

X SNOOKER LASE



RANKING SEASON 2017-18

COMPETITION	This season LASE , is open to players from Spain, Portugal and other countries. The complete regulation is published under our website. It follows now a resume of it with the basic rules and fixtures.
REGULATION	Official snooker regulation of the World Professional Billiards and Snooker Association (WPBSA). In all the phases of the league and KO tournaments, it applies the rule "FOULD & a MISS", limiting the "Miss" to a maximum of 4 "replaces" . This limitation do not applies when playing Play-offs neither the last 16 Final.
ENTRY FEE	Senior: 60 € Ladies: 30 € Sub-18*: 30 € *till 31/08/2017
DEADLINE	25 of August 2017 to the players. 27 of August 2017 to the Clubs. It is allowed to add players and clubs till the 30/11/2017 .
PLAYERS	Minimum of 7 players. When a Club have more than 16 players, 2 groups, unique ranking, odds Group A and pairs Group B. Each groups will do its own competition of league excluding KO tournaments with both groups together.
PHASES	2.1.1. Regular league. 2.1.2. Club Tournaments (Autumn and Winter) Autumn uses the season start ranking, Winter uses the Ranking on 1/1/18 . 2.1.3. Zonal Tournaments (Winter and Spring) Winter Ranking on 1/12/17 , Spring Ranking on 1/03/18 . 2.1.4. Zonal Play-off 2.1.5. Final (last 16) The sum of the ranking points in the League and Tournaments, determine the classification to play-off.
LEAGUE	7 Rounds, from September 2017 to March 2018 (best of 5 frames) in the club where the player is signed up. A starting ranking will be set to each club (more than 16 players, 2 groups, A odd, B pair). After each round the players will be reordered according to their results in each round (club's ranking). The draw for the first round will be 1-2, 3-4, 5-6 of the clubs ranking and successively till the last player. In the next rounds its the same system avoiding the player which had played before. In the cases where a club have an odd number of players (7 for instance), the last player will rest winning the points as a winner 3-0 (only one rest per player). LASE gives the possibility to add more players after the season beggins and till the end of November. They will start with 0 (zero) ranking points. All the matches are refereed by the players.

KO TOURNAMENTS	<p>2 per club, or per group A and B. A club only plays either local club tournament or zonal depending on its geographical position.</p> <p>LOCAL: AUTUMN - from 18 September 2017 to 17 December 2017; WINTER - from 1 January 2018 to 25 March 2018).</p> <p>ZONAL: WINTER - from 1 December 2017 to 17 December 2017; SPRING - from 1 March 2018 to 25 March 2018).</p> <p>With seeds according to the starting ranking for the Autumn KO tournament and ranking on 1/1/18 for the Winter KO tournament, for local tournaments.</p> <p>With seeds according to the ranking on 1/12/17 for the Winter KO tournament and ranking on 1/3/18 for the Spring KO tournament, for zonal tournaments.</p> <p>Till 15 players 4 seeds (if they have ranking 2016-17), the rest by raffle. Winter by ranking.</p> <p>More than 15 players 8 seeds (if they have ranking 2016-17), the rest by raffle. Winter by ranking.</p> <p>Format is KO best of 3 frames, Final is best of 5 frames.</p> <p>In the tournaments, the players that passes a round with an W/O and lost in the next round are given the points in the round in which they lose.</p> <p>Trophy to the winner of each tournament paid by LASE. Also trophy for the finalist in the zonal tournaments.</p>
ZONES	<p>4 provisional Zones. (Possibility of sub-zones with only 2 tables)</p> <p>"A" VALENCIA "B" MADRID "C" ZARAGOZA "D" BARCELONA</p> <p>The best 16 ranked players classifies to each zones play-off.</p>
PLAY-OFF	<p>In the zones A, B, C and D, the play-off matches will be played in clubs with at least 4 snooker tables, Saturday 21th April 2018 and if only 2 snooker tables in a zone headquarters, also, Sunday 22th April 2018, or even 2 sub-zones only saturday each one with 2 groups RR.</p> <p>4 groups Round Robin format of 4 players, all matches best of 5 frames.</p> <p>Each RR is played at the same snooker table, 2 players play and the others referee.</p> <p>The 1st and 2nd of each RR classifies to play a best of 5 match to reach the last 16 final.</p> <p>In case of draw (match points + frame diff) in the RR between players, if still draw by highest break, and if they still remain draw it classifies the best seeded player of the RR group.</p>
FINAL	<p>16 Players.</p> <p>Only one venue with at least 4 snooker tables. If no 4 tables option is available we will discuss options with less tables.</p> <p>Saturday 12 May 2018, 4 groups Round Robin with 4 players, all matches best of 5 frames.</p> <p>The first 2 of each group classifies to the quarter finals.</p> <p>In case of draw between players it applies the same system as in RR play-offs.</p> <p>Sunday 13 May 2018 09h00 Quarter Finals (raffle saturday) 1st against 2nd from each RR group, KO best of 5 matches.</p> <p>Sunday 13 May 2018 14h00 Semifinals (raffle saturday), KO best of 7 frames.</p> <p>Sunday 13 May 2018 17h00 Final - KO best of 9 frames.</p>
PRIZE MONEY	<p>For this season the provisional prize money is the following:</p> <p>Winner 1200 € + Trophy (property of LASE) Finalist 700 € + Trophy 3º y 4º 400 € + Plaque 5º al 8º 300 € + Plaque 9º al 16º 200 € + Plaque</p> <p>Highest "BREAK" (Play-off + Final) 100 €</p>

