

South OC APA Holiday Event

Come & join the holiday festivities with our

Canned Food & Membership Drive

FAMILY & FRIENDS WELCOME

Saturday, December 27

1:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Shooters, Mission Viejo

Bring a New Member for a chance to Win a Cue!

Join in December and get 13 months for \$20 (a \$15 savings)
Current SOC APA members who bring in 2 New Members will be eligible for a New Cue.

For each food item donated, receive two tickets to win prizes playing in these exciting games:

Speed Pool, 3-Ball, Lagging Competition, Ro Sham Bo, Balls on the Break, etc.

(Or donate \$1 per game ticket to be used to purchase food.)

2009 Spring Session Starts in January

The Spring Session is the 3rd and last qualifying session in the league year. Qualifying Teams from this session will join the division and playoff winners from the Summer '08 and Fall '08 sessions and will be playing in the South OC APA 2009 Local Team Championships (LTC) in June '09.

Teams who are already qualified need to play in the Spring Session with 4 original members from the qualifying team to retain qualification in the LTC. Remember your Spring Roster is your LTC and "Vegas" roster.

Below are the current nights of league play.

Night of Play	Format	Start Time	Start Date
Sunday	Double Jeopardy*	5 PM	Jan 11
Tuesday	8-Ball	7 PM	Jan 6
Wednesday	8-Ball	7 PM	Jan 7
Thursday	9-Ball	7 PM	Jan 8

* Double Jeopardy allows you to play both 8- and 9-Ball on the same night at a discounted rate (for a limited time only)!

A Message from the South OC APA League Operators...

We hope you had a Happy Thanksgiving and are preparing for the holiday season. Please join us in thanking our members at our annual South OC APA Holiday gathering (details to the left).

Happy Holidays!
Scot & Liza



Upcoming Pool Events

2009 8-Ball Southwest Challenge



March 12-15, 2009
Las Vegas
\$510 per Team
(package includes room and entry)

Any three APA players with a team skill cap of 14 may play in this annual pre-registered tournament, where players rotate through their team roster in the order they specify (rather than posting). Teams play against other teams in the surrounding southwest region, including CA, AZ and NV.

\$100 non-refundable deposit reserves your team's spot!

For details and sign-up, look for fliers online and in your team packets.

Singles Qualifiers

Monday Nights @ Mulligans

The window to qualify for the 2009 Fall Singles Regional in September 2009 runs from January 1 to June 15. Winners of the Singles Regionals will compete in the



At the Riviera in Las Vegas!



Contact the league office if you're interested.

Visit the new **Event Calendar** online for all upcoming events!



2009 Spring Singles Qualifiers

The window to qualify for the Spring Singles Regional closed on November 30, 2009. The following South OC APA players will compete in March 2009 for a chance to qualify for the 2009 National Singles Championship in May 2009...Good Luck!

 8-Ball Classic Regional Qualifiers	Blue Tier (SL 2&3)	
	Yellow Tier (SL 4)	Frankie Barajas (Spring '08 Top Gun 2 nd Place); Robert Brooks; Victor Burke; Anthony Griffith, James Hughes, Meghan Knox; Allison McGhie, Travis Smith, John Sperka
	Red Tier (SL 5)	Diana Nunn, Preston Strait
	Purple Tier (SL 6&7)	Matt Amalong, Cesar Brandes, Josh Flatt; John Morrin (Spring '08 Top Gun 1 st Place); Chris Nicholas; Darin Reeves, Bill Toy (Summer '08 Top Gun 2 nd Place); Isaac Wooten (Summer '08 Top Gun 1 st Place)
 9-Ball Shootout Regional Qualifiers	Green Tier (SL 1-3)	Lisa Larson, Susan Mason
	White Tier (SL 4&5)	Max Ahmadi (Summer '08 Top Gun Winner); Baron Domey (Summer '08 Top Gun Runner-up); Chad, Lucewicz, Diana Nunn
	Black Tier (SL 6-9)	Josh Pavy, Darin Reeves, Jim Stanley (Spring '08 Top Gun), Eli Veach, Isaac Wooten

The winners of the Spring Regional will join the National Qualifiers from the Fall Regional. **Congratulations National Qualifiers!**

- **Eli Veach** (playing in the 8-Ball Classic Purple Tier)
- **Adam Fukushima** (playing in the 9-Ball Shootout White Tier)
- **Cesar Brandes** (playing in the 9-Ball Shootout Black Tier)

Any active APA player with at least 10 matches is eligible to qualify on a local singles board, but you better hurry because the window closes on November 30. (The window for the 2009 Fall Singles Regional is Jan 1 to Jun 15.)

Administrative Stuff

South OC APA Member Discount Program

Visit the new **Member Discounts** page on the website at <http://southoc.apaleagues.com> for current discounts on pool equipment and other supplies, pool lessons and various other local merchants.

If you're a South OC APA member and would like to offer the league a discount on a product or service you provide, please contact the League Office.

2009 APA Membership Fees Increase by \$5

After 15 years without an increase, beginning in 2009 the price of an APA membership will increase to \$25 per year. This nominal increase will continue to provide members with the best benefits and services. Next year, the APA plans on processing membership renewals online. They also plan to provide an online member login allowing access to statistics, standings and schedules.



PLAYER INCENTIVES

Help the South OC APA league grow and take advantage of these player incentives!

- **Free session** for players who captain a brand new team
- **Free session** for players who captain 3 or more teams
- **\$20 discount** for weekly team fees on Double Jeopardy Sundays
- **Free cue** if you sign up 3 or more players who play at least 10 matches

Happy Birthday!

South OC APA December Birthdays

Jonathan Firey	12/02
Lynnette LeRoy	12/04
Chad Laudone	12/07
Christopher Nicholas	12/07
Christopher Christianson	12/11
Baron Domey	12/12
Jonathan Higginson	12/12
James Hughes	12/24
Rochelle Whitener	12/27
Jesse Dollar	12/28