a player registers for a particular league and plays in a higher league, subsequently registering for that league, he will be disqualified to play in individual competitions pertaining to the lower league, unless the lower league has completed all its fixtures.

**2nd/3rd divisions individual championship will be the best of 3 frames :** In the event that a player registers for a particular league and plays in a higher league, subsequently registering for that league, he will be disqualified to play in individual competitions pertaining to the lower league, unless the lower league has completed all its fixtures.

### **31 Snooker team handicap:**

#### **Eligibility :**

The competition is open to all teams playing in the snooker league during the current season. Players must be registered for the team for which they play or registered for a team in a lower division, but may only play for one team in any one season. The onus shall be on both teams to arrange the match. the handicap will be fixed by the Executive committee and will alter each round .

**Any matches not played both teams will be eliminated.**

**Final decision will rest with the Executive Committee**

#### **Order of play:**

The home team captain shall have the choice of pairing , up to the semi final. The semi final and final pairing shall be determined by draw. Any team playing short of the required number shall forfeit 147 points for each player short. On the last frame the difference in the aggregate scores will be put onto the scoreboard. The black must be played in each frame, should the aggregate score be level at the end of the final frame the black will be re-spotted and played for by the final two players. The first score or forfeit to end the game. The home team only will submit the result sheets which will be completed by both teams and signed by both captains. Sheets to be returned to the championship secretary by the dates shown on the draw sheets . Failure to return result sheets will result in elimination from the competition and a fine of £2. Home players are responsible for the provision of a referee and the Financial cost of the venue. Referees and markers for the championship semi finals and finals shall be members of the Executive committee or appointed referees.

**All venues fixed by the committee shall be adhered to by the players**

### **32 Billiards team handicap:**

#### **Eligibility :**

Only players who are registered at the **TIME OF THE 1ST ROUND DRAW** will be eligible to play in this competition, players registered after this date will be eligible for league matches only. All billiards teams playing in the current season will be eligible to enter. Players may only play for the team for which they are currently registered. Registration only players are not allowed to play in this competition. Teams shall consist of 3 players, who would play off their handicaps as they do in the league to 200 points and the accumulation of points scored from all three games would be used to calculate the winner. In the event of a tie the score line i.e. 2-1 etc would be used to determine the winner.

**Players will play off the updated handicaps on the date of the match.**

The two captains will enter their order of play on to a separate sheet and then entered accordingly on to the score card. The semi finals and finals which will be determined by draw and games played in the order of the draw. Home and away result sheets to be returned to the championship secretary by the date shown on the draw sheet. failure to return result sheets will result in elimination from the competition and a fine of £2.

### **33. Gordon Vincent Memorial Snooker Trophy:**

The last 16 players in the senior snooker to be invited to play for this trophy. Reserves will be selected by the Executive committee. The format of play will be 4 leagues of 4 players, they will play 3 frames against each opponent and the winners of each league would play a 5 frame semi final and then a 5 frame final. The runners up in the league stages will then compete for Plate Trophy.

#### **4. Tony Bosworth Memorial Billiards Trophy:**

Is open to all Registered Billiards Players. All players to play off their handicap at the time of the competition with a first round losers plate.

#### **35. The John Stobie Snooker Competition**

The top 16 players based on the previous seasons averages, with a minimum of 30 matches being played, will play in a one day competition. The format is the best of 5 frames with a first round losers competition.

#### **36. The Jack Wilkinson Billiards Trophy**

Is open to all Registered Billiards Players. Playing off their handicaps at the time of the competition.

The winner of each group will then play in the semi finals. All games are 200 points up. The runners up in the league stages will then compete for Plate Trophy.

#### **37. Under18 Snooker Handicapped Competition**

Four one day under 18 snooker handicapped competitions. All players must be 18 or under at the start of the forthcoming season and must be registered with the league to play. This will also be a ranking event with points awarded for frames and matches won. First round loser's plate. The player with the most points at the end of the season will be deemed the winner. **All Entries to be in by the Friday prior to the competition**

#### **38. Snooker Handicapped Competition**

Six one day snooker handicapped competitions open to all players registered with the league £10 entry fee per tournament. This will also be a ranking event with points awarded for frames and matches won. First round loser's plate. The player with the most points at the end of the season will be deemed the winner. **All Entries to be in by the Friday prior to the competition**

#### **39. W. A. Smith Billiards Trophy :**

This trophy goes to the most improved player.

