

Dayton Darting Association

Spring Newsletter 2009

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THE DDA IS GOING DIGITAL! GET ON BOARD OR BE LEFT BEHIND

WE NEED YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS!

We are trying to simplify the process of getting current information out to our darters. We can think of no better way than to go digital. This will allow us to greatly reduce the cost of advertising for our sponsors, eliminate the cost of printing and postage allowing us to use these funds in a more productive way.

To aid us in this transition we are asking for your help. We are proposing that all darters either fill out the paper ballot below and drop it off at Hank's in a secure box behind the bar or you can simply send me an e-mail with your current information requested on the ballot to ensure that you continue to receive your DDA newsletters quarterly, year after year.

By e-mail simply supply your name, current address, e-mail address, phone number (optional) and send this information to furreyad@woh.rr.com.

Or fill out the ballot below, drop it off at Hanks. It is as easy as that.

Thanks for your anticipated cooperation,
2008-09 DDA Newsletter Editor, Bryan Furrey

Name _____ Phone (optional) _____

Address _____

e-mail address _____

I do not have a computer. I want to continue receiving my newsletter in hard copy.

WINTER 2008 IMPORTANT DATES

- May 6 WOMENS CITY CHAMPIONSHIP
7:30pm @ Katz
- May 7 MENS CITY CHAMPIONSHIP
7:30pm @ Katz
- May 19 DDA MEETING
7pm @ DE&D
- May 31 DDA BANQUET
1pm @ IUE Hall on Woodman
- May 31 SUMMER APPLICATIONS DUE
- June 2 SCHEDULING MEETING
@ DE&D
- June 4 CAPTAINS MEETING
7:30pm @ Kings Point
- June 8 MONDAY
Summer League Begins
- June 11 THURSDAY
Summer League Begins

SUMMER 2009 FEES

- Monday \$40 Team
..... \$10 Sponsor
- Thursday \$50 Team
..... \$20 Sponsor

STOP BY AND SEE THE NEW OUTDOOR FACILITY.

For years we have enjoyed your company while throwing darts, playing pool, the juke box, and just hanging out. Now with the new outdoor addition we can party on the patio. For those of you who like to play corn-hole...we've got enough room for two sets of boards.

