

The Gregorian

A Haiku...

...about HEAT.

It's really hot out.
I feel like I am melting.
Satan's veranda.



Note: I wrote this when it was actually disturbingly warm. (Also credit to David Ferguson for the whole Satan's veranda thing.

Multis e gentibus vires.

“From many peoples comes great strength.”



Productivity/the Lack of...

...which means the entire first floor of Van Pelt is always filled with students and books. On my way to the house office today, (or any day) I passed around a dozen residents surrounded by books and laptops, ready to tackle their homework (and midterms) head on. If you aren't one of these people, you should definitely take note! They're up and studying and not doddling about in their rooms... or you know, you could also go with my method of sitting down here procrastinating/ trying to absorb their motivation... or not... I'm not your mom.

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Here are some overdue pictures from the Café's opening!



To the New Residents:

How do you feel about Gregory? Do you want to move out? Did you already (with the October move?) – that's an unanswerable situation...

The Café is Open and Full of Tea...

Psst. You want some coffee or tea? Are you lazy? Do you need an excuse to get out of your room? Well now you can tell your roommate that you're going to take a walk and make your way to the café! (+5 bonus points for Van Pelt residents for actually leaving the building...)

The 1925 Basement (which at one point may have been renamed the 1925 Clubhouse- cause apparently "Basement" isn't a welcoming name) is also full of GSRs (Group Study Rooms- look at us learning some Penn vocab) and if you see a non-Gregorian hogging up the room- you reserve the right to kick them out/ get a manager to do it. [If you don't know our managers there are pictures of us in both lobbies... don't judge us by our pictures, though...]

Chock-Full of Culture

Here at Gregory we appreciate everyone- every single resident means the world to us... we also have a particular affinity towards food. So don't be surprised when an email pops up luring you into the Piano Lounge offering cuisines outside of pizza! We had Chinese House's Moon Cake Festival earlier this year and our recent celebration of Eid al-Adha, Rosh Hashanah, and Yom Kippur – which was full of yummy with Middle Eastern food and desserts!

So make sure to **read your emails!** (at least read the subject lines) You never know when you can experience something new with the lovely residents of Gregory. [Come on... do you know any other college house that feeds their residents this often?]



Come Hang out with the Managers...

I promise we're not all crazy... only some of us...

Just when you think you've met all of the managers, you realize that there are more of us. Did you know (and I'll probably die for this) that there are bios of us on the Gregory House website? Yeah... there are...

The whole Gregory website is cool- you should take a look at it. Specifically, you should check out our wonderful Film Library! It's free for you to use, you just have to fill out the form on the site that says you won't steal our DVDs/BluRays.

OR! Come take a look at the physical copies in the House Office- you know, the place where you get the pool supplies and the board games.

[And to the left there are some great pictures of time spent at the office.. [Jenny is not a manager]]



Where and When to Find Us...

	House Office Hours	Darkroom Café Hours
Monday	9 AM – 5 PM 7 PM – 12 AM	8 AM – 10 AM 8 PM – 12 AM
Tuesday	9 AM – 5 PM 7 PM – 12 AM	8 AM – 10 AM 8 PM – 12 AM
Wednesday	9 AM – 5 PM 7 PM – 12 AM	8 AM – 10 AM 8 PM – 12 AM
Thursday	9 AM – 5 PM 7 PM – 12 AM	8 AM – 10 AM 8 PM – 12 AM
Friday	9 AM – 5 PM 7 PM – 12 AM	8 AM – 10 AM 8 PM – 12 AM
Saturday	2 PM – 5 PM 7 PM – 12 AM	8 AM – 10 AM 8 PM – 12 AM
Sunday	2 PM – 5 PM 7 PM – 12 AM	8 PM – 12 AM

Pool Rules

compiled by David Ferguson
actually written by the America Pool Association
and abbreviated by Me



1. GENERAL DESCRIPTION -- 8-ball is played with a cue ball and normal rack of fifteen (15) object balls. Balls are racked with the front ball on the foot spot and the 8-ball in the center. The purpose of the game is for one player to pocket the solid colored group of balls numbered 1 to 7 or the striped balls from 9-15. Choice of balls to be pocketed is made by the player pocketing the first ball of the game. A player wins by pocketing all his object balls followed by legally pocketing the 8-ball in a marked pocket.