#### **40. Individual league averages :**

Each player at the top of the averages league will get the player of the year award. That player must have played at least 70% of the league games. The top 16 players in the averages leagues will then play in a one day competition. The 1st division will play the best of 5 frames, the 2nd division will play the best of 3 frames and the top 8 in the 3rd/4th divisions will combine to play the best of 3 frames with each competition having a first match losers competition. Each league therefore will have its own one day competition based on the previous seasons averages.

#### **41. Trophies :**

All trophies of the association are challenge trophies, and cannot be won outright. Annual trophies must be returned by a date specified in a document that the winner must sign at the presentation night. It will be left to the committees discretion to fine any club that returns an annual trophy in a dirty condition Trophies must be collected on the night of the presentation. Trophies will not be issued at a later date, unless arrangements have been made with the committee prior to the presentation evening.

#### **42. Executive committee meetings :**

Shall be held every month at a place and a date to be advised by the committee and notified in writing by the secretary.

#### **43. Extraordinary general meeting :**

An extraordinary general meeting may be called at the request of any 40 members of the league. Such request to be made in writing to the secretary stating the reason for requesting such E.G.M. and the secretary shall then convene such a meeting which shall have the powers of an annual general meeting.

#### **44. Financial**

The league shall charge for each player a fee of £5 which includes participation in the leagues and a copy of the leagues official Handbook on request. Team Captains, club secretaries / owners and committee members will automatically receive a handbook. Registration only players will pay a fee of £5. Where a player plays for two clubs, i.e. Billiards for one club and snooker for another club , they will be obliged to pay a registration fee of £5 for each club concerned.

#### **Fees for players registrations to be paid with the team entry form.**

All other fees /fines to be paid by June 1st, if not paid by this date a fine of £5 shall be imposed and may result in expulsion from the league for the following season.

#### **The team captains are to be made responsible for paying/collecting fines for their team.**

#### **Payment of registration / competition fees to be paid within 90 days of closing date & 30 days for all fines**

#### **45. Dress:**

Semi finals and finals, the Gordon Vincent, the Tony Bosworth, Jack Wilkinson & The John Stobie competitions, all competitors must wear A collared shirt, or **an Association Polo Shirt** dark trousers and black shoes. Referees to dress appropriately. No headwear to be worn (accept for religious reasons) this also includes league matches. All players representing Lincoln in team or Individual events must wear the dress code prescribed by the event organisers or in the absence of this the Lincoln Dress code.

#### **46. Gambling**

No Player registered to play in the league may organise or take part in gambling on any event organised by the Association. This will include the running of a “book” on any competition. Any player identified as taking part in such activities will be subject to disciplinary action by the Committee. The full range of sanctions, including expulsion from the league, will be available to the Committee.

		<b>Premier Trophies Premier League Table</b>				
		<b>Played</b>	<b>Won</b>	<b>Drawn</b>	<b>Lost</b>	<b>Points</b>
1	Newark Cue Club A	24	16	4	4	123
2	Lincoln Snooker Club A	24	16	3	5	123
3	Riley's Snooker Club A	24	16	4	4	117
4	Gwynnes A	24	11	5	8	110
5	Lincoln Snooker Club C	24	10	7	7	103
6	Lincoln Snooker Club B	24	9	5	10	94
7	Castle Ward A	24	8	3	13	83
8	Post Office A	24	2	6	16	65
9	Hykeham A	24	0	3	21	46
		216	88	40	88	864
<b>High Break</b>		<b>Jimmy Gillespie (Newark Cue Club)</b>				<b>134</b>
		<b>02/12/2008</b>				
		<b>Premier Trophies Division 1 Table</b>				
		<b>Played</b>	<b>Won</b>	<b>Drawn</b>	<b>Lost</b>	<b>Points</b>
1	Post Office B	27	18	4	5	99
2	Castle Ward B	27	14	10	3	97
3	Lincoln Snooker Club D	27	13	6	8	92
4	Monks Road A	27	12	6	9	88
5	Regency A	27	11	6	10	85
6	Moorlands & Railway B	27	13	4	10	82
7	Gwynnes B	27	10	4	13	80
8	Moorlands & Railway A	27	8	6	13	73
9	Engineers A	27	5	3	19	57
10	Riley's Snooker Club B	27	4	5	18	57
11						
12						
		270	108	54	108	810
<b>High Break</b>		<b>Neil Shingles (Castle Ward)</b>				<b>70</b>

