

# NEWSLETTER

# PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Happy holidays to you and your families.

This is the time most of you are making resolutions and plans for the new year. Your association is stepping full stride into 1987 with it's chest popping with pride from 1986.

In retrospect, 1986 saw the Dayton Darting Association stand erect from the cloud of near financial disaster from several years ago. The bold step of raising league fees and dues was most certainly outdone by our brashness in hosting the Ohio State Championships and Dayton's first major dart tournament without a sponsor.

The year 1987 is looking even brighter than 1986. Plans have already been unveiled to host another major dart tournament as well as the Ohio State Dart Championships. The date has been set for another \$10,000.00 tournament and work has begun to make this year's tournament even better.

Overall, the mistakes and experiences from the past have led to a smoothly operating league, with most problems minor in nature.

With the raising of league fees and dues came a promise there would be no fees for league related functions. Last year saw that promise realized as there was not a single activity which required our members to pay extra. The league is financially stable. 1987 will again bring division championships, city championships, and a banquet at no additional charge.

The new year is proudly showing off the new look of the newsletter. The new (temporary) editor, Bob Hurt, has taken steps to gain your input and I urge everyone to contribute. I personally feel that the newsletter will be one of the bright spots of this year.

1986 saw the Dayton Darting Association rise from the alsorans to a level it has never experienced. Dart players from every corner of the state can point to Dayton as the center of darts in Ohio. Many players competing in our tournament were heard to say "I'll be back next year."

It's time for us, the players, to smile and be proud to be a member of one of the oldest darting associations in the state. Last year saw us band together in support of this league and 1987 is the time to take every step to further the strength of our league locally, statewide and possibly even nationally.

Dennis R. Haws President SECRETARY'S REPORT
Pam Patterson, DDA Secretary

The December 1, 1986 meeting of the DDA Board of Directors was called to order at 7:42 pm. The minutes of the last meeting were accepted and the treasurer's report was read.

Gene Cramer presented a request from Glen Cox, DDA member and teacher in the Vandalia schools. Glen plans to hold a tournament for kids at his school and would like DDA support. This request was favorably received and Gene will meet with Glen to see what the DDA can do to assist.

Chris Sanders reported he may be unable to build new metal portable stands at his place of employment. Since new stands are a priority of the league this year, the Board seeks any suggestions and volunteers from members for this project.

Pam Patterson reported on board meetings for 1987. Meetings will continue to be held the first Monday of every month at the Kettering Government Center. The time has been changed to 7:00 pm. All DDA members are welcome and are encouraged to attend.

The Quad City Challenge was reported on by Gene Cramer and various suggestions were discussed concerning the selection of future teams.

Denny Haws reported he has a letter prepared to send to possible sponsors for the 1987 Dayton Dart Open. He also appointed Chris Sanders to work with him on the upcoming Divisional Championships.

Bob Hurt noted that two teams have had to switch sponsors and that team captains in the affected divisions have been mailed revised schedules.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm. See you all at the next meeting!



#### DIVISION SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIPS

Wednesday, Jan. 14, and Thursday, Jan. 15 are the dates for the division singles championships. There is no charge for this event and it has proved to be a fun night in the past. All DDA members are encouraged to participate.

Sign-ups are open at the pub designated for your division until 8:00 pm sharp. Play must begin by 8:15 pm to allow for the expected heavy turnout. Format for the event will be 501, best of 3, round robin in blind draw brackets (Lucky 16 format.)

Division champions will be awarded shirts and the top three finishers in each division will advance to the City Championships to be held on Thursday, March 12.

Pubs for Wednesday, Jan. 14, 1987:

Green Division - Hank's Pub Yellow Division - McGuffy's Pub White Division - Shroyer Inn Brown Division - Cactus John's

Pubs for Thursday, Jan. 15, 1987:

Gem Division - McGuffy's Pub
Gold Division - Hank's Pub
Silver Division - Shroyer Inn
Bronze Division - Cactus John's
Blue Division - Kat'z
Red Division - Orbit Inn
Orange Division - Hinder Lounge

City Championships

Thurs., March 12, 1987 - Hank's Pub





Match scores are being reported fairly well this year, however it seems that each week several team captains who have not called in their scores must be tracked down. It's not really fair that the volunteers who get the standings out each week have to waste valuable time doing this, thus the 5 point penalty. Also, unreported scores can cause the standings to be mailed late or inaccurately, which is not fair to all league members. Please try to cooperate.

