

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQ):

### 1. When is the Iowa State tournament?

October 25/28, 2018, at the River Center, 136 East 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Davenport, IA.  
Check out our website at [iowaacs.com](http://iowaacs.com) for more information; entry forms, 9-ball & 10-ball rules, reclassification form, raffle information.

### 2. Who do I contact for questions on the Advanced Listing?

Qualifications Committee members are:

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### 3. Who do I contact for other questions about the website, tournament, or association?

Use the "Contact Us" button on our website. This sends an email directly to one of the officers who can answer your questions or forward it to another officer who can. There is also a list of the current officers on this page.

### 4. Where can I stay that is close to the tournament?

Our host hotel is the Radisson Quad City Plaza, 111 East Second Street, Davenport, IA, Phone 563-322-2200. Use the promo code for IowaAmericanCueSports and get a rate of \$109.00 per night. By staying at the host hotel, it helps the Iowa ACS meet their obligation to the city for rental of the River Center. Other hotels are listed on the flyer.

### 5. Will the tournament brackets be on Compusport?

No, this year we are using MPA system but brackets will show up on this system shortly after the deadline date for signups.

### 6. Who is the American Cue Sports Alliance (ACS)?

**The ACS was formed in March of 2004** as a direct response to the BCA selling their League System.

Its purpose is to **stage US National Amateur 8 Ball and 9 Ball Championships, provide a US Amateur Singles Tour and offer Member Programs such as Referee, Instructor, etc.**

They are a **non-profit federally incorporated organization**. The Directors are League Operators and Representatives from State and other affiliated Billiard Associations.

### 7. What is the Relationship Between the Iowa ACS and ACS?

The **Iowa ACS** and **ACS** have become affiliated partners. What does this mean?

**All Iowa ACS Members have the right to enter the National 8 Ball and 9 Ball Championships held annually in Las Vegas and to take advantage of their Referee and Instructor Programs.**

We also hold a State Tournament in Iowa. This year's dates are October 2018.

#### **8. Who Can Join the Iowa ACS?**

**Anyone who has a current League or wants to start one in the State of Iowa can join.** There are no exclusive 'Franchises' or any restriction regarding table ownership, type or size.

**All you need is a minimum of 20 Players on at least 4 Teams.**

Although a **League Operator Manual** is available to assist you, you're free to run your League any way you want.

All your Players and Teams are then eligible to enter **Regional** and **National Championships** that offer **Singles, Scotch Doubles and Team Events**. We also hold a State Tournament in Iowa. This year's dates are October 2018.

#### **9. How Do I get More Info on the Regional and National Championships?**

Just go to the National website at [jlewis@americancuesports.org](mailto:jlewis@americancuesports.org). Scroll through the menu options for all your answers at the National level. They also have a "contact us" button if you need more information.