

Welcome Savings Bank PBA TEAM LEAGUE 2022-2023

< Round 1 >

5 August 2022 – 11 August 2022

Bitmaru Broadcasting Support Center (5F)

Title Sponsor

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1. Overview

Title

[Welcome Savings Bank PBA TEAM LEAGUE 2022-2023] Round 1

Host

PBA (Professional Billiards Association)

Title Sponsor

Welcome Savings Bank

Official Sponsors

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Schedule

#	Round	Date	Note
T1	Round 1	5-11 August 2022	Regular Season - First Half
T2	Round 2	20-26 September 2022	
T3	Round 3	28 September–4 October 2022	
T4	Round 4	11-17 November 2022	Regular Season - Second Half
T5	Round 5	19-25 December 2022	
T6	Round 6	8-14 January 2023	
T7	Post Season	17-23 February 2023	

Venue

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1. Overview

Broadcasting

MBC SPORTS+, SBS Sports, Billiards TV, PBA&GOLF, IB SPORTS, YOUTUBE, NAVER, KAKAO TV, AFREECA TV

Teams

Welcome Savings Bank, BlueOne Resort, Crown Haitai, Hana Card, Huons, NH Nonghyup Card, SK rent-a-car, TS Shampoo·PURADAK

Equipments

- Table: FROMM PBA TOUR PRO 3.0
- Balls: **Super Aramith PRO-CUP Prestige**
- Cloth: **Simonis 300 RAPIDE**

Awards

- Season Winner Team (Post Season Winner): KRW 100,000,000
- Season Runner-up Team (Post Season Runner-up): KRW 50,000,000
- Regular Season MVP Awards / Each Half: KRW 3,000,000
- Post Season (Final) MVP Awards : KRW 5,000,000

※ MVP to be selected by the PBA Tour Operation Committee

※ PBA Development Fund (5% of the prize money) will be deducted

2. Time Table

Day 1	5 August (Fri)	Day 2	6 August (Sat)	Day 3	7 August (Sun)	Day 4	8 August (Mon)
Time	Game (Away vs Home)	Time	Game (Away vs Home)	Time	Game (Away vs Home)	Time	Game (Away vs Home)
12:00-12:15	Opening Ceremony						
12:30-15:00	Game 1 BlueOne Resort vs Welcome Savings Bank	12:00-14:30	Game 1 TS Shampoo·PURADAK vs NH Nonghyup Card	11:00-13:30	Game 1 SK rent-a-car vs Huons	12:00-14:30	Game 1 SK rent-a-car vs Welcome Savings Bank
15:30-18:00	Game 2 NH Nonghyup Card vs Huons	15:00-17:30	Game 2 SK rent-a-car vs Hana Card	14:00-16:30	Game 2 Welcome Savings Bank vs Crown Haitai	15:00-17:30	Game 2 TS Shampoo·PURADAK vs Huons
18:30-21:00	Game 3 Hana Card vs TS Shampoo·PURADAK	18:00-20:30	Game 3 Huons vs Welcome Savings Bank	17:00-19:30	Game 3 BlueOne Resort vs TS Shampoo·PURADAK	18:00-20:30	Game 3 Crown Haitai vs NH Nonghyup Card
23:00-25:30	Game 4 Crown Haitai vs SK rent-a-car	22:30-25:00	Game 4 Crown Haitai vs BlueOne Resort	21:30-24:00	Game 4 NH Nonghyup Card vs Hana Card	21:00-23:30	Game 4 Hana Card vs BlueOne Resort
Day 5	9 August (Tue)	Day 6	10 August (Wed)	Day 7	11 August (Thu)		
Time	Game (Away vs Home)	Time	Game (Away vs Home)	Time	Game (Away vs Home)		
12:00-14:30	Game 1 Crown Haitai vs TS Shampoo·PURADAK	12:30-15:00	Game 1 Hana Card vs Crown Haitai	12:30-15:00	Game 1 Welcome Savings Bank vs Hana Card		
15:00-17:30	Game 2 Hana Card vs Huons	15:30-18:00	Game 2 Welcome Savings Bank vs TS Shampoo·PURADAK	15:30-18:00	Game 2 BlueOne Resort vs NH Nonghyup Card		
18:00-20:30	Game 3 BlueOne Resort vs SK rent-a-car	18:30-21:00	Game 3 NH Nonghyup Card vs SK rent-a-car	18:30-21:00	Game 3 Huons vs Crown Haitai		
21:00-23:30	Game 4 NH Nonghyup Card vs Welcome Savings Bank	23:00-25:30	Game 4 Huons vs BlueOne Resort	23:00-25:30	Game 4 TS Shampoo·PURADAK vs SK rent-a-car		



※ The schedule is subject to change due to the availability of TV broadcast and various circumstances.

