



The United States Billiard Association

ATTENTION ROOM OWNERS:

Great and Obvious Opportunity:

- Hold 2 (or more) USBA Tournaments in your room each year and you will receive \$5.00 per player per event and 20% of all USBA Membership Dues received at your event or through your efforts.
- You are not required to add any money to the tournaments although many room owners do. The more you add, the more we add.
- We will find someone to help you run the events.
- You may charge table time if you want, but it's not required.
- *Plus, we have the lowest prices available on Simonis Cloth, Aramith Balls, Tiger Cues and other Billiard Supplies*

Become a USBA Room Member Today!

- Hold 2 USBA Tournaments in your room each year and your Room Membership is FREE!
- Otherwise regular Room Membership fee is \$199 per year
- Save hundreds of dollars on cloth, balls and other supplies
- Re-sell products for a profit if you desire

To become a Room Member, complete the enclosed Application and send it to the USBA Secretary as instructed.

To get price quotes, purchase Simonis cloth or any other item from the USBA, contact Steve Andersen: **TrafficControlCaroms@yahoo.com** or **616-530-8665** between 6pm-11pm Eastern Time.

Other Available Products:

- **Super Aramith Pro Cup Carom Balls:** \$95.00 per set
- **Pro-Series Cue Cases:** \$41.25 per case
- **Master Billiard Chalk (Gross – 144pcs):** \$15.55 per gross
- **Accu-Stats Pool & Billiard DVD's:** As low as \$4.75 per DVD
- **Tiger Cues and Tips: Better than any other prices**

More Benefits of USBA Room Membership:

- As a USBA Room Member, **your room's information will be included in a special area** of the USBA website (www.USBA.net) called "**USBA Room Members**". All room members will be listed by state and when someone clicks on your room link, they will be brought to a virtual advertisement for your room including your weekly or monthly tournament schedule, specials, announcements and all pertinent room information and advertisements that you provide to us. A link to your website will also be available.
- **For rooms with carom tables**, for every USBA 3-Cushion Tournament held in your room, you will **receive a 20% commission of all the USBA Membership Dues and 50% of Sanction Fees collected at the event.** For example, if just one of your events has 8 players, the sanction fees collected will be \$80 (\$10 per player). You would receive \$40 commission. If 3 players pay their \$50 membership dues (\$150), you would receive \$30 commission. You just made \$70 just from one small tournament.
- If your event has 35 players, the sanction fees collected will be \$350. You would receive \$175 commission. If 10 players pay their \$50 membership dues (\$500), you would receive \$100 commission. You would earn \$275 commission from just one tournament!
- **For rooms with carom tables**, you will be eligible to hold a **USBA TOUR EVENT** in your room. For Tour Events, the Room adds money and the Room usually gets **FREE Simonis 300 cloth, a high-quality Tiger Cue and 3 trophies.** The number of Tour Events are limited throughout the year and are not always available. You will also be eligible to hold a USBA National Championship Event in your room if the event is to be held in a billiard room.
- Rooms that choose the \$199 per year option will also receive a **free annual subscription to Professor-Q-Ball's National Pool & 3-Cushion News Publication (regular price \$95).** Your room's name and address and phone number will be included in PQB's "**Places to Play Across the USA**" section. Your room will receive 15 free issues for your room every 2 months.

USBA Room Membership Options

Option 1: \$149 per year

This option is available for **INDIVIDUALS** who are not room owners and would like to purchase and re-sell the discounted items at a profit. Professor-Q-Ball annual subscription is NOT included in this option.

Option 2: \$199 per year

This option is available for **Room Owners** who do not wish hold USBA Tournaments but would like to purchase the discounted items and also re-sell the items at a profit if desired. Professor-Q-Ball annual subscription (\$95 value) is included in this option.

Option 3: FREE ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP

This special offer is available to room owners who agree to hold a minimum of 2 USBA Tournaments during the year. **Room members will receive 20% of all collected membership dues and 50% of all sanction fees at their events.** Rooms are free to hold more tournaments if they wish. If the Room Member does not have someone to run the tournaments, the USBA will assist by either providing a suitable tournament director or will teach the Room Member or a Room Representative how to run the events. Professor-Q-Ball annual subscription is NOT included in this option.

