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The "I Love People Who Wait For The One Time Out Of Fifty That Proves They Were Right" Edition

A COUPLE LEAGUE RULES ADDED/UPDATED...

Two sections in the official league rules (a copy of which were distributed with the week 1 packets, as per usual) have been updated. One of them is only important for setting up dart areas in your establishment, but the other is immediately important for the flow of weekly matches.

Board setup requirements

As noted on pages 10/11 of the league rules, there are now new setup requirements for when an establishment is including more than two boards. (Do note that current host setups are grandfathered in, but new hosts will need to consult the new rule.)

Time limit for between-sets listing and getting ready to play

You know how I've posted several times over the years that there is no such thing as a team smoke break in the RDL? And how I say that disappearing between sets to go hang out at the bar or just wander and socialize is disrespectful to your opponents? Well, now you have exactly 10 minutes from the last dart of one set to list, match up sheets with the opposition, and be ready to play the next set (see page 5.)

A LIST OF RECENT IMPORTANT REMIINDERS

FAILURE TO INCLUDE "BLOCKER" NAMES

In games with a shorthanded team (and thus, one or more "blockers"), failure to list the names of all competitors in those games will bear a consequence for BOTH teams. If the submitted scoresheet is missing names, BOTH teams will receive a 5-point penalty.

RESCHEDULING? MAKE SURE I KNOW ABOUT IT

Failure to notify the statistician of a rescheduled match in the proper timeframe is now a 16-point penalty for each team.

FORFEIT ETIQUETTE

If you ever know that your team is going to miss a match, do us all an easy favor and call the opposing captain AND the host establishment (please!). Thank you very much.

THROWING AFTER BUSTING IS ILLEGAL PRACTICE Continuing to throw darts after clearly busting your turn is now officially against RDL rules. Obviously, hitting a wire and not realizing a dart was in, etc., changes the situation. But continuing to chuck away will be deemed unsportsmanlike conduct and is subject to the ladder of warnings/penalties that can come with those issues.

WHAT SCOREKEEPERS CAN SAY DURING CRICKET

It is now official RDL policy that during cricket, the scorekeeper may only tell the thrower how many of each number has been hit during this turn, and may not report any more of the situation (whether a number is now closed, new point total, points still needed, etc.).

PLAYING THE WRONG OPPONENT

Rather than paraphrasing what happens when people don't pay attention and go to the line and play the wrong person, I'm pretty sure this one is just easier if I copy the rule here: "f) If a player plays a game on the wrong board (resulting in playing the incorrect opponent) regardless of when the error is discovered, if the entire match is not complete and the scoresheet signed, the game must be replayed. No statistics from the incorrectly played game are valid. If both players play on the "wrong" board but are playing the correct opponent, no action will be taken."

EARBUD/HEADPHONE USAGE AT MATCHES

This one still pops up now and then, but the ruling was made seasons ago... As of Fall 2017: players can wear earbuds/ headphones during a match, while scorekeepers can not. Hilarious that the second part of that sentence even needs typing.

DARTCONNECT USAGE AT MATCHES

Please note the recent league rules pertaining to using DartConnect devices to keep score. They include what is/isn't allowed, and what it takes to "agree" to use the device. Find them in these sections:

MATCHES.F.1 [page 5 of 12 in the rules], and MATCHES.F.4.b.5 [page 6 of 12 in the rules]

HANDLE BUSINESS BEFORE TUESDAY NIGHT...

If you want to add a player(s) to your roster, they cannot play until they are approved and their dues are paid. And those additions and/or changes must be COMPLETED by 9 pm Tuesday each week. The Membership Director and Treasurer both have their matches to play each week, so all roster changes must finish by the day prior.

SCORESHEETS

You have 3 copies in your team packet. Clearly, you'll need to make some copies for the remainder of the season. Don't forget.

SCORESHEET RETURN DEADLINE

The weekly deadline for submission of your scoresheets is no longer the end of Saturday. The new deadline as of the Fall 2017 season is 11:59 p.m. Friday (unless you had a rescheduled match - then it's within two days of whatever day you played).

1001 PARTICIPANT LISTING IS MANDATORY

Inclusion of the player names for all 1001 participants for BOTH teams on the scoresheet is mandatory! Failure to include those names will incur a penalty equal to a late scoresheet mailing penalty. There is even a box on the front of the scoresheet for names!

ROSTER UPDATES AND SPELLING

Please note: rosters provided in this preseason packet include only players added prior to Jan. 12th. Later additions will appear on the team statistics pages beginning in week 2. Also, please check the spellings and phone numbers from your roster listing - note any changes on your scoresheet or send me an email.