3. Regulations

SECTION 1

Article 1 (Venue)

Venue must be in the best conditions for the PBA TEAM LEAGUE. The matches will be held on 1 billiard table, and separate practice table(s) may be placed if necessary.

Article 2 (Venue Facilities)

① Following facilities must be prepared at the venue:

1. Scoreboard
2. Game table and practice table(s)
3. Movable backdrop for press interviews
4. Broadcasting backdrop
5. Seats for Director of Games Operation Committee and Referees Committee, Record-keepers
6. Team Bench
7. Press and broadcasting table
8. VIP seats
9. Any other facilities that PBA requires

② Following subsidiary facilities must be prepared at the venue:

1. Waiting Room (Home & Away Team, Referees, Staffs, Event Team)
2. PBA Room
3. VIP Room
4. Press Center, Photographer Room, Broadcasting Room
5. Briefing Room
6. Any other facilities that PBA requires

SECTION 2 GAME

Article 3 (Hosting and Supervising the Official Games)

① All official games are hosted and supervised by PBA.

Article 4 (Regulations) Regulations are set by PBA.

Article 5 (Rules) Regular Season is operated by the Round Robin System, 8 teams play 7 games per round.

Article 6 (Game Time and Schedule) Time and schedule are as follows:

- ① For Regular Season, 4 games maximum per day.
- ② Post Season schedule may vary.
- ③ Game times are 12:30 p.m., 3 p.m., 7 p.m., 11 p.m., but may change due to broadcasting issues.

Article 7 (Game Results)

- ① For Regular Season, the team that takes the first 4 out of 7 sets wins.
- ② Team Standings are based on the number of Wins and listed by games behind.
- ③ For Post Season, a separate game system may be used.

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Article 8 (Ranking)

- ① During the Regular Season, the winner and runner-up of the first half (R1-R3) and the winner and runner-up of the second half (R4-R6) are determined according to the results of first half and second half respectively. If the **team standings** are tied, the two teams' record against each other will be considered.
- ② If the teams still have the same place, the ranking will be determined as follows:
- comparative set gains and losses between the teams with the same score
 - comparative carom point gains and losses between the teams with the same score
 - comparative set gains and losses compared to all other teams
 - comparative carom point gains and losses compared to all other teams

If one or more teams are ranked according to the above criteria, the ranking between the remaining teams will be determined by using the same process in the above, starting from 1st criteria, and if it is not determined yet, the ranking will be determined by a draw.

Article 9 (Opening Ceremony)

- ① PBA Team League Official Opening Ceremony is held during the Regular Season Round 1.
- ② PBA representatives, Team officials, and Team players attend the Opening Ceremony.
- ③ In other rounds and Post Season, a brief non-official Opening Ceremony may be held.

Article 10 (Regular Season)

- ① Regular Season consists of 6 Rounds of round robin system.

Article 11 (Post Season)

- ① The winner and runner-up of the first half (R1-R3) and the winner and runner-up of the second half (R4-R6) advance to the Post Season. If there are duplicate teams, the next team top in the order of overall results advances to the Post Season.
- ② The ranking between the teams that advance to the Post Season will be determined by the overall results of regular season.
- Semi-Playoff is between the teams that finish third(3) and fourth(4) play a best-of-three series and the team that earns first 2 wins out of 3 games advance to the Playoff. Top team in the regular season has 1-0 lead.
 - Playoff is between the second-place team versus the winner of the first round(semi-playoff) and the team that earns first 3 wins out of 5 games advance to the Final. Top team in the regular season has 1-0 lead.
 - The winner of the second round(playoff) plays the first-place team in a best-of-seven series for the title.

3. Regulations

SECTION 3 TOURNAMENT OPERATION

Article 12 (Arrival at the Venue)

Players must arrive at the venue 60 minutes before the game schedule.