All Room Members will also be given a USBA Membership Countertop Display which advertises USBA Membership and holds blank membership Applications with the Room Member's information on it so that the proper commissions can be paid (20%). Room Members will also be given a USBA Membership Poster to advertise USBA Membership.



USBA Room Member Application

Complete the form below and mail, fax or email it with the proper payment.

Room Name _____

Room Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Room Telephone _____ Contact Phone _____

Room Owner/Contact Name _____

Email Address (VERY IMPORTANT) _____

Description of Carom Tables (How many, what type, heated?): _____

Please check one option:

I would like the special rate and agree to hold 2 USBA Tournaments per year. \$0 _____

I do not wish to hold USBA 3-Cushion Events in my room. Enclosed is \$199 _____

I am an individual who wishes to become a Room Member. Enclosed is \$149 _____

Make all checks out to: **"USBA"**

Mail this completed form and payment to:

Jim Shovak

USBA Secretary

58 Hawthorne Avenue

East Islip, NY 11730

Or for more information, contact:

Steve Andersen: **TrafficControlCaroms@yahoo.com**

or **616-530-8665** between 6pm-11pm Eastern Time.

Room Membership Rules

1) If you are a \$0 Room Member, then you agree that you must hold 2 USBA Tournaments in your room before the anniversary date of your Room Membership. The USBA has the right to receive \$199 from your room for membership each year if you fail to hold 2 USBA Tournaments during that year. If you agree, but fail to hold 2 USBA Tournaments, then the USBA is owed a total of \$199 for that year of membership. Along with that owed \$199, we will require a \$199 deposit for the remaining life of future Room Membership and it will be returned if you desire to discontinue your membership and you have also fulfilled your annual requirements.

2) You may re-sell anything you purchase from us for a profit, however you must NOT advertise Simonis Cloth for any price lower than the "Minimum Advertised Price Schedule" contained herein. You also must not advertise Accu-Stats DVD's for any amount less than \$10.00 per DVD.

3) Any Simonis Cloth or Accu-Stats DVD's purchased from the USBA need to be paid for IN ADVANCE, no exceptions. You must contact Steve Andersen BEFORE paying for merchandise so he can give you the full price including shipping. His contact information is on the front page of this booklet. You can pay for merchandise online by credit/debit card through Paypal by going to www.USBA.net and clicking "Make A Donation" on the top right of the page. You do NOT need to have a Paypal account. This is the fastest payment method and we will ship your order right away assuming it is in stock.

You can also pay by bank check, certified check, money order or personal check. **If you pay by PERSONAL CHECK, we will not ship the merchandise until 2 weeks after depositing the check. No exceptions.**

All payments are made out to: "USBA".

Mail all payments to: Jim Shovak, 58 Hawthorne Avenue, East Islip, NY 11730

4) You, the Room Member, are responsible for ensuring that all participants in USBA Tournaments pay the proper membership and sanction fees. When paying their entry fee, they need to provide their membership card. Also, a list of all current members is available at the following link:

<http://www.usba.net/usbacurrentmembers-jim.asp>

Print out this list right before you have your tournament since the list may change from day-to-day as memberships may expire or be renewed at any time. Take note of the membership expiration date. Endorsed tournaments only require a \$10 endorsement fee per player, membership is not required. All other USBA tournaments require players to be a member by paying \$50 for a 1-year Membership or \$135 for a 3-year Membership. They also have the option of paying a \$25 non-member tournament participation fee. All players that pay a membership or non-member fee must also complete a Membership Application. Go to www.USBA.net and click "USBA Room Members" on the left menu, then find your room info and print out your personalized "Custom Membership Applications".

You are responsible for sending the FULL amount of membership dues, non-member fees, sanction or endorsement fees and completed Membership Applications along with the tournament results/charts or pictures to the USBA Secretary. If any amounts are missing, then you, the Room Member are responsible for it. The USBA will reimburse you for any postage involved as long as it is by standard first class U.S. postage only.

5) For any tournament related questions, contact Jim Shovak, USBA Secretary/Treasurer at 516-238-6193 or JimShovak@USBA.net

6) The USBA reserves the right to revoke your Room Membership should you fail to follow USBA rules or if the USBA determines that your room membership is not in the best interests of the USBA.