

DAYTON

Darting Association

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NEWSLETTER

October 1983

1983-1984 DARTING PROGRAM ESTABLISHED

The 1983-1984 darting season is in its third week of play with a record number of 96 teams participating. Every Wednesday and Thursday nights 506 darters take over the pubs in Dayton and the surrounding communities. Included in this group are 24 novice teams who are experiencing their first darting competition every Wednesday night.

This season, as last, the Association will award trophies to a maximum of five players of the top three teams in each division. Also, shooters of In and Out Shots over a Ton will receive a Big Shot award. Soooo, be sure to report these on the Weekly Match Report.

This year no position rounds will be held. In lieu of the position rounds, an intra-divisional singles championship will be held. Awards will be made to the champion and runnerup at a date to be set at the end of the championship rounds.

ERIC BRISTOW AND JUDY CAMPBELL WIN AT NAODT

Eric Bristow, Staffs, England and Judy Campbell from Dallas, Texas were Open Singles and Ladies Singles winners at the 14th Annual North American Open Dart Tournament in Las Vegas August 19-21. The 634 entries in the Open Singles and 247 in the Ladies Singles made up the bulk of the record number of participants since the inception of the tournament 14 years ago. Linda Batten, London, England was selected as the most valuable player.

Participants who are well known to the Dayton darters that were prize winners include Kathy Karpowich, Diana Atchison, Jerry Umberger, Rick Ney, Jay Tomlinson, Jeff Shackelford, Mark Wolshon, Dan Pucillo, Nicky Virachkul, Dave Smith and Mike Geiger.

Dave and Mike took first place money in the Open Doubles after wading through 394 entries.

Dayton shooters seen hobnobbing with the "Big Boys" at Las Vegas include Mark Link, Denny Gearhardt, Steve Smith, Gene Cramer, Bill and Ellie Nicoll, John and Julie Sullivan, Greg Nicoll (still in the Navy), Mary Nairn, Jan Storm, and Betty Freeze.

TOURNAMENT RESULTS:

LADIES SINGLES - 247 entries

- 1st - Judy Campbell, Dallas, TX
- 2nd - Linda Batten, London, Eng
- 3rd - Sandy Reitan, Torrance, CA
- 4th - Kathy Karpowich, Freeland, PA
- 5th/ - Angie Burns, Mundelein, IL
- 8th - Diana Atchison, Wheaton, MD

(See Eric Bristow Page 2)

Another first, up for consideration and investigation, is a Special Events Program. Presently consideration is being shown of a possible dart match between visiting British air crew members and the DDA during the Dayton Air Show.

There are other possibilities, such as benefit matches, exhibitions, etc. Surely, there must be some ingenious minds in this 500 plus darting family who have a good recommendation for other competitive events.

Considerations could be discussed with your Division Representative, submitted to Pat Roberts, or presented before the Board, verbally or in writing. Pat Roberts stated, "All proposals will be given full consideration."

The 1984 Dayton Dart Open is in the talking stage and Pat is open for a responsible DDA member, with the knowledge and expertise, to assume charge as Tournament Director. The date for the DDO is under consideration.

The annual DDA banquet, the bi-monthly Newsletter, the various tournament playoff programs and representing Dayton on the challenge team are benefits and opportunities the membership will be eligible for this season.

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BEWARE!!!

Beware of the foxy Englishman who challenges ya with "I'll play you 1001-up for a pound, and you can double every score you make." Do not accept the offer. If you double your score, you will never be able to check out on an odd number.

MINUTES - DDA MEETING

Eric Bristow (Cont'd from Page 1)

Date: July 6, 1983
Place: Gaslight Lounge, Centerville
Attendance: Pat Roberts
Gene Cramer
Julie Sullivan
Ellie Nicoll
Bill Nicoll, Sr.
"Hank" Duff
Carl Stravinski
Bob Sherry
Denny Gearhardt

Pat passed out proposed budget for 1984 dart season to all present. Budget is low ballpark figures. Moved and passed to accept budget as proposed.

Pat mentioned fact that approximately 20 "new" teams will enter DDA this year.

Moved, seconded and passed: Association funds to be used to purchase an answering machine for league night scores, etc.

Posters and team applications are currently being passed out to bars. Dayton Daily News will print an article about DDA prior to August 15 signup deadline. Large growth in league seems to be eminent!