The league number, 254-DART, is answered by league secretary Pam
Patterson, through the magic of call forwarding. Pam and husband Tom are the proprietors of Foremost Seafood. During business hours and at other times due to electronic snafus, the league number may be answered as Foremost Seafood. Please don't allow this to confuse or annoy you. Look at it as an added benefit. Where else can you report your match score and order your holiday seafood at the same time? (Foremost Seafood can also be reached at 298-1986.)

In a related matter, it should be noted that the DDA does not allow for substitutes. The league is quite liberal with allowing teams to expand 6 person rosters due to circumstances, or allowing team members to be replaced. However, these moves must be approved by the board and any new players must submit their dues the first time they shoot. Failure to do this will result in points being taken away from a team using non-league players. This is only fair to the 500 members who have paid their dues.

Don't take a chance on losing a playoff spot by using an ineligible player. Scoresheets are checked thoroughly to see that all players are league members.

My phone has been ringing off the hook. With so much gossip, it's hard to decide what to tell (and what is printable.) Well, you know, good taste!

You've all heard of band "groupies." Well, look out, but now we have dart groupies. Just letting you know.

Good luck to Dave Finke and Ron "Mad Dog" Madlinger, the new owners of Kirk's Tavern. They are league members and also sponsor two teams. With their likable personalities they will do great.

Seems like Eddie & Vicki Conduff are on the go, go, go. First Las Vegas, then weekends in Virginia, dog races... My oh my!

Heard through the grapevine that Cal Peters and Sandy tied the knot in Florida. Best wishes to you both.

It's awfully lonesome without Bill Nicoll and Mike Coogan on the scene. As you know, they are on our recuperation list. Hurry and get well guys, we miss your smiling faces.

The girl's Lucky Sixteen has moved to Hank's Pub, more central to the darting community. We hope to attract more girls to join us. If you want to improve your game 100% come on out and join us. We help each other in every way.

We're proud to have Tonni
Brown running things for us, taking
over for Linda Lou Busch who did a
heck of a job for so long. All the
girls wanted me to thank you.
Also, let's not forget Cubbyhole
who hosted us for so long, and
especially Marge, our favorite
bartender.

I really don't want to talk about Quad City Open, but what are we waiting for? Let's get some team spirit and start getting ready for next year. Let's hear your ideas. We can beat those people in those cities. Call me!



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#### ROUND ONE SUMMARY

Round One of the 1986-87 DDA fall/winter league is history. Teams that won their division have clinched a first half play-off spot. A lot of good darts, good fun, and good sportsmanship was enjoyed by the 500 DDA members.

29 players were reported as throwing 180's in Round One. Glen Cox and Brian Singer accomplished this feat on the first night, with Brian notching his second the next week. Bill Nicoll Jr. is the only other player to record two 180's. Rick Dunning signed on with Kirk's Tavern during the first round and scored 180 on his first three darts ever in league play. (Hear the bells?)

Many fine scores, high in shots, and high out shots were also turned in. These shots are compiled from scoresheets mailed in throughout the round. To insure that your high shots are recorded, your first and last name must be on the scoresheet and the high shot must be legible.

Look for final Round One standings and the high shots in your division on the following pages.

#### GEM DIVISION

The Heavy Heavers, shooting out of Kat'z, wasted no time capturing Round 1 with a whopping 213 points. Members of the Heavers are Ron Cloutier, Sam Few, Greg Ford, Tom Patterson, Gary Sizemore and Dick Stein.

#### FINAL STANDINGS - ROUND 1

Heavy Heavers (*)	213
Hank's Jewels	189
Dart Train	154
Dartboard Shoppe Lancers	153
Shroyer Innkeepers	148
Hank's Pub #3	117
Ancient Order of Hibernians	77
Heavy Breathers	41

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Ron Young 180 140 138 120

#### GOLD DIVISION

Hank's Bullies took an impressive 30 points the last week to clinch Round 1. Bruce Breidenbach, Jeff Cost, Rick Davis, Mike Linden and Mike Mantia make up the Bulls.

