# WINTER 2021/22 REBOOT SEASON NEWSLETTER - NOVEMBER 2021

SOUTHAMPTON REGIONAL POOL LEAGUE



# THE SRPL IS BACK!

#### Welcome to the SRPL Reboot Season 2021/22!

After a staggering 600 days since the last league match (yes, really!) the SRPL finally returns on **Tuesday 2nd November** & we can't wait!

This past year and half has been incredibly hard on so many of us and we're looking forward to the new 'normal'. Our free registration saw **21** teams join the Tuesday league and **32** join Thursday so we're heading in the right direction to see pre-Covid levels of participation.

**Remember:** The last 18+ months have been extremely tough on businesses as well as people personally. As the league's primary role is to help venues boost footfall, we encourage you to do what you can to support them: arrange practice sessions, buy plenty of drinks & food and complete the football cards supplied to give something back to the venues who the league is committed to helping.

#### **REBOOT SEASON FORMAT**

This Reboot Season will follow the same format as previous SRPL Summer seasons.

During the live draw on our **YouTube channel**, teams were placed into groups of 5 or 6 and will play each other once home and away over the next 13 weeks, only stopping for 3 weeks over the Christmas and New Year period.

There are **no rearrangements** permitted so can all captains please ensure all your players and venue are aware of the fixtures.

Each team will be competing to progress through to the **Cup** or **Shield** competitions. Full season format details are on the website.

**Remember:** the website is a huge resource of information on rules, history and everything related to the league. Check it out, and if you have any questions, pop a post on our **Facebook Group**.



### **REGISTERED TEAM PLAYERS LISTS**

You Tube

As the season is a standalone format, we do not need to know who is in the team until the matches are played. This relies on all players **PRINTING** and **SIGNING** the result card **CLEARLY** when they first play for a team. They are only registered to a team by **PLAYING** a frame.

All players must **PRINT** their **FULL NAME** clearly and **SIGN** for each frame played. Result photos must also be <u>legible</u>.

Fake, duplicate or incomplete names on result cards may lead to void frames or a ban.

To register a new player to a team later in the groups stage, tick the box on the result card next to their name when they play a frame and ensure they **CLEARLY** print their **FULL NAME** and **SIGN**. We will then update your registered players list.

For the first few matches all players will be automatically added.

Once a player has played for a team they can not transfer to another team for the duration of the season. Please write **CLEARLY** on the result card [SRPL Rule 13].

**Reminder:** If a team is removed or withdraws mid-season, the registered players are not permitted to join another team.

# **RESULT CARD SPONSOR - APPLEWOOD JOINERY**

Thanks again to Peter Munday of **Applewood Joinery Ltd.** for your continued support of the league. If you're interested in sponsoring the SRPL, please get in touch via the usual methods.





Respect each other, keep safe and thanks for reading. Have a great season!