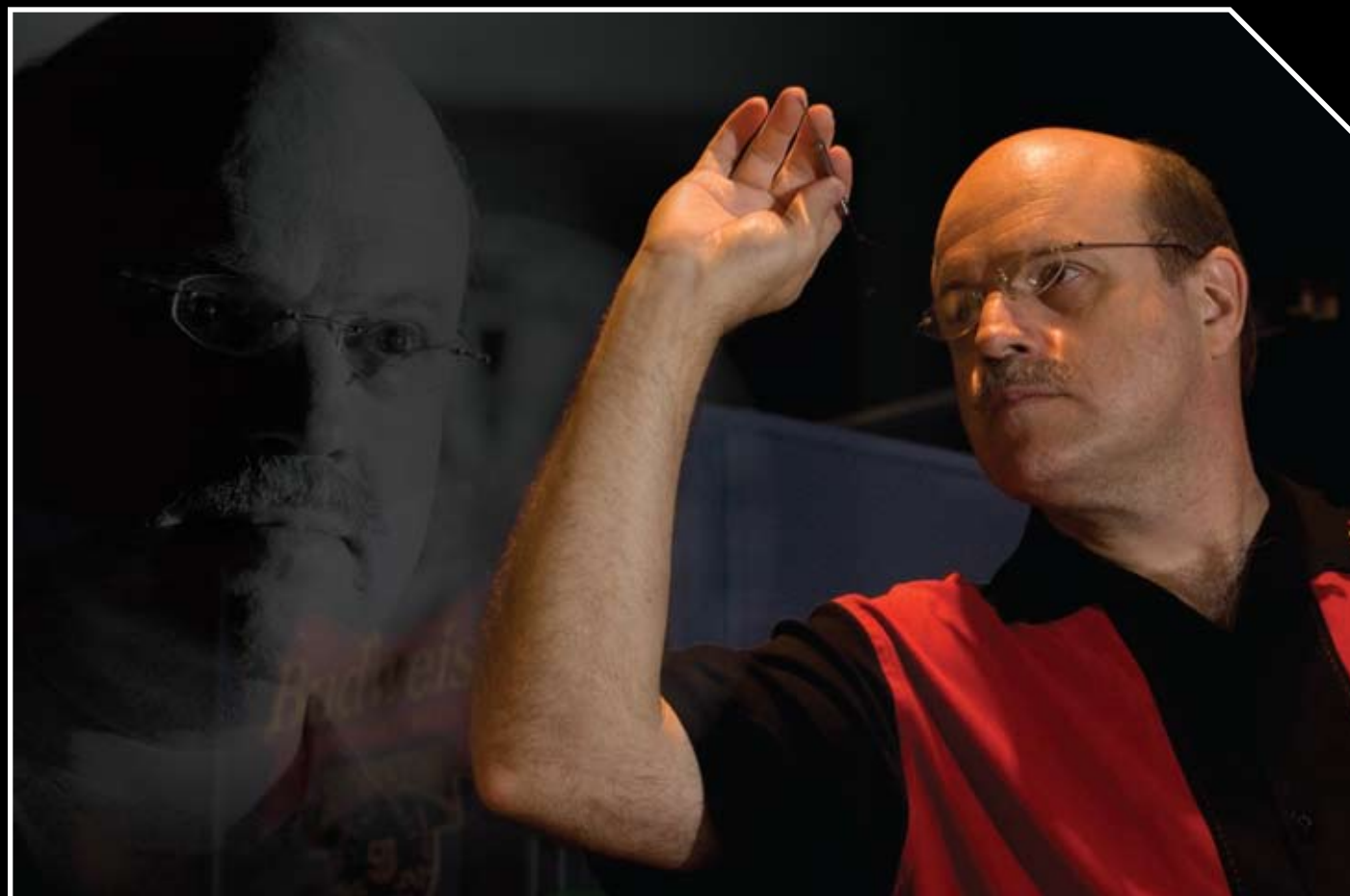
We have almost doubled our space, so come one, come all, and enjoy relaxing both indoors and out at your friendly neighborhood gathering place...KingsPoint Pub.

4660 Wilmington Pike • 937.296.1915 • www.kingspointpub.net



DDA SPOT-LITE

If you know someone that promotes darts and you would like to nominate them for the next DDA Spot-Lite, feel free to contact me at furreyad@woh.rr.com. Tell me who, why, and a little bit about yourself so we can get more people like Larry in the Spot-Lite.



LARRY BUTLER ON THE LINE

Larry Butler served six years in the US Navy, leaving to follow his passion to become the best dart player in the world. In 1994 he achieved that goal, winning the 1994 PDC World Matchplay Darts Championship in England. This success made him the first, and so far only, American player to have won a major darts tournament in Europe. He continued his streak in his home country, winning the 1993, 1994, 1995 New York Open, the 1994 Darts America Championship, the 1991, 1992, 1993 World Bullshooter Championship and the 1991, 1992, 1994, 1995 Cincinnati Spring Fling Open.

Foregoing extensive overseas travel, Butler slowed his tournament play and entered the new electronic market, where he won the Arachnid Pro Singles World Final three consecutive times.

He resumed steel competition on the recently expanded PDC circuit in 2007, also winning the WDF (World Dart Federation) USA Dart Classic that same year. Butler made his first televised appearance in over ten years after qualifying for the 2008 Las Vegas Desert Classic as one of only four North American qualifiers.

Butler has lived and worked in Dayton Ohio since 1992 with his wife Sharon and daughter Sarah and twins James and Lauren. Larry is a respected member of the DDA.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE WINNERS OF THE 2009 WINTER DIVISIONAL SINGLES TOURNAMENT

GEM

1st.....Timmy Nicol
2nd Spanky Manger
3rdKenny Matlock
4th..... Jim Hack

GOLD

1st..... Tony Taphorn
2nd Matt Ellis
3rd Allan Bassett
4th..... Jeff Fluty

COPPER

1st..... Bill Williams
2ndJamie Payne
3rdTracy Herron
4th.....Monte Yates

BLUE

1st.....Randy Carpenter
2nd Starr Mecium
3rdTravis Koehler
4th..... Heather Bucher