HOSTING TOURNAMENT MATCHES

It is the responsibility of the CAPTAINS (not the RDL board) to ensure their host bars are informed of the tournament schedule when it is released around week 13. A recent rule provision allows host bars to opt out of the tournament rotation, if they want to be done with darts after the regular season. However, they must notify the membership director by week 5, if that is the case.

TWO PEOPLE WITH THE SAME FIRST NAME?

Please, please, please indicate which played. EVERY set, please.

THE TREASURER WILL NOT ACCEPT CASH FOR REGISTRATION, NEWSLETTER, ETC.! BRING A CHECK! AND DO NOT BOUNCE A CHECK TO RDL - THAT WILL COST YOU AN EXTRA \$20!

		DIVISIONA	L TEA	M ST	ANDIN	GS FOR WEEK 1	(1/22/25) (NO MATCHES PL	AYED YET		
_			W	L	<u>Pts.</u>	(Home) Teams		d second in each match.) <u>301</u> <u>SCkt DCkt 501</u>	1001 ASPs	Short- handed?	Penalties
	1	Bully for the Element	0	0	0	Consistent	0	<u></u>			-
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ivi	4	Dart Attack	0	0	ů 0	Talladega	Ő		-	-	-
1	5	Show Me Your Tips	0	0	0	Dart Attack	0		-	-	-
<u>r</u>	6	Darty Minds	0	0	0	Darty Minds	0		-	-	-
	7	Inconsistently Consistent	0	0	0	Element	-	(BYE)		-	-
	1	Why So Serious?	0	0	0	Mafia	0		-	-	-
n	2	Double In Stumble Out	0	0	0	Serious?	0		-	-	-
"B" Division	3	Kids Mis-B-having	0	0	0	Stumble Out	0		-	If a change i	s required in
Divi	4	Hump Day!	0	0	0	Raging	0		-		spelling of
[]	5	Raging Bulls	0	0	0	Outlaws	0		_		name, shoot
<u> </u>	6	The Outlaws	0	0	0	Hump Day!	0		-	me an em	ail or text.
	7	Mulligan's Mafia	0	0	0	Kids	-	(BYE)	-	-	-
	1	Shooter McGavin	0	0	0	McGavin	0		-	-	-
n	2	Darty Little Secrets	0	0	0	Wing	0		-	-	-
"C" Division	3	Village Idiots	0	0	0	Secrets	0				_
Div	4	One Armed Bandits	0	0	0	Rif Raf	0		-	-	-
	5	Nine Lives	0	0	0	Nine Lives	0		-	_	_
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	7	Rif Raf	0	0	0	Bandits	-	(BYE)		-	-
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~1	2	Darty Sanchez	0	0	0	Off Constantly	0		-	-	-
ior	3	Menace 2 Sobriety	0	0	0	Dirty Darts	0		-	If a change i	s required in
"D" Division	4	Red-eye Rangers	0	0	0	Sanchez	0		-	the form or	spelling of
¹	5	Liquor Possee	0	0	0	Menace	0		-	your team	name, shoot
Ū,	6	One Dart Wonders	0	0	0	One Dart	0		-	me an em	ail or text.
•	7	Dirty Darts Done Dirt Cheap	0	0	0	Rangers	0		-	-	-
	8	Irish Ton	0	0	0	Possee	0		-	-	-
	1	Bangin The Wire	0	0	0	Bangin	0		-	-	-
2	2	Ton 80 Proof	0	0	0	Waddle	0		-	-	-
ivision	3	Rippin Darts	0	0	0	Bottoms Up	0		-	-	-
ivi	4	Runs with Corks	0	0	0	Ton 80 Proof	0		-	-	-
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"E	6	Sharky's Machine	0	0	0	Machine	0		-	-	-
	7	Bottoms Up	0	0	0	Cheap Shots	0		-	-	-
	8	Waddle In, Waddle Out	0	0	0	Corks	0		-	-	-
	1	Death Throw	0	0	0	Death Throw	0		-	-	-
2	2	She-nanigans	0	0	0	Dartifacts	0		-	-	-
sio	3	That's What She Said	0	0	0	She-nanigans	0		-	-	s required in
"F" Division	4	Sofa Kings	0	0	0	Dart Knights	0		-		spelling of
1	5	Shark Shooters	0	0	0	Nein Mark	0		-		name, shoot
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ion	2	Flight Club	0	0	0	Salute	0		-	-	-
vis	3	Heart of Dartness	0	0	0	Flight Club	0		-	-	-
ã	4	We're Sexy & We Throw It	0	0	0	Bright side	0		-	-	-
"G" Division	5	21 Dart Salute	0	0	0	Throws Dartness	0		-	-	-
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WHERE WE PLAY