		Premier Trophies Division 2 Table				
		Played	Won	Drawn	Lost	Points
1	Monks Road D	30	18	10	2	121
2	Monks Road C	30	15	10	5	107
3	Lincoln Snooker Club E	30	14	10	6	106
4	Brant Road A	30	12	15	3	104
5	Post Office C	30	15	8	7	103
6	Gwynnes S.C. C	30	12	10	8	99
7	Unison A	30	12	11	7	98
8	Moorlands & Railway F	30	10	9	11	95
9	Moorlands & Railway E	30	12	11	7	93
10	Moorlands & Railway D	30	10	9	11	88
11	Rileys Snooker Club G	30	7	13	7	88
12	Rileys Snooker Club A	30	7	19	6	85
13	Regency Club B	30	7	19	5	78
14	Con Club Newark A	30	4	24	7	63
15	Rileys Snooker Club E	30	4	16	7	59
16	Moorlands & Railway C	30	2	24	5	53
		480	165	150	165	1440
<b>High Break</b>		<b>Lee Mason (Rileys SC)</b>				<b>52</b>
		<b>18/03/2009</b>				
		Premier Trophies Division 3 Table				
		Played	Won	Lost	Points	
1	Newark Cue Club B	26	18	8	83	
2	Gwynnes S.C. D	26	19	7	80	
3	Civil Defence A	26	18	8	74	
4	Castle Ward C	26	17	9	74	
5	Liberal A	26	16	10	72	
6	Rileys Snooker Club F	26	15	11	71	
7	Moorlands & Railway G	26	14	12	65	
8	Gwynnes S.C. E	26	10	16	62	
9	Post Office D	26	10	16	62	
10	Regency Club C	26	10	16	62	
11	Lincoln Snooker Club F	26	11	15	56	
12	Brant Road B	26	9	17	55	
13	Regency D	26	8	18	51	
14	Lincoln Snooker Club G	26	7	19	43	
15						
16						
		364	182	182	910	
<b>High Break</b>		<b>Brian Rawding (Post Office)</b>			<b>44</b>	
		<b>17/11/2008</b>				

		<b>Premier Trophies Billiards League</b>			
		<b>Played</b>	<b>Won</b>	<b>Lost</b>	<b>Points</b>
1	Rileys S.C. A	24	16	8	40
2	Moorlands & Railway A	24	13	11	40
3	Hykeham A	24	12	12	39
4	Castle Ward A	24	12	12	35
5	Liberal A	24	10	14	34
6	Monks Road B	24	11	13	32
7	Monks Road A	24	10	14	32
		168	84	84	252
<b>High Break</b>		<b>Rob Hall (Rileys SC)</b>			<b>224</b>

<u><b>Century Breaks</b></u>	
Snooker	
134 Jimmy Gillespie Newark Cue Club	
131 Alex Lawford Gwynnes	
112 Matt Lee Lincoln Snooker Club	
110 Dave Norman Gwynnes	
109 Darren Hall Gwynnes	
103 Rob Hall Riley's Snooker Club	
100 Rob Hall Riley's Snooker Club	
Billiards	
Rob Hall Riley's Snooker Club	
224,219,210,188,159,152,150,148,139,130,129,128,127,122,119,105,	
107,105,104,103, 102, 101, 101, 100 (League Matches)	
<i>Billiards Team Handicap</i> 127,114 . <i>Senior Billiards</i> 115,187unf.155, 101.	
<i>Eastern Counties</i> 181, 122, 100,134,116, 135	
<i>C.I.U Billiards</i> 165. <i>Whitworth Masters</i> 141, 101	
<i>Amateur Billiards Circuit</i> , 102, 107, 132, 216, 133, 127, 103,119	
<i>English County Team Championship</i> 108	
<i>English Billiards Open Series (EBOS)</i> 149, 103,133, 125,104 .112	
<i>International Matches</i> 129, 108, 103,129unf.	