Regular League Points = 10 per match won

Clubs KO Tournaments Points

	last 64	last 32	last 16	QF	SF	F	WINNER
Clubs tournaments							
7-8 players				3	8	15	25
9-16 players			3	7	12	18	25
Zonal tournaments							
17-32 players		3	6	10	15	20	25
33-64 players	3	6	9	12	16	22	25

Tie-breaker system in regular league and tournaments

The tie-breaker system criteria at the same number of points are (frame diff, direct match, break and starting ranking) to be detailed in the season complete regulation 2017-2018.

Play-off and Final

Round Robin order

A	1	1
	2	16
	3	8
	4	9

B	1	4
	2	13
	3	5
	4	12

C	1	2
	2	15
	3	7
	4	10

D	1	3
	2	14
	3	6
	4	11

Points clas. RR Play-off

4th	100
3rd	125
2nd	150

Points clas. RR Final

4th	200
3rd	300
2nd	400

Points SFs & Final

3rd & 4th	500
2nd	600
1st	700

Timetable Round Robin

09h00'	2 vs 3
11h00'	1 vs 4
13h00'	4 vs 2
15h00'	3 vs 1
17h00'	4 vs 3
19h00'	2 vs 1

Timetable is orientative, obligation to start next matches as soon as tables are free is recommended.

PLAY-OFF

Timetable KO best of 5 fr.

from 20h00 to 21h00	1st vs 2nd
1st RR "A" vs 2nd RR "B"	
1st RR "B" vs 2nd RR "A"	
1st RR "C" vs 2nd RR "D"	
1st RR "D" vs 2nd RR "C"	

Subzone "a"
or 2 days

Subzone "b"
or 2 days

Club with 4 snooker tables 1st vs 2nd raffle by groups

Tie-break in Round Robin of Play-off to 2nd, 3rd & 4th and also Final 3rd & 4th

The tie-break criteria when same number of points (frame diff, break, starting ranking) will be published in the season complete regulation of 2017-2018.

Reservations to Play-off and Final

Play-off:

1. The players that confirm their availability to play the play-offs in their zone, by order of ranking and availability, would substitute a player of the last 16 of their zone, unavailable to play by some reason.
2. The following players confirmed from other zone by ranking order at 1 April 2018 would substitute a player unavailable to play the play-offs.
3. Any LASE player not classified to play-offs present on the venue by ranking order at 1 May 2017 if more than 1 player.

Final:

1. Player losing at the KO in Play-off of the missing/unavailable player.
2. Best ranked player of the next 3 losers of the KO of the same zone
3. Best zonal ranked player of 3rd and 4th in RR play-offs
4. Any LASE player not classified to play-offs present on the venue by ranking order.

In both cases if the player(s) substituting unavailable classified player(s) are selected the same day they are free not to fulfil the dressing code.

LASE is free to change or readjust the dates and timetable, zones and venues as well as the competition format depending on the number of clubs and players from the deadline on. For any doubts:

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