Rules Committee to modify rules with respect to protests.

Discussion: Team movement within divisions prior to season start. Table discussion - special meeting to seed teams to be arranged. Tabled discussions of charter, raffle, sergeant at arms.

New Business: V.P. Gene Cramer has heard complaints about the facilities at some bars, i.e., dartboards, lights, scoreboards, etc. Pat Roberts suggested sanctioning bars. When individual bars have met set requirements, they would receive a plaque or decal attesting to the fact they are a DDA sanctioned bar. These standards to be minimums as pertaining to distance from hockey to board, height of board from floor, and adequate lighting. Possibly screen printed plaques. Chance private sources might pay.

ADO Report: Within next 4-5 weeks play-offs to be set for World Masters. \$10 each entrant. Announcements to be made in paper. Bill Nicoll, Sr. to set dates. He will accept any donations or sponsorships to this cause.

Discussions: Possibility exists that league play two nights per week.

Floor opened to membership.

Steve Smith petitioned DDA to help with sponsorship and ADO sanctioning for his next tournament at American Legion Post, Fairborn. Pat Roberts to check with Jay Tomlinson, Region IV ADO rep, and get back with Steve.

Meeting closed at 9:45 PM.

- Annette Angel, Copenhagen, Den
- Sue Roads, Devon, Eng
- 9th/ - Sharon Kemp, Suffolk, Eng
- 16th - Lois Miller, Torrance, CA
- Anne Picking, Las Vegas, NV
- Collette Owens, Anchorage, AK
- Mary Bunch, New Orleans, LA
- Maureen Flowers, Staffs, Eng
- Olinda Chavez, Albuquerque, NM
- Jan Bulai, San Diego, CA

OPEN SINGLES - 634 entries

- 1st - Eric Bristow, Staffs, Eng
- 2nd - Stefan Lord, Solna, Sweden
- 3rd - Ron Beach, Vallejo, CA
- 4th - Jerry Umberger, New Phila, PA
- 5th/ - Jim Lovell, Whittier, CA
- 8th - John Lowe, Derbyshire, Eng
- Steve Brennan, Suffolk, Eng
- Cary Kolibas, Carteret, NJ
- 9th/ - George Van Etta, Santa Clara, CA
- 16th - Bob Anderson, Bristol, Eng
- Leighton Rees, Ynysywl, Wales
- Tom Carroll, San Francisco, CA
- Steve Anderson, San Gabriel, CA
- Rick Ward, Ontario, Canada
- Phil Davis, Rochester, NY
- Ken McElroy, Pleasant Hill, CA

(See Eric Bristow Page 3)

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DISCOUNTS
On All Darting Supplies

TUES-FRI 9-6 SATURDAY 8-4
CLOSED SUN & MON

- MIXED DOUBLES - 422 entries
- 1st - Keith Deller, London, Eng
Linda Batten, London, Eng
- 2nd - Dave Kelly, Everett, MA
Charlotte Haluska, Danville, PA
- 3rd - Mick Tildesley, Torrance, CA
Debi Craft, Dallas, TX
- 4th - Thom Rowan, Baltimore, MD
Sherrill Anderson, San Antonio, TX

- LADIES DOUBLES - 142 entries
- 1st - Linda Batten, London, Eng
Stacy Walker, Alberta, Canada
- 2nd - Judy Jones, San Francisco, CA
Diane 'DT' Thomas, "
- 3rd - Maureen Flowers, Staffordshire, Eng
Sharon Kemp, Suffolk, Eng
- 4th - Sandy Reitan, Torrance, CA
Katy Casillas, Huntington Park, CA

- OPEN DOUBLES - 394 entries
- 1st - David E. Smith, Cincinnati, OH
Michael Geiger, "
- 2nd - Tom Carroll, San Francisco, CA
Gerald Verrier, Devon, Eng
- 3rd - Martin Roads, Devon, Eng
Kevin Hollamby, Devon, Eng
- 4th - Richard Harris, Long Beach, CA
Tapani Uitos, Helsinki, Finland
- Top 8 - Jerry Umberger, New Phila, PA
Rick Ney, Schuylkill Haven, PA