WHERE WE PLAY	-
American Legion Fuquay-Varina	919-557-5990
6400 Johnson Pond Road	Fuquay-Varina
-about 0.2 miles from Fuquay Elementary S	School
Back Then Bar & Grill	984-333-0047
107 Edinburgh South Drive	Cary
-in MacGregor Village	
Backstage Pub	919-859-5411
401 Ashville Avenue	Cary
	Cary
-behind Jiffy Lube right off Tryon Road	984-333-0101
Benny's Billiards	
932 NE Maynard Road	Cary
-in Reedy Creek Square, at opposite end fro	
Brass Tap & Billiards	919-876-2382
3316 Capital Boulevard	north Raleigh
-in Starmount shopping center	
Break Time Billiards	919-615-0107
6442 Tryon Road	Cary
-left of Lowe's Foods, at inter. w/ Cary Parl	
Cleveland Draft House - FuqVar.	919-659-5500
1420 E. Broad Street	Fuquay-Varina
-near intersection of N Main/401/42 and Su	
Cleveland Draft House - Garner	919-771-2337
6101 NC Highway 42 West	Garner
	Gamer
-0.7 mile west of I-40 on NC Highway 42	010 205 0000
Gatsby's Bar	919-307-8000
6019 Maddry Oaks Court	Raleigh
-near intersection with Old Wake Forest Ro	
High Park Bar & Grille	919-833-4527
625 E. Whitaker Mill Road	Raleigh
-near intersection of Whitaker Mill & Wake	
Hot Shots Billiards & Pub	919-460-6307
107 Edinburgh South Drive	Cary
-in MacGregor Village	-
The London Bridge Pub	919-838-6633
110 East Hargett Street	Raleigh
-near the corner of Hargett and Wilmington	-
Lonerider Wake Forest	919-453-5977
1839 South Main Street, Suite 600	Wake Forest
-next to the Polar Ice skating rinks	ti une i crest
Mackey's Pub	919-435-6018
2101 South Main Street	Wake Forest
	wake rolest
-right next to Asuka Asian Bistro	
Mac's Tavern	919-467-4114
1014 Ryan Road	Cary
-in Village Market Shopping Center	
Mulligans Arcade and Tavern	919-307-3245
176 Bratton Drive	Garner
-near Highway 55 Burgers, near inter. of N	C-42 & I-40
Natural Science	919-615-2444
2409 Crabtree Boulevard	Raleigh
-in Gateway Plaza, down the alley behind M	-
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WHO ARE THOSE GUYS?

Many teams just keep their same team name season after season (or an obvious close relative to that name), but not all. For the most part, the same teams change names each season. Anyway, what follows is a list of this season's new names: A1/ Bully for the Element . . . was. . . Brave the Elements A2/ Fringe Prime . . . was. . . Lunatic Fringe A7/ Inconsistently Consistent . . . was. . . Consistently Inconsistent B3/ Kids Mis-B-having . . . was. . . Kilts In The Hall B5/ Raging Bulls . . . was. . . Raging Bulls Eyes C2/ Darty Little Secrets . . . was. . . Put It On Sam's Brother's Tab D6/ One Dart Wonders . . . was. . . Dart Side of the Moon E8/ Waddle In, Waddle Out . . . was. . . Duck Duck Groove G1/ Flight Risks . . . was. . . Coach's Into Enva G2/ Flight Club . . . was. . . (sort of) I Got Your 6 New teams: G7/ Game of Throws. BEST NEW TEAM NAMES THIS SEASON Ok, 11 new team names this season. Not a huge number, but it will do. To be honest though, one is yet again just a flipback to a team's prior style of the same name, one is a very minor alteration, and three are "new to this team" but are re-uses of prior names. Anyway, let's see what we've got... ... let's start with two clarifications for those that have been around a while. The squad named Game of Throws is not the return of the 2016-2020 Eric Bordeau/Chris Montesi squad; this is a fully new team. Also, Flight Club is not the return of the 2015-2016 Eric Bordeau/Chris Montesi squad. Eric & Chris were on fire... ... next clarification is that Flight Risks is not the return of the 2011 Tina Boutieller teams. Good name though, just a re-used one.

... then comes the one that just flat out stunned me... Fringe Prime. I'm fairly sure that Lunatic Fringe was one of only two teams that had had the same name every single season since before I arrived here 30 years ago. And now I believe Nine Lives (the league's longest-existing team) stands alone on this too.

... the great word play that brought back in the word from their name last season that they didn't use then... Kids Mis-B-having.

... the one that keeps impressing me with continual new versions of their own seasonal name identity... Waddle In, Waddle Out.

