



Introducing the Greater Scranton APA MVP program!

### What is the MVP program?

The MVP (Most Valuable Player) program is designed to increase competition and reward those players who consistently perform well for their team, embody sports professionalism, and exude good sportsmanship.

### How do I become a participating member of the MVP program?

If you are:

- a Greater Scranton APA Pool League member
- active on a 23-point team
- in good standing and current on all League dues and fees
- and free from Sportsmanship complaints...

You've already been enrolled into the program!

### How does the MVP Program work?

The MVP Program compares the PA% (Points Available Percentage) of the "individual player" against the PA%'s of other players of the same skill level. The top player from each skill level, that played a minimum of 6 matches in the regular session, becomes eligible to receive the MVP Award.

Using regular session data, qualified players are determined using the following equation to determine their "PA" (Points Available) percentage.

$$\text{Number of Points Earned} \div \text{Number of Points Available} = \text{PA \% (Points Available Percentage)}$$

#### 8-Ball Example:

In an individual 8-Ball match, a player has 3 points available to win. If he/she played 10 matches, they had 30 points available to win. If they won a total of 13 points, then their PA is 43%

10 matches = 30 points available

13 points =  $13 \div 30 = 0.43$  or 43%

#### 9-Ball Example:

In an individual 9-Ball match, a player has 20 points available to win. If he/she played 10 matches, they had 200 points available to win. If they won a total of 162 points, then their PA is 81%.

10 matches = 200 points available

162 points =  $162 \div 200 = 0.81$  or 81%

### How are ties broken when the PA% is the same?

Ties will be broken in the following order using regular session play data:

1. Total Number of Matches Played
2. Win Percentage
3. Performance Points
4. Lifetime Win Percentage