- 4-MEMBER TEAM EVENT - 185 entries
- 1st - Keith Deller, London, Eng
Steve Brennan, Suffolk, Eng
Bobby George, Essex, Eng
Stefan Lord, Solna, Sweden
- 2nd - Bob Anderson, Bristol, Eng
Tony Jenkinson, Surrey, Eng
Denis Rudman, Bristol, Eng
Ken McElroy, Pleasant Hill, CA
- 3rd - Brandon Naeve, Ontario, CA
Jerry Baker, Lone Jack, MO
Rick Samuelson, Glen Burnie, MD
Thom Rowan, Baltimore, MD
- 4th - Dan Pucillo, Chicago, IL
Nicky Virachkul, Dallas, TX
Dick McGinnis, Ft. Worth, TX
Bill Glover, Dallas, TX
- Top 8 - Jay Tomlinson, Columbus, OH
Jim Damore, Buffalo Grove, IL
Jeff Shackelford, Columbus, OH
Mark Wolshon, Detroit, MI

- HIGH SCORE
- 180 - Mark Link

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER: Linda Batten

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DAYTON AREA LUCK OF THE DRAW

**SUNDAY
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435-6286

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• Start 8:30 PM • Start 9:30 PM
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Cork 7:30 PM

MINUTES - DDA MEETING

Date: September 7, 1983

Place: Kettering Government Center

Attendance: Pat Roberts, President
Gene Cramer, Vice President
Julie Sullivan, Board Member
Frances "Hank" Duff, Board Member
Bob Sherry, Board Member
Gayle Ingram, Secretary of Record
Kay Sherry
Bill Nicoll
Ellie Nicoll
Frank Detman
Phil Toney
Carl Stravinski

Meeting was called to order at 8:20 PM by Pat Roberts. He called attention the amendment passed at the last meeting limiting the length of the meeting to 2½ hours. The amendment reads as follows:

Amendment to Charter Art. VII Section 4 Board meeting shall have a time limit of 2½ hours from the time the meeting is called to order. A maximum of 15 minutes may be allowed for the purpose of completing a point under discussion. The last 15 minutes of the Board meeting will be open forum for the Association's membership. A time limit of 3 minutes will be allowed for the purpose of expressing a point. This section may be waived by the unanimous vote of the board members in attendance.

Pat informed the board that 93 teams are registered in the league this year consisting of 13 divisions. Total membership in the league has grown from 408 last year to 506 this year. This includes the newly formed Novice league on Wednesday nights.

Pat requested that previous league members volunteer to assist the Novice league the first league night, September 21. Help will assist in the running of the league play, the scoring procedures, etiquette and answering miscellaneous questions arising the first night. Volunteers were as follows:

Stowaway - Elmer Stein
VFW - Gene Cramer
AJ's - Chris Sander
Cactus Johns - Bill Nicoll, Sr.
Jerry's Place - Frank Detman
Hanks - Hank or Mike
Holiday Inn - Dan Beechy
Poppa Chins - Pat Roberts
Belmont Lanes - Julie Sullivan

In the event of extremely lengthy 01 matches, the volunteers were given the right to waive the double out rule and allow quick finishes such as closest to the bull.

Pat informed the board that a new division was formed made up of late team entries and Trotwood. This will be the Bronze Division, falling between the Orange and Green Divisions.

Minutes of Previous Meeting: No minutes read because the secretary from that meeting was not in attendance.

Old Business: Tabled until next month's meeting.

New Business: Frank Detman took the floor to request financial assistance for the World Masters entry fees. Frank was able to raise \$40 of the \$100 entry fee and Julie was able to raise \$10. This leaves a deficit of \$150 which he requested the DDA to pay. The ADA representative, Bill Nicoll, commented that the attendance at the fund raising qualifiers was very low and that was the reason little money was raised. He noted that the DDA usually does assist the Dayton darters with their entry fees. It was noted that this would be the only entry fee needed as the winners of the Regionals in Indianapolis would automatically have the entry fee for the next leg of the way in Kansas City. The board recognized the need for more money making events prior to these tournaments so that the Association would not need to foot the bill in the future, but realized that it was too late to do this for this particular event.

Motion: The Dayton Darting Association pay the balance of the entry fees for both the male and female participants from Dayton to the World Masters qualifier in Indianapolis.

Motion passed unanimously. Pat will authorize the treasurer to issue a draft in the amount of \$150 for entry fees. It was noted that if Spaulding should contribute any other money to Julie for this purpose, it will be reimbursed to the DDA.

