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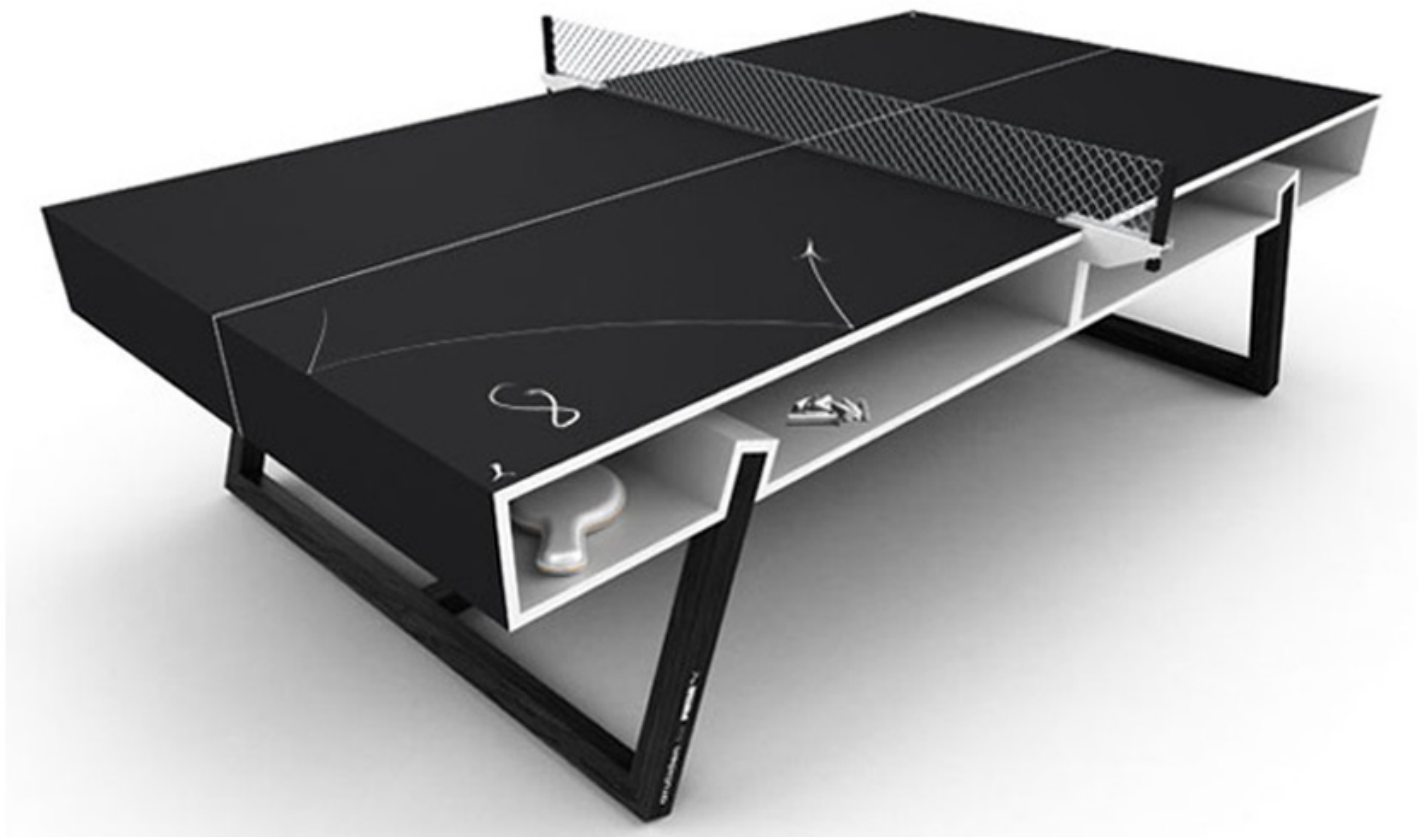
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Chalk

Puma's chalkboard-modern take on the ping-pong table, especially if you like beer

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Designed for the "after-hours athlete," the **Chalk** ping-pong table by studio **Aruliden** for **Puma** puts a seriously social spin on the game. A chalkboard surface allows players to keep track of the score, claim the next game or provoke opponents with a little written banter, and the convenient compartment underneath safely stores beverages and party favors for the ultimate in casual recreation.



Each handmade table features solid ash legs and a steel chain-link net—a major step up from the oft-crude tables tucked away in garages or basements.

Chalk hits **The Conran Shop** NYC on 3 June 2010, where celebrity table-tennis star Susan Sarandon will battle champions Marty Reisman and Franck "Spin" Raharinosy for its launch. The table will also sell online for \$3,900.