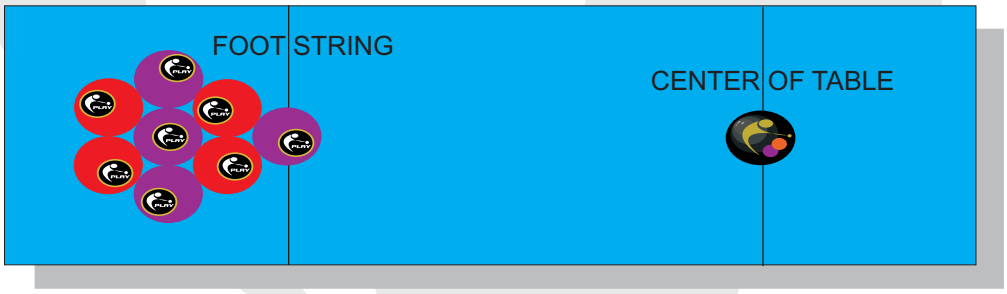
## 120: THE RE-RACK

### NOTE: The re-rack is racked the same way as the opening break. It can be called the second rack of the game.

1. When there are no colored balls left on the table and the Bonus Ball is the only remaining ball on the table, you are about to enter a **re-rack**. The player visiting the table has **one shot** to pocket the Bonus Ball. If they pocket the Bonus Ball, they will then re-rack all the balls exactly like the opening break. They will break and continue their visit. Like the opening break, all balls pocketed will be re-spotted. It is also a **POSITION BREAK**.

**See Illustration:**

2. If the player visiting the table **fails to pocket the Bonus Ball**, the opponent has the **option** of breaking or not. Of course, if the opponent **passes the break back**, then the incoming player **must break the rack**. Again, as in the opening rack, four balls must hit a rail.

The re-rack brings all the balls back to the table. This also strongly increases the odds that a player can now pocket a lot of points because there are more balls in play. Depending how well your breaking game is, this could be the turning point in a game. It's certainly an exciting part of the game!!!