#### FINAL STANDINGS - ROUND 1

Hank's Bullies (*)	178
Cubbyhole Killers	169
Merry-Go-Round	164
Irish Rebels	123
Hank's Good Time Attack	122
The Outlaws	112
The Blasters	112
The Other Brothers	112

Ron Brinson 140(3) 135 125(2) 124 121(2) Larry Viers 120 Gary Zahn 140(3) 125 129out Rick Dunning 180 Tom Kingery 180 140 501(12darts) Bruce Breidenbach 140(5) 123 121(2) 114out Jeff Cost 140(3) 125(2) 121 114out Rick Davis 180 140(3) 132 128 125 121 3 triples(20-19-18) 101out Mike Lindon 140 125 120 Steve Brown 140(3) 135 121 Pete Frydrak 180 140(4) 133 123(3) 115out Greg Patrick 180 135 132 154in 134out Tony Smith 180 David Beaty 140(2) 138 135 128 127 Mike Dixon 125 112in Bob Hurt 135 133(6) 123 121 Michael Petrenio 140 127 102in Roger Yenn 132 125(2) 120 Kevin Casey 125 123(2) 121(2) Dennis Gerhardt 127 Keith Gerhardt 140 125 123 121 Ed McConnell 120 Phillip Toney 140 121(2) 123out Steve Arden 125 Glen Cox 180 140(2) 125 112in Mike Francis 126 Ron Hall 140 135 111in 101in John Hess 140(2) 135(2) Alan Rhodes 140 125(2) 121 112out Barry Hanselman 140 Robert Maidment 180 140(3) 137 128

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Tom Ryan 140 135

#### SILVER DIVISION

Cactus John's All Stars and McGuffy's Pub Le Shafts tied with 100 points each in what is easily the tightest division in the league. The top seven teams were all within five points.

#### FINAL STANDINGS - ROUND 1

Cactus John's All Stars (*)	100
Le Shafts	100
Deadly Darters	99
Pastime	97
Cape Lounge Mean Green Machi	96
A & A Refugees	95
The Untouchables	95
T.B. Hopkins	69

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# BRONZE DIVISION

Hank's Pub Misfits won big the last week to win the first round. Bill Bereda, Dave Chaney, Gene and Linda Hanks, Mike Schoenling and Bob Vigus are the Misfits.

## FINAL STANDINGS - ROUND 1

Hank's Pub Misfits (*)	121
Hawaiian Hot Shots	114
Hank's Pub (DeWire)	111
Bruns Cafe's Old Milwaukee #	100
Top Katz	90
Suburban Athletic Club	88
Hank's Pub (Davis)	81
Ancient Order of Hibernians	33

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## BLUE DIVISION

The Damn Busters from McGuffy's Pub hung on to take Round 1. Lane Coffee, Jeff Hoeffel, Jeff Sanders, Chris Sanders and Dick Yinger took 14 points the last week to finish two points ahead.

#### FINAL STANDINGS - ROUND 1

Damn Busters (*)	112
Cactus John's Saloon	110
Little York Tavern	102
The Southsiders	97
Ancient Order of Hibernians	90
Quality Touch	87
Clancy's Tavern (Hansberry)	75
Clancy's Hepos	56

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#### RED DIVISION

Bob Adams, Frank Braun, Mark Faulkner, Wes Fugate, Jumbo Jones and Jim Reinshardt make up Hank's Stingers, winners of Round 1 in the Red.

#### FINAL STANDINGS - ROUND 1

Hank's Stingers (*)	139
Clancy's Spearchuckers	122
Ludwig's Vanishing Points	96
The Underground Lounge	90
Diddle Kings	86
McGuffy's Questionables	79
Bourbon Street	67
Little York Tavern	54

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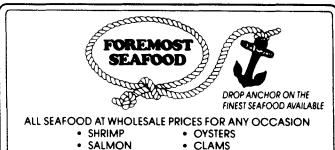
#### ORANGE DIVISION

The Shroyer Diddle Kings II finished point ahead of Bruns in a division marred by the forfeiture of matches Bourbon all bу Street а team. That team has been replaced and competition should be great in Round Two.