Article 13 (Team Roster and Set Order Submission)

- ① Each team shall submit its team roster and set order to PBA until the designated deadline set by the PBA for every round.
- ② Team Leader must submit a list of set order that has been discussed with the representative of Team Owner/Sponsor in advance and no changes accepted after submission.

Article 14 (Team Member)

- ① Registered team players mean players that PBA has officially announced for each team. A team can have minimum 4 PBA players, 2 LPBA players, maximum 8 players in total.
- ② Teams may have maximum 2 international PBA players and 1 international LPBA player.
- ③ Set Order must consist of at least 2 LPBA players and at least 4 PBA players.
- ④ Each team must submit its round 1 participating players and season registered players list to PBA 10 days before the Regular Season begins.

Article 15 (Temporary Substitute Players)

- ① If a registered player is unable to participate due to injury or unavoidable reason, teams can temporarily use substitute players.
- ② Temporary substitute players can only be chosen from the list of players PBA has designated, and the official procedure of adding temporary substitute players is determined by PBA.

Article 16 (Player Trade)

- ① Player trade is possible only after the end of Round 3 but before the start of Round 4 and after the end of the Post Season until the next season draft. No trade is allowed during other than that permitted period.
- ② Player trade is, in principle, only possible for the same number of players between the teams involved in the trade, and any other forms of trades are not permitted.
- ③ A player trade can only be executed after obtaining prior approval from PBA. Without the prior approval by PBA, any player trade shall be void.
- ④ Each Team is responsible for any gain or loss resulting from the player trade.

Article 17 (Disciplinary Matters)

Any unsportsmanlike conduct related to Team League will be disciplined according to the decision of PBA Disciplinary Committee.

Article 18 (Awards)

- Prizes will be awarded to the winner and runner-up teams based on the Post Season. Individual awards are selected by the PBA Tour Operation Committee.
- ① Post Season winner team: 100 million KRW
 - ② Post Season runner-up team: 50 million KRW
 - ③ MVP awards for each half of Regular Season: 3 million KRW each
 - ④ Post Season (Final) MVP Award: 5 million KRW

Article 19 (Rule-making)

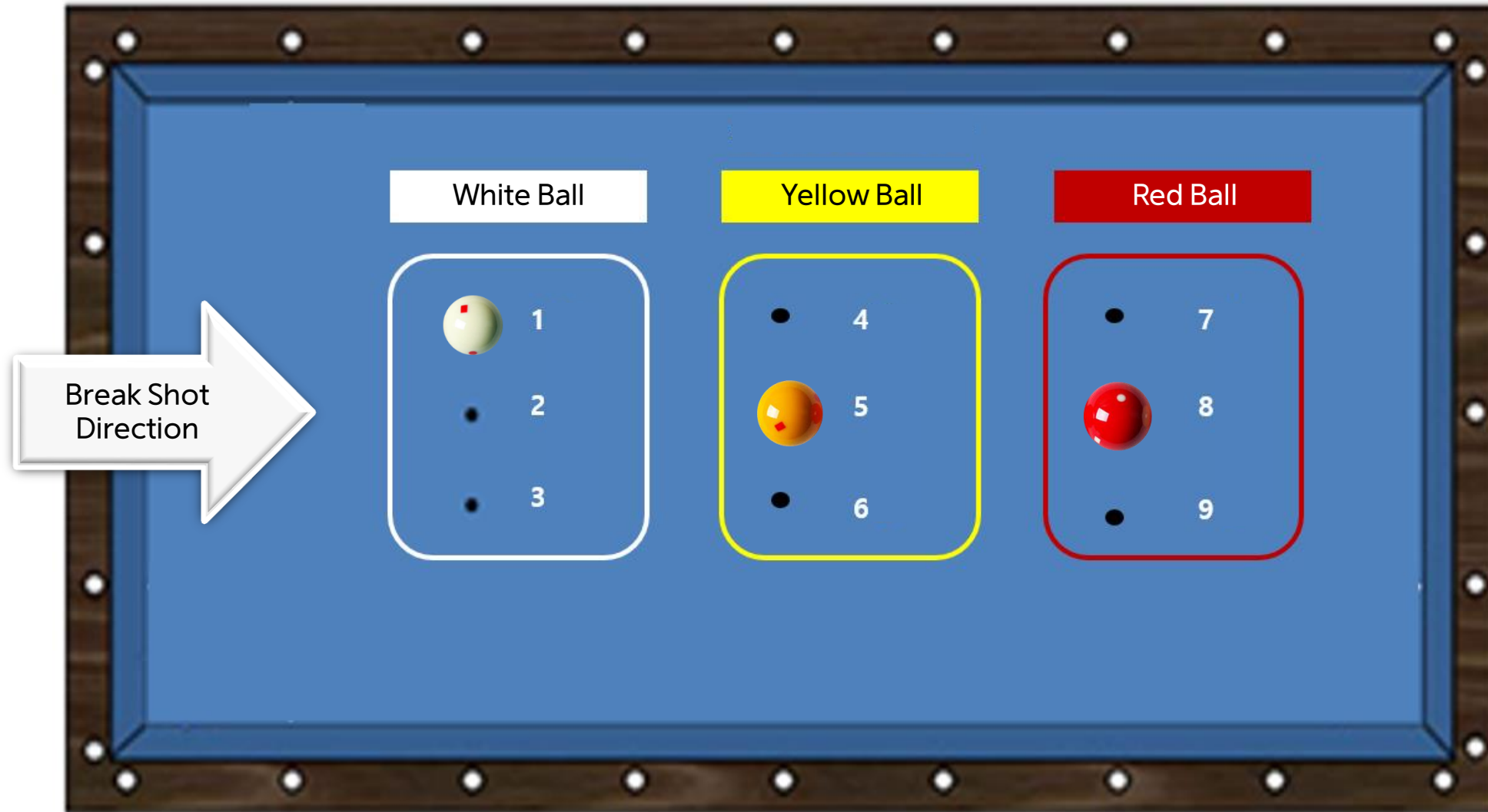
Rules other than mentioned above can be added by the PBA Tour Operation Committee if considered necessary.