3. BREAKING -- "Breaking safe" or soft is not allowed. For a break to be legal, at least four balls must be driven to the rails or a ball must be pocketed. Otherwise, the balls are re-racked and re-broken by the same player. A game not legally broken but resulting in a scratch or foul will be re-racked and broken by the opposite player. The rack must be struck before the a foul can occur. The head ball or the second ball must be struck on the break and the cue ball may not be shot into the rail before the rack. The League Operator may make judgments and issue penalties to teams and players who are not breaking hard. Breaking just hard enough to comply with this rule is not a guarantee against penalties. Break as hard as you can with control.

4. AFTER THE BREAK -- Various circumstances can occur upon completion of the break; they are:

- a. -- A foul in the break results in "Ball in hand" behind the headstring and the incoming player has an open table as defined in "5e." The incoming player must shoot any ball outside the headstring. A ball that's dead center or "out" is playable. If it is "in", the ball is not playable. It is up to the opponent to call the cue ball "in" before it is shot. (See Master League Manual for more complete explanation.)
- b. -- No balls are pocketed and it is the other player's turn.
- c. -- The 8-ball is made, resulting in a win, unless the player scratches.
- d. -- One ball is made, it is still the breaker's turn and he continues shooting the category of balls he just made.
- e. -- One of each type ball is made. The breaker has his choice of balls He may shoot any ball, except the 8-ball, and each pocketed ball counts. If he makes one of each on his second shot, he still has an open table. If he misses on his second shot, his opponent has an "open table." "Open table" means a player can shoot a combination involving a stripe and a solid and whichever he makes would be his ball.
- f. -- If two balls of one type and one ball of the other type are pocketed, it is the shooter's choice just as in "e" above.

6. BALL ON THE FLOOR -- If the 8-ball is knocked on the floor, it is loss of game. Object balls knocked on the floor are spotted. If the spot is taken, the ball is placed on a line directly behind the spot as close as possible. Knocking a ball other than the cue ball on the floor is not a foul. It might occur that a player pockets his ball while simultaneously knocking another ball on the floor. In the situation, it is still his turn and the ball is not spotted until he misses. If the ball on the floor is one of the shooter's balls, it is spotted when the shooter had pocketed all his other balls or misses.

7. POCKETED BALLS -- Balls must remain in a pocket to be legal. If a ball goes in a pocket, but bounces back onto the playing surface, it is not considered pocketed. If it is the 8-ball, it is not considered a win or loss. If it is the cue ball, it is not considered a scratch.

8. ONE FOOT ON THE FLOOR -- While shooting, at least one foot must be on the floor at all times if a bridge stick is available. League management cannot guarantee the presence of bridges and some host locations may not have them. There is no foul - simply stop the shooter and hand him the bridge.

9. THERE ARE VARIOUS WAYS TO LOSE:

- a. -- The opposing player pockets his numerical group and legally pockets the 8-ball.
- b. -- A player pockets the 8-ball out of turn or knocks it on the floor.
- c. -- A player pockets the 8-ball in the wrong pocket or fails to properly mark the pocket.
- d. -- When playing the 8-ball, a player scratches the cue ball.

12. HOW TO WIN -- A player has won the game when all the balls of his numerical group have been pocketed and he has legally pocketed the 8 in a properly marked pocket without scratching. To properly mark the pocket, a coaster or some other mutually agreed upon marker must be placed next to the pocket the 8-ball is intended to enter. Only one marker may be on the table. If the marker is already at the intended pocket from a previous attempt or game, it is not necessary for the shooter to touch it, pick it up or replace it.

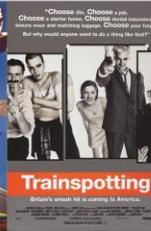
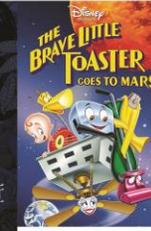
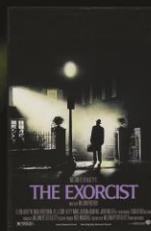
Note: You cannot play the 8-ball while simultaneously playing the last ball of your category. The 8-ball must be a separate shot.

...I bothered David for three weeks for some rules...

He copied and pasted a page from the APA website. He does claim to have done some formatting.

Film Culture Program

SCREENING SCHEDULE FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
5 8PM	6 7PM	7 8PM	8 8PM	9 6PM	10 6PM	11 7PM
						
12 8PM	13 9PM	14 8PM	15 8PM	16 8PM	17 8PM	18 8PM
						
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Help me write this...

I'm serious... email me at: anaang@sas.upenn.edu

or you'll have to keep reading about whatever I want to talk about, and that is a lot of power... too much power...

Here's another unfortunate candid of me from the Gregory Facebook.

Also: thanks for reading this far / reading this section... :)



Love and Rockets,
Ana