#### FINAL STANDINGS - ROUND 1

Diddle Kings II (*)	116
Brun Cafe's Budweiser #1	115
Clancy's Trips	113
McGuffy's Saloon Platoon	106
Cheers DWAI	101
A.J.'s Hi Spot	84
Shroyer Inn Dart Dogs	58
Bourbon Street	0

Ron Elliott 135 134 Don Howell 133 Tom Ward 140 102out John Bowling 145 128 Craig Mabe 122 Doug Morris 140 138 133 122 120 Pat Baker 120 Kevin Blevins 135 120 Mike Davis 102out Jim Bob Scharf 130 Dean Combs 120(2) Jeff Moore 123 Pam Moritz 124 Doug Miller 125 Cathy Sage 140 126 Doug Dietrich 140 125 123 121(3) John Kibler 140 125 120 Jack Randolph 174 140(2) 125 120 Randy Becknell 140 132 Jim Begovich 135 125 Tim Duerr 127 120 Larry Gifford 140 134 125 120



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- CRAB
- SWORDFISH

AND MUCH MUCH MORE 513/298-1986

Tom M. Patterson

#### GREEN DIVISION

A strong team from Kirk's Tavern consisting of Dave Finke, Larry Kingery, Ron Madlinger, Bill O'Brien and Mike Wagers, won Round 1 for the new owners.

# FINAL STANDINGS - ROUND 1

Kirk's Tavern (*)	131
Thunderbowl Chumpchuckers	115
Katz Lounge	105
Trolley Stop	100
Hank's Pub (Duff)	93
Hank's Pub (Cummings)	81
Stowaway Lounge	76
Hank's Nite Lites	55

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Joe Thomeczek 121

# YELLOW DIVISION

The team of Darryl Davis, Chuck Miller, Elmer Pennington and Dave Simons, from McGuffy's Pub, racked up 144 points to win Round 1.

# FINAL STANDINGS - ROUND 1

McGuffy's Pub (Harris) (*)	144
Orbit Inn	120
Hinder Lounge	111
Cactus John's Saloon	110
Hank's Pub (Tharp)	91
Hank's Shafts	68
Clancy's Corkers	59
The Gang	53

Rod Carter 140 David Damico 120 Mike Hale 125 123 Robert Parker 140 125 120 Kevin Tharp 140(2) 120 Ray Brown 137 134 125 123 120 110out Scott Kendall 140 121 120(2) Paul Ludwig 135 John Stanborough 134 120in John Thien 140(2) 125(2) 122 121 120 Carl Krauskopf 120 Tom Nickelson 140 128out Ed Thompson 123 Dave Markiewicz 162 140 125 Steve Snyder 160 Lawrence Clift 140(5) 137 123 121 120in Patrick Clift 140(2) 135 134 125(2) Steve Marshall 140 134 120 Keith Trammell 140 Mike Considine 160 140 138 140out 112in Mark Gillespie 180 140 125 Tamra Needles 140 128 120 Darryl 8. Davis 140 135 125 123 121 120(2) Charles Harris 140 137 120(3) Elmer Pennington 140(2) 125 121 110out Dave Simons 125 120 Chris Wahlrab 140 Susan Brinson 134 120(2) Richard Nordstrom 125 120 Tom Richards 180 140 Marie Starr 120 Sam Yates 125 121 120

# WHITE DIVISION

Bruns Cafe brought home a winner in the White with Lee Blatz, Kelly Hunter, John LeMaster, E.J. Markley and Dale Riber shooting well.

