



The Billiard Club at Pennbrooke Fairways

Home of the Pennbrooke Panthers

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The **Billiard Club at Pennbrooke Fairways** was formed several years ago as a fellowship of residents who enjoy playing pool and to provide a focal point for matters related to the billiard facilities and their use and maintenance. The Pennbrooke Panthers billiard team, made up of club members, plays in a senior league that includes teams from Highland Lakes, Royal Highlands, Plantation, Kings Ridge, Hawthorne, and Spanish Village. Matches are held weekly on Tuesdays during the winter months.

Each year the Club holds two social events, a dinner out and a cookout at the Grand Hall pool. Spouses of members are welcome at both events.

Pennbrooke Fairways is equipped with two eight-foot tables located in the Billiard Room and a nine-foot table in the main area of the Activities Center. The tables are covered with top-of-the-line Simonis cloth, and the balls are by Aramith. House cues are available for players who don't have their own. The tables are available for use by residents and their guests whenever the Activities Center is open with the following exceptions:

- 1) During league play.
- 2) The nine-foot table may not be used at times when its use could disturb other activities scheduled or in progress.
- 3) Children are not allowed to use the tables.
- 4) Please limit play to one hour when others are waiting to use a table.

Membership in the **Billiard Club at Pennbrooke Fairways** is open to all residents in good standing with the PHOA. Dues, currently \$5 each year, are collected annually in March. Revenues are used to purchase supplies, conduct minor maintenance on the equipment and to fund the main course of the annual cookout. If you like to play pool, please consider joining. You will find our members range from some very accomplished players to some who are still working on the basics of their games. You will meet members who enjoy eight-ball, nine-ball, straight pool, three-way (cutthroat) and even occasionally one and fifteen. It is possible to join (or start) a pickup game many afternoons, and you will be in the company of others who enjoy the game as much as you do. Weekly partners eight-ball tournaments, open to both members and non-members, will resume in the fall if there is sufficient interest. Partners are set by random drawing, so everyone has an equal chance to team up with a top player.

For more information or to join please contact Secretary/Treasurer Rod Johnson at 897-6266, or rodtjohnson@hotmail.com.