Handicaps for players on either team are not affected for that week, they remain the same. Players on the winning team that showed up to play do get credit for that match towards their twelve weeks for playoff eligibility.

Opponents of a 4+ handicap player cannot intentionally hit the 4+ players' balls (solids or stripes) first and give the 4+ player another ball in hand or foul.

If a player does intentionally hit the 4+ players' balls (solids or stripes) first the level 4+ player has the option to put the balls back in their original position. Additionally, the 4+ player would receive a ball in hand for their next shot (which will not count as one of their handicap balls in hand).

However a player may play any kind of safety or shot as long as they hit their own ball(s) (solids or stripes) first.

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