4. Rules & Regulations

Content		Details
Game System	Number of Sets	7 sets per Game / Best-of-Seven
	Set Order	<p>① PBA Doubles(K-Doubles) – 11 points</p> <p>② LPBA Doubles(K-Doubles) – 9 points</p> <p>③ PBA Single – 15 points</p> <p>④ Scotch Doubles – 9 points</p> <p>⑤ PBA Single – 11 points</p> <p>⑥ LPBA Single – 9 points</p> <p>⑦ PBA Single – 11 points</p> <p>※ PBA Tour Operation Committee appoints one PBA player per team who plays in the Set 3 (Round 2 & 5 Only)</p>
Scoring System	Normal Shot: 1 point	
	Rail-first Shot (Bank Shot) 2 points (No penalty for missing)	
Break Shot Formation/Order	PBA Banking System	
	<p>Short Rail → Short Rail OR Short Rail → Short Rail → Short Rail</p> <p>Start with the player whose break shot ball is closer to the opposite rail (When doing banking, player must make a shot before the opposite player's ball hits the 2nd short rail)</p>	
Equalizing Inning	NO Equalizing Innings	

4. Rules & Regulations

PBA Team League Round 1 - Break Shot Formation



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Content	Details
Banking & Break Shot Formation	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Playing Order: PBA Banking System (Play order takes turns just as PBA Tour set system does, but use the same color of the ball that has been first selected by the break shot) 2) PBA Break Shot Arrangement Formation: Designated by the PBA Tour Operation Committee for each round
Offense Time	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) 35 seconds 2) Violation Penalty: Play starts with the original break shot formation, but the player's cue ball will be placed at spot 4-6 <p>※ Time foul violations will be determined by the referee even if an alarm sounds.</p>
Time Extension	1 Time Extension per Set
Bench Timeout	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Total 2 times per game, regardless of any sets. 2) Bench Timeout can be called out by the team leader of the team playing at the moment by calling out "Bench Timeout" and making T shape with his/her hands. 3) 35 seconds will be given for a Bench Timeout, and the playtime will be reset to 35 seconds after the Bench Timeout is over. 4) Bench Timeout shall NOT be used with Time Extension. 5) The player(s) at the table must go to the Team Bench as soon as the Bench Timeout starts, and the team leader who called the Bench Timeout can move to the billiard table and check the ball position. 6) If the team calls out for Bench Timeout at the moment when offense time ends, regardless of whether the shot succeeds or not, they must use the Bench Timeout. However, in this case, if the shot fails, the chance for shot is given to the opposite team after the Bench Timeout is over. 7) In Doubles games, players playing at the table together may discuss with each other before the player in turn takes the address action. However, they shall NOT do marking or anything similar to this. 8) Players at the table and players at the bench shall not discuss with each other during the game (except for the Bench Timeout), but the players at the bench can let the player at the table know if he or she tries to shot with a wrong ball or wrong playing order.