Next new business discussed was the issuing of membership cards to all DDA members. This would assist the bars to have special prices for DDA members during league night. Discussion ensued on how to issue the cards: through the Newsletter, the Division Reps, or Team Captains.

Motion: Membership cards should be printed and distributed by the Division Representatives.

Motion passed unanimously.

The board then discussed the problem of reporting league night scores so that the results may be printed in the Dayton newspapers. The deadline for submitting results

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TONY PAYNE WINS REGION IV WORLD MASTERS

On September 10 at Indianapolis, Tony Payne, Kentucky, outlasted eleven Region IV darters to qualify for the East-West playoffs of the World Masters October 1 and 2 at Kansas City.

Tony shot 36 legs and lost only 3 to top Mike Geiger, Cincinnati, while Steve Smith and Frank Detman placed third and fourth respectively.

In the Ladies playoffs, Julie Sullivan again demonstrated her prowess to take top honors. Julie bested six fine ladies by playing 17 legs and losing only 2. Pretty good shooting, eh?

Julie joins Tony to represent Region IV at the National World Masters finals at Kansas City on October 1. Shoot well, Julie.

From this playoff two men and one lady will represent the U.S. at the World Masters in England in December 1983.

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Minutes - DDA Meeting (Cont'd from Page 4)

to the paper is 9 AM Friday for the next week's paper. A recorder will be set up as in the past to receive the call-in reports from team captains. Pat will assemble the results and submit them to the paper the following morning. It will be stressed in the Newsletter each issue for prompt reporting. It was noted that penalties will be issued to teams not reporting their scores. Any teams not abiding by the rules will be penalized and contacted by their division reps.

The board then discussed the assigning of Division Representatives. A list of possible darters for these assignments was reviewed who will be contacted to seek their acceptance of the responsibilities of the Division Representative. Pat will contact these people and report back to the Board at the next meeting with the representatives names.

Duties of the representatives will include running the Divisional Championships at the end of the season; reporting any information pertaining to their division to the DDA for use in the Newsletter; attending the monthly board meetings so they can forward information back to their division; handling any problems with the teams in their division.

Open Discussion: The board then focused attention to the fact that no financial report has been prepared for last year or budget for this year. Before the next meet-
(See Minutes-DDA Meeting Page 6)

DDA TO SHOOT IN INTERCITY CHALLENGE

Representatives of the Southern Ohio Darters Association, Central Ohio Darters and Cleveland Darters Club, at a meeting in Las Vegas, approved the addition of the Dayton Darting Association to participate in the next Tri-City Challenge, probably renamed the Quad-City Challenge.

Team size will be increased to include 36 players, 12 women and 24 men. The date of the Challenge would be December 4 at the Howard Johnson Motor Lodge (same as last year). The COD will host their first annual Buckeye Open Dart Tournament Friday and Saturday, December 2 and 3, and will guarantee a purse of \$5,000.

Julie Sullivan and Pat Roberts, heading up the Dayton Challenge team, report, with the expansion of the team, additional members are needed. Team selection shall be in accordance with the team tryout format the past April. This includes arriving at an average for 3 darts calculated on 10 flights of 3 darts (total 30 darts). A \$1 entrance fee will be paid for each 30 dart attempt. The proceeds will be applied toward the Challenge Team's travel expenses. An entrance average is only valid when witnessed by an official of the Intercity Challenge

(See DDA To Shoot, Page 6)

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Team Committee or designated agent. An entrant may attempt as many times as he wishes to shoot an average to qualify for the team or "bump" an existing member.

Any "bumped" entrant may attempt to re-qualify in the same prescribed manner.

Locations for qualification are as follows:

- Dart Train Max's Barber Shop
- Lazor Darts Luck "16's"
- Shroyer Inn Hanks
- Cubby Hole Dartboard Shoppe

Final date for qualifications is November 15, 1983. For further information call Julie at 848-4545, or Pat at 433-3752.

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CHALLENGE TEAM NEEDS SUPPORT

Julie Sullivan, the mainspring behind the Challenge Team, is seeking donations of items for a fund raising raffle and/or cash. Commercial enterprises will be solicited but individual donations will be gladly accepted. Cash or checks should be made payable to The Dayton Darting Association, Challenge Team.

Raffle tickets will be sold and the raffle held at the Quad-City Challenge in Columbus December 4. Winners need not be present.