... My personal runner-up, with a great music nod that applies so very well to our own hobby confidences... One Dart Wonders.
... And my personal favorite, nicely combining a music reference with a great dart match rendezvous wink... Darty Little Secrets.

THIS SEASON'S HOME BARS

It was very sad losing one of our sorta-cornerstone establishments last season, but we have made up for it by the addition of several new places! Those new additions have bucked up our total by two, bringing us up to a total of 23 establishments this season. Out from last season (1): Brewster's Pub New this season (3): Backstage Pub, Cleveland Draft House - Fuquay-Varina, Walley's Tavern

Snooker's-RW	919-828-7665
3520 Wade Avenue	NW Raleigh
-in Ridgewood Shopping Center	
The Upper Deck	919-460-1786
329 N. Harrison Avenue	Cary
-near intersection. of N. Harrison & Highway 54	
Walley's Tavern	919-910-4075
1110 Kentworth Drive	Holly Springs
-off NC-55, half a mile from S. Main Street	

RDL WEBSITE - www.raleighdartleague.org

Webmaster: Matt Ridgway (of Kids Mis-B-having) contact him, if needed, at: meridgway84@gmail.com

HOW TO REACH US

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Email scoresheets:	jdkilts@yahoo.comor	jdkilts@gmail.com
Or text scoresheets:	919-423-5766 - and w	ve also always
recommend	watching for confirmat	ion of receipt!
(in response to ei	ther emailed or texted s	scoresheet images!)
Roster Addition/Cha	nge Requests (and also	o scheduling
issues): Member	ship Director Heather I	Bohanan
New Member/Regist	ration Fees: Treasure	er Taylor Caldwell
Nomination and Ele	ction Ballots: Secreta	ry Andrew Borgna
	nts/Rules Suggestions:	
Grievances Direct		
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"HOT DARTS" LISTING GUIDELINES

Here are the guidelines that will be used for the minimum number of all-star points each week for the "hot darts" page. "A" Div. = 4.5 or more ASPs; "B" Div. = 4.0 or more ASPs

"C, D" Divisions = 3.5 or more ASPs

"E, F" Divs. = 3.0 or more ASPs; "G" = 2.5 or more ASPs Also, we will list any fast games, high ins, high outs, or other amazing feats that you think warrant a little recognition (e.g., Ins & Outs higher than a Ton, 24-dart cricket games, 15-dart 301s, 24-dart 501s, Ton-70s and up, 5-Bulls+, etc.).

Extra note: it's also ok to call in "fast games" in each set, even if they don't necessarily meet the maximum dart counts above.

SEASON-LONG TROPHY DART MINIMUM GAMES PLAYED REQUIREMENTS

To be eligible for all-star point ave. & singles win %-age awards, you must play at least 66% of this season's projected games: for Divisions "A", "B", "C" and "G" (7 teams / division): Singles win %-age: min. of 16 Singles Games Played All-star pt. Average: min. of 32 Total Games Played

for Divisions "D", "E" and "F" (8 teams / division):

Singles win %-age: min. of 19 Singles Games Played

All-star pt. Average: min. of 37 Total Games Played

PENALTY LOG

	CALENDAR OF EVENTS
Jan. 24-26	Fire on the Mountain, Asheville (ADO)
oun: 21 20	\$10,000+ (site of USSDA 501 Natl. Champion.)
Sat., Feb. 1	NC City Dart League & NC Ladies' Cup
,	y@Ral, Boone@CapArea, WakeF@Jack, Dur@
	hHill, Pied@Char, Pine@LakeN, (Bye - G'boro)
•	<u>C:</u> PCity@Apex, Jack@FuqVar, Dur@SneadsF,
	Pied@Char, (Byes - CapArea, G'boro, Pine, Ashe)
Feb. 8-9	The Carolina Open , \$6000+ (estimated, not
10000	guaranteed), long format singles, Lowcountry
	Fleet Reserve, 99 Wisteria Rd, Goose Creek, SC
Feb. 21-23	Crystal Coast Shootout (ADO), \$10,780+
10012120	The DoubleTree by Hilton, Atlantic Beach
Mon., Feb. 24	Spring 2025 - 5th week captains' mtg.; Upper
	. Deck; end of roster additions/replacements;
, 0.00 p.m.	this is also the night of the RDL Board mtg.
Sat., Mar. 8	NCCDL/NCLC match weekend
Mar. 20-23	38th Virginia Beach Dart Classic, (ADO &
	WDF) \$40000; Wyndham VaBeach Oceanfron
Mon., Apr. 7	RDL Board Meeting
Sat., Apr. 19	NCCDL/NCLC match weekend
Sat., May 3	NCCDL/NCLC match weekend
Mon., May 5	RDL Board Meeting
), May 7/14 - Spring 2025 RDL Div. Tourns.
Sat., May 17	Spring 2025 - Season Banquet, location TBD
Mon., June 2	RDL Board Meeting
	Fall 2025 - RDL registration, location TBD
	Fall 2025 RDL Preseason Captains' Mtg.
Wed., Aug. 13	3 Fall 2025 first night of match play
Other Level V	Vachty Lagrang
-	<u>Veekly Leagues</u>
Tuesdays	Bull City Dart League, Durham
T 1 0	http://www.thebcdl.org/
-	? Pro-Development Singles Lg., Upper Deck
Thursdays	Triangle Dart League, Chapel Hill
	https://www.ibiblio.org/ncdarts/tdl/
	American Dart League, all over the place
someday?	Wake Forest Area Dart League, Wake Forest
https	s://www.facebook.com/groups/326939964601080/
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<u>Weekly Blind Draws</u> - Over the years, many blind draws have come and gone. If any of these folds or if any others start up, please let me know and I'll update this list. Thanks. (this one is double elim., \$5 entry, bar matches the pot... extra \$50 if there are 32+ players, plus a triple shot !)