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Content	Details
When the Balls have fallen out of the Table	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Spot #5 if the 1 ball falls out of the table (#6 if #5 is possessed, #4 if #6 is possessed) 2) If 2 balls fall out of the table <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the player(or opponent)'s cue ball and the red ball have fallen out of the table: spot #5 for the player(or opponent)'s cue ball (#6 if #5 is possessed) and spot #8 for the red ball (#9 if #8 is possessed) • the player's cue ball and the opponent's ball all have fallen out of the table, spot #5 for the player's cue ball (#6 if #5 is possessed) and spot #8 for the opponent's ball (#9 if #8 is possessed) 3) To the break spot formation when all 3 balls have fallen out of the table 4) If the ball that was about to fall out of the table comes back onto the table and Ⓐ hits another ball or Ⓑ hits a ball which is in motion: relocate the fallen ball after all balls stop moving. 5) If the offender's ball falls out of the table and the two other balls are frozen, relocate the fallen ball on spot #5, and if the offender that plays next wishes to relocate the frozen ball, put the ball on spot #6
Frozen balls	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) When 2 balls are frozen: Play as positioned or relocate the player's cue ball on spot #5 (#6 when #5 is possessed, #4 when #6 is possessed) 2) When 3 balls are frozen: Play as positioned or relocate the player's cue ball on spot #5 (#6 when #5 is possessed, #4 when #6 is possessed) 3) Exceptions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the referee calls that the balls are not frozen but after that the balls are frozen while the player is playing, play as it is frozen. • If the referee calls that the balls are frozen but the balls are not frozen while the player is playing, play as positioned.
If Player requests to clean the Ball	A player can request to clean the player's ball only once per set. If the ball has dirt on it, the player can request to clean the ball regardless of number of times.

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Practice Time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Players must arrive at the venue 1 hour before the game starts, and the practice time will be given 10 minutes per each team after the referee discusses with the team leaders. • Practice must finish 5 minutes before the game starts, and no practice time will be given after the game starts. 	
Break Time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Break time after each set is 90 seconds. A 5 minutes halftime will be given after 3rd Set. • All players except for the player in game must be seated at the Team Bench during the game, and they shall not leave the Team Bench. • The team which has not followed the break time rules will be taken away the time extension for the following set. If the following game is a doubles game with 2 time extensions, in this case all 2 time extensions will be taken away as well. 	
Team Roaster & Set Order	Submission Due	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Set Order for Day 1 must be submitted by 12 pm noon the day before the start of the round. 2) Set Order for Day 2-7 must be submitted by 6 pm the day before the game. 3) Penalty may be applied if the team fails to submit the Set Order until the designated deadline (e.g. Set Order randomly filled in by PBA).
	Rules	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Set Order for all teams must consist of at least 2 LPBA players and at least 4 PBA players, and must submit a list that has been discussed with the representative of Team Owner/Sponsor <u>in advance</u>. The PBA office considers that after the team leader submits the set order, consultation with the each team has been completed, and the team cannot change it. 2) After the Set Order has been officially announced, changes shall not be accepted. However, PBA and the Tour Operation Committee may ask for change, and teams shall follow such requests. 3) A player can participate in maximum 2 sets per game in any games, and it is prohibited for a player to participate in 2 single sets or more in one game. 4) Set Order for Doubles games must be filled in according to the playing order, and the playing order shall not be changed arbitrarily after the Set Order has been officially announced.