Proceeds of the raffle will supplement the entrance fees for challenge tryouts for travel expenses and team shirts.

If you wish to help in this drive or contribute, call Julie or Pat Roberts.

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Minutes - DDA Meeting (Cont'd from Page 5)

ing the following reports must be prepared:

- End of FY 1982 Report
- New FY 1983 Report issued
- Budget for FY 1983

It was noted that the deadline for submissions to the Newsletter is the 15th of the month. Submissions should be submitted to Carl Stravinski.

- Next month's agenda:
- Charter Amendments
- League Problems
- Division Representative Format for Divisional Championships
- Sgt. at Arms
- Fund Raising Ideas

Meeting was adjourned at 10:15 PM.

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President Pat Roberts has established the Division Representative system of assuming some of the responsibilities for the more efficient operation of the DDA. Darters and Divisions represented are:

GEM	Ken Webb	253-2520
GOLD	Elmer Steiner	293-4891
RED	Dan Muncey	435-5798
BLUE	Dan Beachy	256-4825
GREEN	Alan Rhodes	252-1793
BRONZE	Bill Adams	1-687-1270
ORANGE	Chris Sanders	254-5700
YELLOW	Mike Groves	293-9813
SILVER	Mark Stratford	277-0916
NOVICE (all)	Mike Siney	254-7527

Duties:

- Attend all DDA board meetings (Focal point for the Division)
- Run intradivisional championships (within the Division only)
- Report to the Newsletter Editor any and all outstanding achievements; i.e., births, deaths, marriages, work achievements, outstanding games, shots, etc. (to be reported to the Rep by the division members)

- Assist any division member in bringing a point to the attention of the board.

These members have agreed to functions as outlined, and there is no doubt that a conscientious effort will result in a "well oiled operation," a more cooperative disposition and a sense of pride in our DDA. As Tom Boots says, "LET'S DO IT."

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GAYLE INGRAM NEW DDA SECRETARY

Pat Roberts announces the appointment of Gayle Ingram to the office of Secretary of the DDA. Gayle, a member of Gaslight Lounge, #2 in the Green Division, assumed the office at the September meeting of the Board. Gayle replaces Cheryl Gearhardt.

M - SAT. 11:30 - 2:30

IMPROVED DART AREA



LADIES NITE

Lounge

TUESDAY

1221 E. STROOP ROAD
KETTERING 294-9554

DDA ASSETS INCREASED 15% IN 1983

The financial report for 1982-1983 was submitted by Cheryl Gearhardt, Treasurer, to Pat Roberts for approval and publication. The final net receipts of \$1830 from the DDO resulted in a 15% increase over the previous operating year.

1982-1983 Financial Statement

	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expenses</u>
Beginning Bank Bal	\$2280.86	
League & Ad Fees	\$4745.37	
ADO Fees		\$ 700.00
Ohio Bell		482.30
Postage		523.97
Printing		858.85
Awards		2044.26
Envelopes		36.42
Misc Expenses		246.00
Hospitality Room		45.89
Ad Fee Refund		50.00
DDO	3684.00	1853.75
Banquet	343.00	1531.75
Bank Balance	<u>\$2680.04</u>	

INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT

A six month interim financial report on the 1983-1984 budget reveals approximately \$200 increase in receipts and 47% decrease in expenditures. The greater expense items occurred in the spring of the year and will greatly affect the net loss or gain for the year.

6 Month Interim Financial Statement
(9/18/83)

League and Ad Fees	\$4956.50
ADO Fees	\$ 313.00
P.O. Box	20.00
Answering Machine	188.60
League Startup Expense	260.86
Printing	533.08
Rent-Meeting Hall	32.50
Current Bank Bal	<u>\$6288.50</u>

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JULIE AND MARY DO THEIR THING IN K.C.