Extra \$50 ff incre are \$2 + players , plus a triple shot !)Fri., 8 pmUpper Deck, 919-460-1786, 329 N.Harrison(2nd and 4th Fridays each month, double elim., \$10 entry)

Fri., 6:30 pm Cleveland Draft House, 1420 E Broad St, F-V

(\$10 entry, plus a triple shot and a 50/50 drawing) Sat., 12:30 pm Back Then Bar & Grill, 984-333-0047,

107 Edinburgh S Dr, Cary; MacGregor Villagε

(this one is \$5 entry, bar matches <u>150% if 16+ players</u> !)

Sun., 6 pm Sharky's Place, 919-783-5448, 5800 Duraleigh

(this one is double elim., \$5 entry, bar matches the pot... and this entire draw is nothing but <u>no-point cricket</u> !!)
Mon., 6:45 pm Walley's Tavern, 919-910-4075, 1110 Kentworth Drive, Holly Springs

The penalty log returns this season in the same form it has had for years. I will list all of the penalties assessed right here, so that anyone who thinks the point math is incorrect can just check here to see who lost what when.

For those of you who missed the Fall Banquet, you missed the tournament results and may have even missed the final regular season results. What follows here on page 5, and also on pages 6-8, are the final Fall divisional standings, tournament results, tournament perfect throws, and the season-long individual awards. One last chance to relive the glory...

Just for kicks, I've included a symbol for the one penalty "earned" last season too...

FINAL !! DIVISIONAL TEAM STANDINGS FOR THE FALL 2024 RDL SEASON

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She-nanigans

		W	\mathbf{L}	Pts.
	<u>"A" Divi</u>	ision		
\$	Brave the Elements	d 12	0	213
6	Lunatic Fringe	8	4	155
3	Talledega Flights	7	5	159
4	Dart Attack	6	6	155
5	Show Me Your Tips	6	6	151
Ŷ	Why So Serious?	3	9	94
Ş	Double In Stumble Out	0	12	62
	<u>"B" Divi</u>	i <u>sion</u>		
\$	Darty Minds	d 12	0	191
6	Consistently Inconsistent	7	5	162
3	Kilts In The Hall	7	5	154
4	Hump Day!	7	5	145
5	Raging Bulls Eyes	6	6	145
Ŷ	Shooter McGavin	2	10	99
Ş	Put It On Sam's Brother's	Tab 1	11	96
	<u>"C" Divi</u>			
\$	The Outlaws	9	3	156
\$	Mulligan's Mafia	8	4	166
3	Village Idiots	7	5	140
4	One Armed Bandits	6	6	130
5	Nine Lives	5	7	140
Ţ	Off Constantly-Reboot	4	8	131
Ŷ	Darty Sanchez	3	9	122
	LEGEND OF SYMBC	DLS IN STAN	DINGS	

d = regular season division champion
s = clinched "top-two" finish in division

♥ = clinched "bottom-two" finish
☎ = reschedule notification penalty (5 pts.)
∞ = scoresheet turn-in penalty (16 pts.)
۩ = habitual turn-in penalty (16 pts., match loss)
∞ = failure to indicate 1001 participants (16 pts.)
● = preseason captains' meeting penalty (5 pts.)
ℕ = fifth week captains' meeting penalty (5 pts.)
⊗ = ineligible player (match win, all pts. & statistics)
⊗ = removed from play due to three match forfeits (forfeit of all remaining matches)