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Cheering	All cheering actions will be allowed during the game, however except for the moment when the player playing at the moment is taking the address action, and all cheering actions will be allowed unless the referee prohibits them.
Team Bench Operation	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) All players in game must sit at the Team Bench and it is not allowed for any player at the bench to leave the team bench area on the platform sectioned by white line. 2) Team Leader must cooperate with the referee and tour operation committee before the game starts, and their roles will be giving out instructions and strategy to the team at the Team Bench, and call out for the Bench Timeout. 3) All registered team players can sit at the Team Bench.
Withdrawal or Forfeit	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) In an official game, if one player fails to play in a set due to any issues, the set will be regarded as a loss with a score of 15:0, 11:0, or 9:0. 2) If an official game cannot be held or is suspended due to reasons attributable to one team, it may be forfeited to the opposing team. Set score of the forfeit game is 4 to 0. 3) In this case, except in unavoidable circumstances, if the Tour Operation Committee Director or the Referees Committee Director decide it is necessary, the case may be referred to the PBA Disciplinary Committee.
Substitutes Rules	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) If a team is unable to meet the specified number of participating payers or cannot participate in a game according to the pre-submitted players list (set order) in case of an injury, accident, or similar unavoidable cause, the team leader must submit it online or in writing (with reasons) to the PBA Office (pbatour@pbatour.org) up to 5 hours prior to the game and follow the decision of the PBA Tour Operation Committee. If necessary, the Committee will select a substitute player according to the internal procedure. 2) If it is not submitted within the stipulated time, the set will be forfeited.
Others	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) All teams must cooperate in the operation of the tournament as much as possible, and pay attention to the followings: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Protests in relation to the games may be filed with the PBA Office by the team leader through email (pbatour@pbatour.org) until 24 hours after the completion of the game concerned. ➤ In the event of unnecessary delay or similar circumstances, the Tour Operation Committee Director or the Referees Committee Director report it in writing to the PBA Office after the game. ➤ The PBA Office convenes the PBA Tour Operation Committee for unusual matters that occur during the competition and, if necessary, the case may be referred to the PBA Disciplinary Committee. 2) During the games, other than beverages, any food or snacks such as candy and chocolate is not allowed. Food can be taken outside of the competition venue during the break time of games. 3) Any interference in the PBA Tour operation by no one other than those directly involved in, such as the PBA Office and PBA Tour Operation Committee, is not allowed. 4) Rules other than mentioned in this guide can be added by the PBA Tour Operation Committee if judged necessary.

5. COVID-19 Guidelines



- Sterilization and fumigation will be done everyday during the tournament period.
- All people visiting the venue will be subject to temperature check and mask wearing – ALL MANDATORY

6. PBA Regulations - Disciplinary Matters

PBA Regulations

- ① The penalty grounds and actions are based on the following table.
- ② Penalty, fine, and deduction of ranking points can be imposed at once.

Grounds	Penalty	Fine
Absence from the PBA games without justifiable reason	Reprimanded ~ Ranking points deduction	Maximum KRW 1 million imposed also
Absence from the PBA events, activities, orientation, etc. without justifiable reason	Reprimanded ~ Ranking points deduction	Maximum KRW 1 million imposed also
Act of slandering against the PBA	Reprimanded ~ Suspension	Maximum KRW 5 million imposed also
Use of illegal drugs, and being involved in gambling, especially related to billiards gambling	Reprimanded ~ Expulsion	Maximum KRW 10 million imposed also
Involving in cheating	Reprimanded ~ Expulsion	Maximum KRW 10 million imposed also
Violation of dress code (uniform)	Reprimanded ~ Ranking points deduction	Maximum KRW 1 million imposed also
Violating PBA TOUR Player Instructions set by PBA (including smoking)	Reprimanded ~ Suspension	Maximum KRW 1 million imposed also
Disobeying to press conference without justifiable reason	Reprimanded ~ Suspension	Maximum KRW 1 million imposed also
Being late to game without justifiable reason	Reprimanded ~ Suspension	Maximum KRW 1 million imposed also
Demeaning actions as a PBA Player	Reprimanded ~ Disqualification	Maximum KRW 10 million imposed also
Verbal violence or impiety towards the operation committee or referees	Reprimanded ~ Disqualification	Maximum KRW 1 million imposed also
Physical violence towards the operation committee or referees	Reprimanded ~ Disqualification	Maximum KRW 5 million imposed also
Verbal violence or impiety towards the audience	Reprimanded ~ Disqualification	Maximum KRW 5 million imposed also
Physical violence towards the audience	Reprimanded ~ Disqualification	Maximum KRW 10 million imposed also
Any other ungentlemanly attitude at the venue	Reprimanded ~ Disqualification	Maximum KRW 5 million imposed also
Any act that contradicts or disfigures the purpose of the PBA	Reprimanded ~ Disqualification	Maximum KRW 10 million imposed also
When participating in the competition which is not authorized by the PBA	Reprimanded ~ Disqualification	Maximum KRW 10 million imposed also