Julie Sullivan and Mary Nairn teamed up to provide a bit of fireworks at the Kansas City Open September 2-5. Both gals shot well to take 1st place in the Ladies Doubles, while Julie placed 3rd and Mary placed in the Top 8 in the Ladies Singles. Other Results:

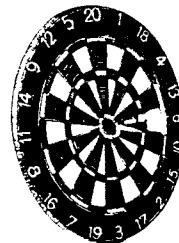
Open Singles	- Top 16	Julie Sullivan
Mixed Doubles	- Top 8	Julie Sullivan/ Rick Ney
Mixed Triples	- Top 16	Julie Sullivan/ Dave Miller/ Dennis Hussett
	- Top 16	Mary Nairn/ R. Wobensmith/ Frank Ennis
Open Doubles	- Top 8	John Sullivan

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Eric Bristow (Cont'd from Page 3)

The NAODT is the first leg of the recently established Lucky Strike Triple Crown of Darts. The Royal Hawaiian in Honolulu September 19-24, 1983 and the Darts America Tournament in Atlantic City December 9-11, 1983 complete the Triple Crown. A Most Valuable Darter will be determined through a point system involving only the Open Singles events at the three Triple Crown Tournaments. \$5,000 will be awarded the MVD. Should the MVD win all three Triple Crown of Darts Tournaments, he or she would receive an additional guaranteed \$25,000.

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1983-1984 BUDGET PROPOSED

The following proposed 1983-1984 budget has been prepared by Pat Roberts, submitted for approval by the Board of Directors.

Anticipated 1984 Budget

Newsletter	
- General office supplies	\$ 60.00
- Printing, collating, postage	1482.00
Printing	350.00
- League applications	
- Posters	
- Schedules	
- Envelopes	
- Letterhead	
- Business cards	
Awards	
- League Champions (180 @ \$12 ea)	2160.00
- Special League (Big Shot, etc)	150.00
- City Champs	35.00
- Divisional Champs	180.00
Telephone Answering Machine	188.60
Banquet	1194.75
Dayton Dart Open	1900.00
	<u>\$7700.35</u>
Revenues: (approximations)	
Dayton Dart Open	\$1800.00
League Playoffs	800.00
Membership Dues	5100.00
Sponsorship Fees	1280.00
Advertisements	250.00
	<u>\$9230.00</u>
End of Year Balance	<u>\$1529.65</u>

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NORTHMONT JCs TO HOLD DART TOURNEY

Paul Stahl, representing the Northmont-Vandalia JCs, reports the \$2,000 Dart Invitational will be held November 6, 1983 at the Inland Recreation Center in Vandalia, Ohio.

Bill Nicoll, Tournament Director, and Pat Roberts, Assistant Tournament Director, have scheduled a five-event card.

MIXED TRIPLES	701
OPEN DOUBLES	501
LADIES DOUBLES.	501
OPEN SINGLES	501
LADIES SINGLES	501

All events will be SS, best 2 out of 3.

The first event, mixed triples, will start at 11:00 AM. The Rec Center will open at 10:00 AM. Signups will close 1/2 hour prior to event.

Trophies will be awarded to 1st and 2nd places. The Tournament is ADO sanctioned.

For further information, call Bill Nicoll at the Dart Shoppe, 252-2260.

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DARTING APPLICATIONS STILL BEING ACCEPTED

President Pat Roberts would like to inform the membership and interested darters that the DDA is accepting applications for play in future rounds. Additional teams will be formed in the Novice Division. New applicants will form teams to compete in the Novice Division. Pat states a minimum of four teams are needed to form the new division.

Applications must be received before the start up of the Second Round--November 3, 1983 and/or the Third Round, January 12, 1984. All interested darters can secure further information and application forms from Pat Roberts, Dayton Darting Association, P.O. Box 642, Dayton, Ohio 45459, or call Pat at 433-3752.

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MEMBERSHIP INVITED TO BOARD MEETINGS

The Board of Directors of the DDA invites the membership to its monthly meetings held the first Wednesday of the month at 8:00 PM at the Kettering Government Center, Shroyer Road, Kettering.

Fifteen minutes will be set aside for open floor discussions by DDA members. Attend and witness your Board in action.

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fighter in North America, the "Muskie" in an effort to make this double crossbreed the top American game fish. They named this hybrid "Cowalski," and now they have to teach the dumb SOB to swim.

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NOVICE DIVISIONS LUCK OF THE DRAW

The party system in Dayton Darting has finally arrived. The numerous darting members in the Novice Divisions are invited by Jerry, the head honcho at Jerry's Place, 3979 Col. Glenn Highway, phone 429-9731, to participate in the LOTD every Thursday night starting September 29, 1983. Signup is at 8:00 PM, entry fee is \$2 and an added \$1 per entry will be made.

Games will be Cricket, 501 and 301, the best 2 of 3.