		W	L	<u>Pts.</u>
	<u>"D" Division</u>			
\$	Wing & A Plaque	14	0	226
\$	Rif Raf	10	4	178
3	Menace 2 Sobriety	7	7	174
4	Red-eye Rangers	7	7	152
5	Liquor Possee	6	8	142
6	Dart Side of the Moon	5	9	153
Ţ	Irish Ton	4	10	161
Ŷ	Ton 80 Proof	3	11	149
	<u>"E" Division</u>			
6	Dirty Darts Done Dirt Cheap	13	1	225
6	Bangin The Wire	9	5	180
3	Rippin Darts	9	5	170
4	Runs with Corks	7	7	160
5	Cheap Shots	6	8	167
6	Sharky's Machine	5	9	155
Ş	Death Throw	4	10	146

	<u>"F" D</u>	ivision			
\$	Bottoms Up	ø	12	2	196
6	Duck Duck Groove		11	3	199
3	That's What She Said		9	5	178
4	Sofa Kings		8	6	167
5	Shark Shooters		6	8	150
6	Armed & Hammered		5	9	155
Ţ	Nein Mark		4	10	161
Ţ	Coach's Into Enya		1	13	123

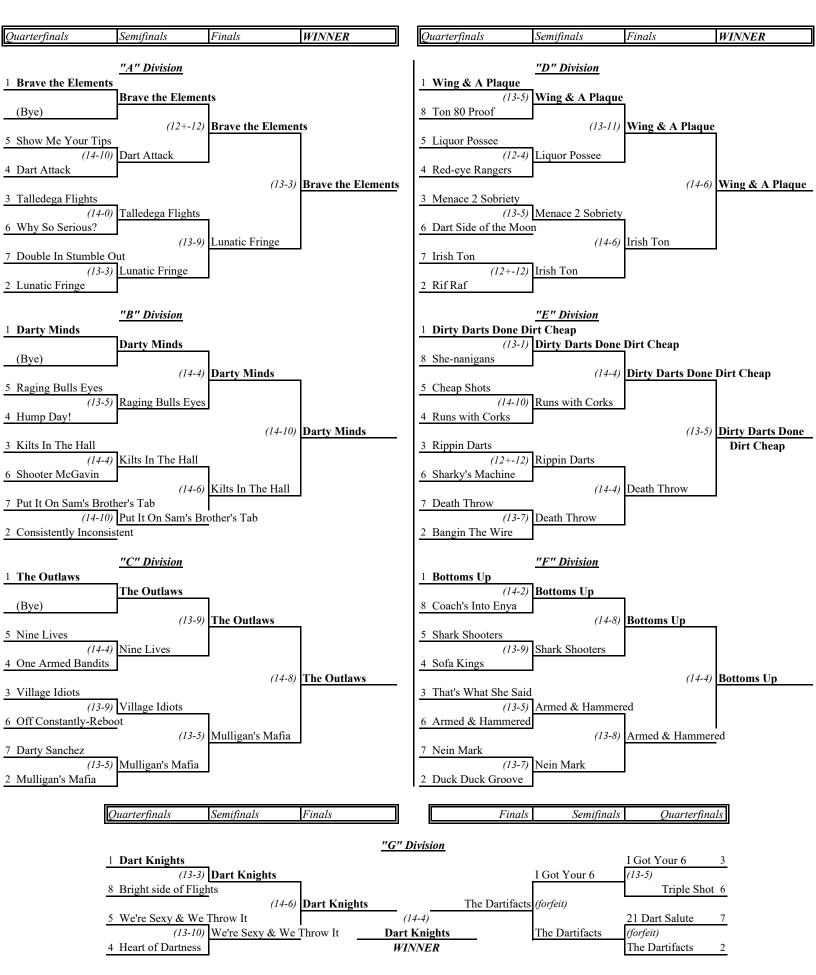
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	<u>"G" Division</u>			
6	Dart Knights 🛛 🖉	11	3	205
6	The Dartifacts 🛛 🕞	11	3	180
3	I Got Your 6	9	5	200
4	Heart of Dartness	9	5	182
5	We're Sexy & We Throw It	6	8	164
6	Triple Shot	4	10	124
9	21 Dart Salute	3	11	128
Ş	Bright side of Flights	3	11	125