<b><u>League Winners</u></b>	
<b><u>Premier League</u></b>	
<i>Premier League Champions</i>	Newark Cue Club A
<i>Premier League Runners up</i>	Lincoln Snooker Club A
<i>Premier League High Break</i>	134 Jimmy Gillespie Newark Cue Club
<i>Player of the Year</i>	87% Jimmy Gillespie Newark Cue Club

<b><u>Division 1</u></b>	
<i>Division 1 Champions</i>	Post Office B
<i>Division 1 Runners up</i>	Castle Ward B
<i>Division 1 High Break</i>	70 Neil Shingles Post Office Club
<i>Player of The Year</i>	83& Neil Shingles Post Office Club

<b><u>Division 2</u></b>	
<i>Division 2 Champions</i>	Monks Road D
<i>Division 2 Runners up</i>	Monks Road C
<i>Division 2 High Break</i>	52 Lee Mason Riley's Snooker Club
<i>Player of The Year</i>	93% James Kirk Brant Road

<b><u>Division 3</u></b>	
<i>Division 3 Champions</i>	Newark Cue Club B
<i>Division 3 Runners up</i>	Gwynnes D
<i>Division 3 High Break</i>	44 Neil Chambers Civil Defence & Bryan Rawding Post Office
<i>Player of The Year</i>	84% Adrian Bunn Gwynnes

<b><u>Billiards</u></b>	
<i>Billiards League Champions</i>	Riley's Snooker Club A
<i>Billiards League Runners up</i>	Moorland's & Railway A
<i>Billiards League High Break</i>	224 Rob Hall Riley's Snooker Club
<i>Player of The Year</i>	65% Rob Hall Riley's Snooker Club & Leigh Middleton Moorland's & Railway

**Championship winners 2008-2009**

**The Ken Baptist Senior Snooker Sponsored by Lincoln Snooker Club**

<b>Winner :</b>	Rob Hall Riley's Snooker Club
<b>Runner up :</b>	Daren Doughty Lincoln Snooker Club
<b>Semi finalists :</b>	Lee Applewhite Lincoln Snooker Club
	Paul Froggatt Lincoln Snooker Club

**The Dave Dyle Junior Snooker Sponsored by Gwynnes Social Club**

<b><u>Junior Snooker Champion :</u></b>	Neil Chambers
<b><u>Junior Snooker Runner-up:</u></b>	Karl Zuerner
<b>Junior Snooker Semi Finalists:</b>	Lee Mason Riley's
	Tony Hicklin Moorlands & Railway

**Divisional Winners Sponsored by Moorland's & Railway**

	<b>Winner</b>	<b>Runner Up</b>
<b>Division 1</b>	Ian Cotter Moorlands & Railway	Neil Shingles Castle Ward
<b>Division 2</b>	Karl Zuerner Riley's Snooker Club	Mick Thompson Moorlands & Railway
<b>Division 3</b>	Antony Cupit Riley's Snooker Club	Neil Chambers Civil Defence

**Senior Snooker Doubles :Sponsored By Riley's Snooker Club**

<b>Winner :</b>	Dave Norman & Alex Lawford Gwynnes
<b>Runner up :</b>	Rob Hall & Adam Sears Riley's Snooker Club
<b>Semi finalists :</b>	Martin Key & Craig Starbuck Post Office
	Mick Challen & Mick Druszcz Castle Ward

**4th / 5th Snooker Doubles : Sponsored by Brian & Barry Briggs**

<b>Winner :</b>	Joe Hutchinson / Tony Hicklin Moorlands & Railway
<b>Runner up :</b>	Paul Dabell / Paul Spencer Castle Ward
<b>Semi Finalist</b>	Billy Pearson / Michael Benton Regency Club
<b>Semi Finalist</b>	Mark Woods / Lee Mason Riley's Snooker Club