GREEN

1st..... Allan Bassett
2ndRandy Wright
3rd Brad Williams
4th.....Tom Wheeler

YELLOW

1st.....Keith Delph
2nd Scott Spille
3rdJarred "Wolf" Wilson
4th..... Steve Brown

PEARL

1st..... Spanky Manger
2ndWayne Wells
3rdTim Dugan
4th.....Lou Lovash

SAPPHIRE

1st.....Dan Good
2ndBrad
3rd Brad Bossong
4th.....Rhonda P'Pool

TIPS FOR THE BEGINNER

The throw is the most important element of a successful dart player. And yet, most players don't analyze this critical aspect of their dart game. Most people go with what feels most comfortable without thinking about how they could be sabotaging their dart game. The next time you are shooting darts, take a closer look at how other people throw darts. Some rock back and forth, some lunge forward with every throw, some throw quickly and without a follow-through, and others balance on one foot.

Every throw is unique, but here is one thing you should know before you develop your dart throw:

3 OF 4 – HOLDING THE DART. Don't hold the dart sideways at the beginning of your throw. To achieve a high level of skill at darts all non-essential motions should be minimized or avoided. Keep your darts level and pointed directly at the target.

This is the third of four basic things to consider when trying to find a system that works best for you as a beginner in the world of competitive darts.

>> *The complete list of helpful hints can be found online at nicedarts.com*

It's about Dayton, Darts and Tradition.

Hank's Pub has been a lifetime supporter of The Dayton Darting Association. It has become tradition that each night of the week darters from every walk of life come to throw darts at Hanks. Hanks appreciates the loyalty, memories and traditions created by each one of you.

Thank you for your continued patronage.

DARTER APPRECIATION NIGHT MAY 7th

JOIN US IN MAY FOR LUCK OF THE DRAW

Mondays	Thursdays
May 4th	May 7th
May 11th	May 14th
May 18th	May 21st
May 25th	May 28th

EVERY TUESDAY 1-9PM BEER-4-A-BUCK

*While your here get some grub too!
Specials will vary from week to week.
For the latest info call 254-7527.*

New darters are always welcome!

Come in and talk directly to Hank!

LIVE MUSIC / NO COVER Fridays and Saturdays



As always, Hank's Pub is proud to sponsor The Dayton Darting Association.

2529 Patterson Road, Kettering OH 45420 937.254.7527

KATZ

Lounge

Katz is a fun, casual place to enjoy watching sports, play darts or pool, listen and dance to Dayton's finest live music, or just kick back and relax with a drink.

We have dart leagues every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday night. If you're interested in joining a Katz team, stop in and ask any bartender or waitress!

UPCOMING LIVE MUSIC

- May 1 Windfall
- May 2 5 Story Plunge
- May 8 Shadowlife
- May 9 Spungewurthy
- May 15 Four Gone Bizzare
- May 16 Funky G & The Groove Machine
- May 22 Last Call
- May 23 Soulcasters
- May 29 Uncle Rico
- May 30 Disconnected
- June 5 The Difference
- June 6 Breckenridge
- June 12 Dirtybone
- June 13 Rattlecan
- June 19 Spungewurthy
- June 20 5 Story Plunge
- June 26 Future Site
- June 27 Shadowlife

*Schedule subject to change.
For latest info call 294-9554.*

Katz Lounge

1221 East Stroop Road,
Kettering, Ohio
937-294-9554
Mon – Sat 11:00am –
2:30am [Closed Sundays]



HUNGRY? KD's Kettering BBQ is next door

Monday-Saturday 11am-10pm [Closed Sunday]

DEAD

1048 Patterson Rd, Dayton, OH 45420

294-2382 (phn) 294-2383 (fax)

M-F 10-7:30

Sat 10-5:00



We are in the Breitenstrater Square plaza
... between Family Dollar &
Cold Beer & Cheeseburgers



Our economic stimulus...
25% off all Darts
until further notice



Shirt Specials...

6 embroidered pocket T-shirts \$60 total

6 embroidered pocket polos \$100 total

*sizes SM to XL...call for details

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