FALL 2024 RDL DIVISIONAL TOURNAMENT RESULTS



				FALL 2024 TOUR	NAMENT!!! TROP	HY DART AWARI	DS		
<u>9 Marks</u>				Stevie Phillips (Bra	ave the Elements, 12/	(4)	Ton-80s		
Patrick Merkle (2) (Kilts In The Hall, 11/2	20, 12/4)		Chad Clark (Dirty	Darts Done Dirt Che	ap, 12/11)	Ken Trefzger (One	Armed Bandits, 11/20)	
Dan Butterworth (I	rish Ton, 11/20)			Chad Massengill (I	Brave the Elements, 1	12/11)	Brian Coleman (Lie	quor Possee, 12/4)	
Mike Jones (Dart A	Attack, 11/20)						Tim Mozzetti (Lun	atic Fringe, 12/4)	
Sid Mitchell (Luna	tic Fringe, 11/20)			6-Bulls			Joe Thomas (Wing	& A Plaque, 12/4)	
Dylan Musil (Dart	Side of the Moon, 11/2	20)		(none reported)			Will Bennett (Kilts	In The Hall, 12/11)	
Mike Robinson (Da	arty Sanchez, 11/20)			Ton-70-Ins and	l Outs		Brian Oulette (Win	g & A Plaque, 12/11)	
Spencer Rogers (M	lenace 2 Sobriety, 11/2	20)		(none reported)					
Matt Wilson (Put I	t on Sam's Brother's Ta	ab, 11/20)							
Tony Horton (Dart	y Minds, 12/4)							t games, high ins and hig	
Jimmie Jones (Lun	atic Fringe, 12/4)				tournam	ient do not win awa	urds unless they are pe	erfect shots (170s) or gai	nes.
			TOU	RNAMENT HOT		o award but they			
Ross Minty	Brave the Elements			Jimmie Jones	Lunatic Fringe	120-In	Jack Gibson	Nine Lives	12-dart 301
	(triple and two			Carson Stoy	Dart Attack	151-Out	Robbie Phillips	Brave the Elements	
Brian Whitley	Nein Mark	8m		Jack Gibson	Nine Lives	121-Out		10-dart 301 & 12-da	art 301 (same set)
Stevie Phillips	Brave the Elements	5-Bulls		Alan Chalmers	Dart Attack	104-Out	Chad Massengill &		
Chad Massengill	Brave the Elements	160-In		Adam Barnes	Liquor Possee	8-dart 301	Allen Smith	Brave the Elements	17-dart DCkt
Jack Gibson	Nine Lives	134-In		Jerrell Swepson	Dart Knights	9-dart 301			
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			77 1		ULAR SEASON PI				
<u>9-Marks</u>		20.11/0	2	Gaulthier (Talladeg	,		ace 2 Sobriety, 9/4)	Dave Finney (Lunatic F	0, ,
	stently Inconsistent, 8/2			Heath (Nein Mark,		Sal Reitano (Dart	, , ,	Kyle Gaulthier (Tallade	0 0 , ,
	hark Shooters, 9/4, 9/2			Johnson (Menace 2		````	Ton 80 Proof, 10/23)	Lincoln Havens (So S	
	Dart Salute, 8/21, 9/2	/		nie Jones (Lunatic F	0	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Part Side, 10/16)	Simon Healy (Shark Sh	. ,
	constantly-Reboot, 10/9 arty Minds, 9/4, 10/16			e Jones (Dart Attack Knott (Shooter Mc	, ,	Carson Stoy (Dar	poter McGavin, 8/14)	Dennis Horger (Rif Rat Grey Jones (Talladega I	. ,
•	(Brave the Elements, 9	/	•	Lefebvre (Dart Knig	. ,	• (ooter McGavin, 9/4)	Mike Jones (Dart Attac	0 /
1 ()	Brave the Elements, 9/4			· · · ·	the Elements, 9/11)	· · · · ·	rother's Tab, 10/16)	Chad Massengill (El	
1 \ / \	(Show Me Your Tips,			e Massey (The Darti		Ton-80s	Totile1 \$ 140, 10/10)	Kevin Olson (Off Cons	
Randy Baldwin (Hu	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	,8/28,10/10)		den May (I Got You		Chad Clark (2) (E)irty Darts Done	Sean Roseman (Dart Si	
Pat Ball (Irish Ton,	1			Aitchell (Lunatic Fri	. ,		irt Cheap, 8/14, 9/25)	Somchai Samaluk (Duc	
	hy So Serious?, 9/25)			s Moody (Runs with	0		Lunatic Fringe, 10/9)	Carson Stoy (Dart Atta	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	istently Inconsistent, 1(0/16)		Oakley (Hump Day			-eye Rangers, 8/28)	Jeff Watson, Jr. (In T	. ,
Kris Fischlein (Tall	•		•	d Piquet (Rif Raf, 9			Show Me 10/16)	6-Bulls	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(Ton 80 Proof, 10/16))		Powell (Red-eye R	/	Tim Bunn (Hump		(none reported)	