<b><u>Senior Billiards : Sponsored by Monks Road Club</u></b>	
<b>Winner :</b>	Rob Hall Riley's Snooker Club
<b>Runner up :</b>	Jamie Barker Riley's Snooker Club
<b>Semi finalists :</b>	Dean Manders Riley's Snooker Club
	John Binks Monks Road
<b><u>Junior Billiards : Sponsored by Monks Road Club</u></b>	
<b>Winner :</b>	Sean Binks Monks Road
<b>Runner up :</b>	Paul Froggatt Lincoln Snooker Club
<b>Semi Finalist</b>	Dave Coutts Hykeham Club
	Danny Wilkinson Castle Ward Club
<b><u>The Phil Schofield Billiards Team Knockout :</u></b>	
<b>Winner :</b>	Monks Road B
<b>Runner up :</b>	Riley's Snooker Club A
<b>Semi finalists :</b>	Monks Road A
	Moorland's & Railway A
<b><u>The Rick Bean Snooker Team Knockout :</u></b>	
<b>Winner :</b>	Lincoln Snooker Club A
<b>Runner up :</b>	Moorland's & Railway B
<b>Semi finalists :</b>	Newark Cue Club B
	Lincoln Snooker Club C
<b><u>Gordon Vincent Snooker Memorial Trophy :</u></b>	
<b>Winner :</b>	Daren Doughty Lincoln Snooker Club
<b>Runner up :</b>	Gavin Whittle Lincoln Snooker Club
<b>Semi finalists :</b>	Adam Sears Riley's Snooker Club &
<b>Plate Winner</b>	Glenn Foster
<b>Plate Runner Up</b>	Matt Lee
<b>Highest Break</b>	103 Rob Hall Riley's Snooker Club

<b><u>Jack Wilkinson Trophy :</u></b>	
<b>Winner :</b>	Danny Bryans Hykeham Club
<b>Runner up :</b>	Mick Challen Castle Ward Club
<b>Semi finalists :</b>	Dave Coutts Hykeham & Eric Gunthorpe Liberal
<b>Plate Winner</b>	Dave Brown Liberal
<b>Plate Runner Up</b>	Jamie Barker Riley's Snooker Club
<b>Highest Break</b>	81 Rob Hall Riley's Snooker Club
<b><u>Tony Bosworth Billiards Memorial Trophy</u></b>	
<b>Winner :</b>	Mick Druszcz Castle Ward Club
<b>Runner up :</b>	Danny Bryans Hykeham Club
<b>Semi finalists :</b>	Mick Challen Castle Ward & Alan Wray Liberal
<b>Plate Winner</b>	Dave Brown Liberal
<b>Plate Runner Up</b>	Wayne Bean Liberal
<b>Highest Break</b>	137 Rob Hall Riley's Snooker Club
<b><u>John Stobie Snooker Tournament</u></b>	
<b>Winner :</b>	Dave Thompson Newark Cue Club
<b>Runner up :</b>	Alex Lawford Gwynnes Club
<b>Semi finalists :</b>	Daren Doughty Lincoln Snooker Club &
<b>Highest Break</b>	82 Alex Lawford Gwynnes Club
<b>Plate Winner:</b>	Darren Hall Riley's Snooker Club
<b>Plate Runner up:</b>	Mick Druszcz Castle Ward
<b><u>Walkers Billiards Open Sponsored By Walkers</u></b>	
<b>Winner :</b>	Rob Hall Riley's Snooker Club
<b>Runner up :</b>	Chris Ellis Monks Road
<b>Semi finalists :</b>	Jamie Barker Riley's Snooker Club
<b><u>Fantasy Snooker League Winner</u></b>	
<b>Jamie Barker</b>	