The Newsletter would like to have the winners of the weekly tourneys. Get results to your Division Representative, Pat Roberts at 433-3752, or Carl Stravinski at 433-3786.

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L.O.I.D. WINNERS

July

- 26 - Hanks Gene Cramer/Frank Detman
- 28 - Shroyer Trips-C Peters/T Brown/L Busch

Aug

- 2 - Hanks Bob Jackson/Jack Rutan
- 7 - Cubby Rick Bakosh/Jerry Coomer
- 9 - Hanks J Crabtree/C Stravinski
- 14 - Cubby J Crabtree/Greg Ford
- 14 - " Singles-Greg Ford
- 16 - Hanks Frank Detman/Dave W
- 21 - Cubby Tom Boots/Ken Webb
- 21 - " Singles-Frank Detman
- 28 - " Detman/Ken Webb
- 28 - " Singles-Detman
- 30 - Hanks Greg Ford/Bob Westcurtis

Sept

- 4 - Cubby Jerry Coomer/Sam Few
- 4 - " Singles-Gary Lykins
- 8 - Shroyer Detman/Gene Zink
- 11 - Cubby Detman/Bill Johnson
- 18 - " Jim Ritchie/Steve Smith
- 20 - Hanks Detman/Greg Ford
- 25 - Cubby Detman/Al Jeffrys
- 25 - " Singles-Detman
- 27 - Hanks Jeff Cost/Jerry Crabtree

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UPCOMING EVENTS*

Oct 1-2	ADO World Masters Playoffs	
	Kansas City	
14-16	Valdez Open Dart Tourn	\$10,000
	Eagle River, AR	
15-16	High Desert Classic	7,500+
	Lancaster, CA	
20-22	World Cup IV Scotland	
21-23	Autumn Dart Festival	10,000
	Santa Ana, CA	
22	Golden Triangle Dart Tourn	5,000
	Pittsburgh, PA	
28-30	Windy City Open	30,000
	Chicago	
28-30	Octoberfest	7,500+
	Phoenix, AZ	
Nov 6	Northmont JCs Dart Inv	2,000
	Inland Rec Ctr	
	Vandalia, OH	
4-6	Witch City Open	20,000
	Boston, MA	
4-6	Sunshine Dart Classic	7,500
	Ft Lauderdale, FL	
11-13	Caprock Dart Classic	7,500
	Lubbock, TX	
11-13	Queen City Open	20,000
	Cincinnati, OH	
Dec 9-11	Darts America Tourn	50,000
	Atlantic City, NJ	

*Complete information is available from The Dartboard Shoppe, 252-2260.

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HANKS ADDS WEEKLY DARTS FOR WINTER

Frances "Hank" Duff, proprietor of Hanks Pub on Patterson Road, has announced two additional dart shoots for the winter darting schedule.

1. A L.O.T.D. will be held at 11:00 PM every Thursday after the DDA league play. Sharpen your "hammerheads" for the "Sharpies" at Hanks.

2. There will be a mixed doubles tournament every Saturday night, signup at 9:30 PM. So bring your favorite galfriend and have some fun.

The Tuesday night L.O.T.D. will signup 7:30 PM instead of 9:00 PM and will be run as in the past.

Hank proudly points out her four dart-board facility is hard to beat. I am not too concerned about that, but some of those shooters that frequent the pub are something else. Stop in and say Hi to Hank.

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HOW ARE YOUR DARTING MANNERS????

The lack of respect for darters at the hockey line has been observed at various darting locations. In the majority of cases it may be committed unknowingly, although in some cases it could be intentional. The majority of infractions may be laid to darters just entering the darting scene. But, in scattered instances, veterans have been observed in portraying poor manners. In some cases non-darters and friends have made a boo-boo.

An atmosphere conducive to wholesome darting should prevail. Courtesy is essential. Courtesy is contagious. Courtesy can and should be practiced for the good of all.

You have observed courtesy at tennis tournaments or bowling tournaments. Darts is no different. At this time I would like to bring your attention to a few of the more common of the many unwritten courtesies of the dart game.

