

Flamingo Billiards Mini-Tour Rules

8-Ball

Table is open after the break
No 8 on the break - spot
Any pocket counts
Call safeties
Call 8-ball
Miss the 8 but scratch = Ball in hand
Make the 8 & scratch = loss of game

9-Ball Texas Express

Push on the first shot after a legal break allowed
3-foul rule in effect
Rack the 2 behind the 9
9-Ball in bottom corner pocket on break = spotted
Any pocket counts

Other rules

Lag for break
Rack your own
Alternating breaks
If you move object ball, ask the other player to move it back
Do not concede the 8 or 9-ball - you will lose an extra point

Coaching is not allowed
Cannot talk to spectators/friends during match
Players cannot smoke while playing
2 min. breaks - take break when it is your turn to break

Only players in playing area
Do not carry on conversations with opponent during the match, occasional comments okay
Cell phones must be on vibrate
Check the tournament board and be ready to play if your match is coming up

Referee decisions are final

Experienced players are asked to help the lesser experienced players