#### FINAL STANDINGS - ROUND 1

Bruns Hudy Delight #1 (*)	120
Hinder Lounge	106
Cactus John's Saloon (Gordon	101
Hank's Sleepers	96
Shroyer Inn (Whited)	91
Shroyer Inn (Shearer)	84
Finnegan's Pub	80
Cactus John's Saloon (Hagan)	73

Lee 8latz 140 123 121(2) 120 Kelly Hunter 125 John LeMaster 134 120(2) E. J. Markley 125 121 Don Topp 140 133 120 Russ Shearer, Jr. 140 Phil Stock 158 120 George Rembish 125 124 Paige Sutherland 140 Tom Whitaker 138 120 Phil Power 125 120 Bill O'Brien 140 120 Jim Roberts 140(3) Rodney Smith 121 Kathy Smith 131 121 120 Jack Hagan 140 Cathy Hagan 125 120(2) Curt Hagan 121 120 Jack Hensley 120 Mark Kaltenbach 120 Steve Kania 140 Jeff Miller 121 Jay Rudolph 140 120 Dave Clark 135 125 120 Charlie Goulette 133(2) Tim Paringer 121 Larry Whited 133 123 Cynthia Minnick 125 121 Ed Yozwiak 130

Rick Hiller 140 121 120



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SIX DART BOARDS OPEN TIL 2:30 AM
HOT SANDWICHES & PIZZA

# BROWN DIVISION

Hank's Bullshooters bulled their way to victory in Round 1. Elvin Bob Altman, Dave Archer, Jim Medford, Steve Ramsey, Ron Spurlock and Noel Wilbur shoot for Hank's.

## FINAL STANDINGS - ROUND 1

Hank's Bullshooters (*)	128
Bruns Cafe's Strohs #1	104
Hank's Pub (Stanley)	99
McGuffy's Pub	98
Karen's Merry-Go-Round	93
Cubbyhole Lounge	82
Katz Lounge	77
Shroyer Inn Flyers	70

Chris Abston 143 140(2) 123 121(3) Tom Farley 140(3) 138 125(3) 120 Larry Furrow 140 134 132 121 120 Rick Moonevham 121 Steve Goertemiller 170 125 124 121 120 Joe Grieshop 138 125(2) 121 Sandy Seitz 120(2) Robert Sherry 133 125 Rick Smith 125 120 Pam Thomson 134 Jeff Thomson 120(2) Dave Archer 125 120(2) Jim Mefford 140(3) 125 120 Ron Spurlock 160 Noel Wilbur 135 126 121 Carl Bruggeman 140 Mike Owens 135 Bill Stanley 162 120 Rocky Bower 120(2) Dale Gordon 160(2) Jerry Puckett 140 Rick Deeter 142 Jeff Martin 121(2) 120 Pat Roberts 160 Tom Stross 123 121(2) Lori Cooney 132 Claude Middleton 140(2) Karen Middleton 128 Joe Wahlrab 180 125 5-bulls Tereasa Wahlrab 134 132 121

ORGANIZATION OF DAYTON DARTERS by Ellie Nicoll

The Organization of Dayton Darters is a Monday and Tuesday night league operated by Bill & Ellie Nicoll of the Dartboard Shoppe.

This league, just like the DDA is dedicated to the great sport of darts. A slightly different format of play is used and has proven to be great fun over the past two years.

Besides the standard doubles, singles and team game, we play the strategy game of O.D.D. cricket. This game is played by a four person team (one game only) and is just like regular cricket with the addition of having to close doubles, triples, and three in a bed. Lessons are free at the Dartboard Shoppe.

Anyone interested in Monday or Tuesday night play can stop in and see Ellie at the Shoppe.

(With the proliferation of dart leagues in our town, the newsletter will provide any info we receive. We hope to have something on the North Dayton Darting Association in the next issue.)

#### NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

The DDA is not actively soliciting advertising for the newsletter this year. Ads are printed as a service to interested members and sponsors and are quite reasonably priced. Contact Bob Hurt at 298-2220 if you are interested in advertising in the DDA Newsletter. This is an economical way to spread the word about your business or your special events. Proceeds are used to cover newsletter expenses.

HOW MANY POSSIBLE WAYS ARE THERE TO SCORE 162? SEND YOUR ANSWER TO P.O. BOX 292828 (ATTN. NEWSLETTER) WITH AN INTERESTING DART NEWS ITEM. A DRAWING WILL BE HELD IN CASE OF MULTIPLE WINNERS. TWO WINNERS WILL BE AWARDED A COMMEMORATIVE 1986 DAYTON DART OPEN SHIRT.