- 1) Make no loud or untimely noise when any darter is at the hockey.
- 2) When not shooting, always stay behind the darter at the hockey line.
- 3) Be careful when walking behind a darter at the hockey. Stop when a shooter is ready to throw.
- 4) When games are called out for match play, get to the board. Keep things moving.
- 5) When keeping score, remain motionless. Do not move when a darter is ready to throw.
- 6) The scorekeeper may not inform the thrower what he has left in terms of number combinations.
- 7) If asked, the scorer may inform the thrower what he has scored and/or what he has left.
- 8) After a match, no matter how well or badly you shoot, it is a good gesture to congratulate the winner.
- 9) Ranting, raving, cussing, kicking the wall and wildly pitching the darts at the board are all strictly "bush."
- 10) Leave a good image with your opponent, the bar patrons and the bar owner. We are trying to promote darts and the image of the DDA.
- 11) In a tight and crucial match, it may be difficult to control all your emotions. Be tolerant, respect your opponent, relax and do your best.

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SERVIS ON SABBATICAL

The absence of Dave Servis in the Gem Division was noticed by his many darting friends the last couple of Thursdays. The Newsletter just learned Dave is changing jobs and in the midst of setting up a new venture in computer services. Dave plans to be out of action for this year, but Dave has that competitive urge. What did Mac-Arthur say, was it, "I shall return?" Be seen you shortly, Dave.

Good luck and success in your new venture.

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ANOTHER 9 DART 301 GAME

Ed Ladd and Tom Schroll, VFW Post No. 3438 darters shot the first perfect 301 game of the young season. Ed and Tom shot their outstanding game September 22 against Dr. Grabow Filters in the Red Division. How do you like this for a fast game!

No greater satisfaction and confidence can be instilled in a dart shooter than a super performance of this type. Congratulations, Ed...Tom, for this first.

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UPCOMING MARRIAGES

We are happy to report the upcoming marriage of Mark Link, past DDA prez, and Raelea Page, captain of Papa Chins Dragons in the Yellow Division. The big day is set for October 14. The honeymoon plans are not yet finalized, but I wonder if darts will be the nightly activity!!!!

Greg Hill, one of the Blue Division "hot shots," and Kelly Dickey were married in Sabina, Ohio July 2, 1983. The wedding party journeyed to Wilmington where the reception was held.

Darters in the wedding party and the festivities included Bret Everman, Best Man; Greg Bane; Rusty Meyers and Bart Barber.

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DO YOU BELIEVE IT - - -

Scotland player Frank Murray wanted 180 to take a leg from John Lowe in England in an International in 1978. He scored it--and, of course, bust.

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RECORD NINE-DART 501 GAMES

Frank Reader, a 27-year-old panel beater and sprayer from Tonbridge, Kent, scored the first nine-dart 501 recorded in open competition when play in the 200 pound first prize East Grinstead Open on February 7, 1981. In the second leg of a 2-0 win he scored 180-180-141, finishing triple 20, triple 15, double 18. "After my second 180 I picked one of my opponent's darts off the floor and he simply said to me 'Take your time'," said Reader. "I didn't get the shakes or go slow with those last three darts. They all went in so crisp it was as though they had magnets on them. I couldn't sleep that night. I was pacing the floor like a lunatic."

George Champion, a 46-year-old building manager from Truro, scored a nine-dart 501 playing in the Rising Sun in the Truro and District Individual on April 14, 1981. In the first leg he hit two 180s, then went T20, T15, D18, and won 2-1. "I lost the next leg, perhaps because of the shock of it," he said. "The Rising Sun is quite a small, cozy pub. There were about thirty people there and not all of those were conscious of what I'd done. But the landlord was appreciative and we had a few drops to celebrate."

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L.O.T.D. AT NEW LEBANON

The Countryside Inn, New Lebanon, is holding its first L.O.T.D. Saturday, October 8, 1983. Bill Adams, Bronze Division, is spearheading the event and welcomes all darters to the western part of the county. Try your luck on the four boards at the Countryside.

Signup is at 11:30 AM, start at 12:00 Noon. The management reports a \$25 added for 16 shooters and \$50 for 32. See you at the Countryside.....

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RECORD TIMES

Jim Pike	3 min 30 sec	1937
Malcolm Duffield	2 min 24 sec	3/22/72
Bill Duddy	2 min 13 sec	10/29/72

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Question: When a player fails to double in his first 3 darts but then completes the game in his next 6, should it be declared a 9-dart or a 6-dart game?

Answer: The first no scoring darts must be considered as part of the total darts thrown.

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