<b><u>One Day Event Sponsored</u></b>			
<b><i>Winner</i></b>	Matt Ransome	<b><i>2nd Place</i></b>	Alex Lawford
<b><i>3rd Place</i></b>	Matt Lee	<b><i>4th Place</i></b>	Dave Jobling
<b><i>5th Place</i></b>	Rob Hall	<b><i>6th Place</i></b>	John Grattrick
<b><i>7th Place (Joint)</i></b>	Daren Doughty & Jamie Barker		
<b><u>The Roger Clark Under 17's Championship</u></b> <b>Sponsored By Newark Cue Club, Lincoln Snooker Club</b>			
<b><i>Winner</i></b>	Hugo Tomas	<b><i>2nd Place</i></b>	Lewis Berry
<b><i>3rd Place</i></b>	Ryan Barnsdale	<b><i>4th Place</i></b>	Antony Cupit

<b><u>Chairman's Award:</u></b>	
<b><i>Snooker :</i></b>	Alan Wray
<b><i>Billiards:</i></b>	Jamie Barker
<b><i>W. A. Smith Trophy :</i></b>	Rob Hall

# The Foul & Miss Talk Through Flow Chart

A Stroke is made and no ball on is contacted by the cue-ball

How much of ANY ball that is on, or could be on was available to a direct stroke

SOME

Less than a full ball

Full ball or more

First or second attempt  
from this position

FIRST

SECOND

Call Foul & Miss plus  
Warning **THIRD**  
**FORFEIT FRAME**

Were snookers required be-  
fore or after the stroke

YES

NO

Call **FOUL**

Call **FOUL & MISS** but  
no warning

1. Play the next stroke from the position left, with a free ball if appropriate
  2. Have the offender play again from the position left - at the ball now on
- Both options as above, plus, have the offender play again from the original position at the same ball on (or same choice of ball on) as before.

**CLUB SECRETARIES 2009-2010**

<b><u>Name Of Club</u></b>	<b><u>Clubs Telephon</u></b>	<b><u>Secretary</u></b>	<b><u>Secretaries Telephone</u></b>
<i>Brant Road Social Club</i>	<i>01522-721091</i>	<i>Ashley Horner</i>	<i>01522-885425</i>
<i>Castle Hill Club</i>	<i>01522 525791</i>	<i>C/O The Club</i>	<i>01522 525791</i>
<i>Castle Ward Club</i>	<i>01522-526084</i>	<i>Mark Wilkinson</i>	<i>01522-535268</i>
<i>City Engineers***</i>	<i>01522-527457</i>	<i>Ian Norledge</i>	<i>01522-527457</i>
<i>Civil Defence Social Club</i>	<i>01522-527067</i>	<i>Phil Firth</i>	<i>07983 402423</i>
<i>Con Club Newark</i>	<i>01636-702113</i>	<i>Christopher Dent</i>	<i>01636-681871</i>
<i>Gwynnes Social Club</i>	<i>01522-520691</i>	<i>Bernie Barker</i>	<i>01522-856586</i>
<i>Hykeham Social Club</i>	<i>01522-880090</i>	<i>Steve Robinson</i>	<i>07810 307394</i>
<i>Lincoln Snooker Club</i>	<i>01522-527427</i>	<i>Mark Baptist</i>	<i>01522-527427</i>
<i>Liberal Club</i>	<i>01522-529055</i>	<i>Alan Wray</i>	<i>01522-529055</i>
<i>Monks Road Club</i>	<i>01522-872680</i>	<i>Dennis Johnson</i>	<i>01522 879020</i>
<i>Moorland's &amp; Railway Club</i>	<i>01522-874111</i>	<i>Trevor Porter</i>	<i>01522-525976</i>
<i>Newark Cue Club</i>	<i>01636-612020</i>	<i>C/O The Club</i>	<i>01636-612020</i>
<i>Post Office Club</i>	<i>01522-524050</i>	<i>C/O The Club</i>	<i>01522-524050</i>
<i>Regency Club</i>	<i>01522-520321</i>	<i>Billy Pearson</i>	<i>01522-520321</i>
<i>Riley's Snooker Club</i>	<i>01522-548635</i>	<i>C/O The Club</i>	<i>01522-548635</i>
<i>Unison Club</i>	<i>01522-527457</i>	<i>Rob Reeves</i>	<i>01522-887173</i>

**\*\*\* Engineers play from the Unison Club \*\*\***