# 1987 BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTIONS

At the spring banquet, over half of the Trustee seats will be up for election. This is a Presidential election year, also. All positions are for a two year term.

Drop a note to P.O. Box 292828 or to any Board member declaring your interest for any of these positions.

# WANTED: PERMANENT NEWSLETTER EDITOR

The DDA Board of Directors is still seeking someone with the time and aptitude to take over the position of Editor of the Newsletter. This is an excellent opportunity for someone active in darts to get involved. Contact any Board member if you are interested.

DARTS IN OTHER PLACES by Bob Hurt

I was first exposed to darts in a pub atmosphere in the early 70's. In Fort Lauderdale, working a summer construction job, I happened into a place called the Parrot. Located at the end of the strip, the place was famous for serving seven beers for a dollar. They also had bartenders capable of serving seven beers with one hand.

Noticing the dartboards off to one side, I thought I would watch the competition. As one player retrieved his darts, the second player took aim and fired - sticking his dart in the center of the first players forehead. Needless to say, I dismissed the game as a little too physical for my taste.

Years later I discovered the game was not always played that way and became an avid dart player. I'm still not going to play at the Parrot, though.

This is one place you may not want to take your darts, but there are a lot of decent dart bars around the country. If you have traveled a bit and know of a good one let us know about it.

A.D.O. NEWS Gene Cramer - A.D.O. Rep

What is the American Darts Organization? What can the A.D.O. do for me? The A.D.O. can do for you what you can't reasonably do for yourself or for your organization. The A.D.O. can provide:

National coordination National advertising Standardization of tournament rules National/International competition Representation on a worldwide basis

People are into darts for a variety of reasons: social fun, exhilaration of winning, the competition, even the money. Darts are organized, run, and promoted on the local level. A league or association is free to structure their leagues any way they choose, however, working at the local level limits the exposure, the prize structure and the competition, therefor creating the need for a national organization that ties the whole together.

What does all that mean in terms of you, the individual, or your club? It means the intent of the A.D.O. is to become for darts what the U.S.G.A. is for golf or the P.B.A. is for bowling.

Like anything else, there is strength in numbers. Today, the A.D.O. boasts a membership of 50,000, more than four times the total charter membership. This number is still small when one considers the number of golfers, bowlers, etc., in the U.S. It wasn't many years ago that those organizations were struggling for recognition, acceptance and membership. The day of darts is close at hand. The A.D.O. is going to speed the process.

So what's the A.D.O. doing for me the player? Actually quite a bit, and at very little cost. When our organization maintains

membership in the A.D.O., the average cost per person is about \$.50 per year...less than the cost of a glass of beer. In the next issue, we will list some of the services that the A.D.O. provides.

The A.D.O. has just celebrated its 10th anniversary. The Dayton Darting Association has been a member for six years. Our tournament last fall was sanctioned by the A.D.O. and will be on the A.D.O. Tournament calendar this year. This listing alone should increase attendance and mean a greater success for the DDA.

#### A.D.O. TOURNAMENTS

Some Dayton area darters in the money at A.D.O. sanctioned tourneys in Columbus and Indianapolis are:
Jim Medley, Joan Medley, Linda Hall, Ron Hall, Mary Stratford, Sue Kruezer, Ron Cloutier, Bill Nicoll Jr., Tony Smith, J.J. Jackson, Frank Molish, Ron Brinson, Cheryl Gerhardt, Suzette White, Gene Cramer. Results from Cincinnati were not received by presstime.

#### OUAD CITY CHALLENGE TEAM

Tom Boots Bob Maidment Steve Channell Candus Tipton Dave Servis Mark Grencavage J.J. Jackson Greg Nicoll Gene Cramer Ron Young Paul Cooper Alan Rhodes John Miller Denny Gerhardt Mark Stratford Rick Davis Chris Sanders Bill Nicoll Jr. Ron Cloutier Jim Richie Sam Few

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