FALL 2024 REGULAR SEASON DIVISIONAL TROPHY DART AWARDS									
	A division	B division	C division	D division	E division	F division	G division		
High In	Ton-60 (8/21/24)	Ton-52 (8/28/24)	Ton-20	Ton-52 (8/21/24)	Ton-36 (9/25/24)	Ton-20 (8/21/24)	Ton-14 (10/23/24)		
(301 first turn	Robbie Phillips	Matt Palmer	Mike Robinson	Dennis Baker	Chris Moody	John Heath	Leah Riddell		
only!!)	Brave the Elements	Consistently	Sanchez (10/30)	Menace 2 Sobriety	Runs with Corks	Nein Mark	We're Sexy &		
•		Inconsistent	Dennis Fitzgerald				We Throw It		
			Nine Lives (11/6)						
High Out	Ton-35 (9/4/24)	Ton-61 (9/11/24)	Ton-41 (9/18/24)	Ton-01 (10/2/24)	Ton-11 (10/2/24)	Ton-24 (9/11/24)	Ton-03 (10/23/24)		
(301/501/	Ross Minty	Sal Reitano	Kevin Olson	James Gartland	Dave Buckman	Taylor Caldwell	Beth Freeman		
1001)	Brave the Elements	Darty Minds	Off Constantly	Menace 2 Sobriety	Cheap Shots	What She Said	21 Dart Salute		
Fast	10 darts	10 darts (11/6/24)	12 darts	11 darts (9/25/24)	10 darts (10/9/24)	11 darts (8/14/24)	12 darts		
Singles	Kyle Gaulthier	Matt Byrne	Chris Collier	Tommy Beaird	Pete Borgia	Shane Rawlings	Jerrell Swepson		
301	Talladega (8/14)	Consistently	Sanchez (10/23)	Wing & A Plaque	Sharky's Machine	Duck Duck Groove	Dart Knights(10/2)		
	Jimmie Jones	Inconsistent	Josh Hansen				Beth Freeman		
	Lunatic Fringe		One Armed				Salute (10/23)		
	(twice - 8/28, 9/4)		Bandits (10/30)				Kyle Jenkins		
	Robbie Phillips						Throw It (10/23)		
	Elements (9/18)								
Fast	14 darts (10/30/24)	21 darts (10/2/24)	27 darts (10/2/24)	18 darts (8/14/24)	()	21 darts (10/16/24)	(/		
Singles	Robbie Phillips	Kenn Gardner	Matt Ondek	Gustavo Martinez	Chad Clark	Simon Healy	Terron Amos		
Cricket	Brave the Elements	Kilts In The Hall	Mulligan's Mafia	Liquor Possee	Dirty Darts	Shark Shooters	Dart Knights		
Fast	19 darts (9/4/24)	16 darts (10/16/24)	20 darts (9/4/24)	20 darts (10/16/24)	27 darts (9/4/24)	26 darts (8/14/24)	28 darts (11/6/24)		
Doubles	Mike Cole &	Tony Horton	Sean Maierhofer	Dennis Horger	Will Alexander	Mike Raquet &	Brian Furdon &		
Cricket	Scott Page	& Sal Reitano	& Mike Robinson	& Ed Williams	& Chris Mincey	Barry Thompson	Chelsea Furdon		
	Why So Serious?	Darty Minds	Darty Sanchez	Rif Raf	Bangin The Wire	What She Said	Heart of Dartness		
Fast	14 darts	15 darts (11/6/24)	20 darts (10/9/24)	20 darts	20 darts (10/2/24)	23 darts	19 darts (8/28/24)		
Doubles	Jimmie Jones	Matt Byrne	Randy Lueneburg		Andy Bowen &	David Evans &	Terron Amos &		
501	& Sid Mitchell	& Ed Grubb	& Lou Tufillaro	Brian Coleman	Chris Mincey	Aaron Tschetter	Tony Thomas		
	Fringe (11/6)	Consistently	Off Constantly-	Liquor Possee (9/4)	Bangin The Wire	Bottoms Up (11/6)	Dart Knights		
	Mike Jones	Inconsistent	Reboot	George Guenther		Rob Ehrmann &			
	& Zeek Lea Dart Attack (11/13)			& Mike Lamb		Brent Fishbeck Armed &			
	Dart Attack (11/13)			Wing & A (10/9) Dennis Horger		Hammered (11/13)			
				& Ed Williams					
				Rif Raf (10/16)					
				Dan Butterworth					
				& Mark Rossbach					

SEASON-LONG PREDICTIONS

JK's Standard Disclaimer: Rosters will change multiple times after I've written this, but that's out of my control. So, I go forward with some guesses every season. I could say nothing and let you wonder how ridiculously little I know about our talent levels, or I could do this, and remove all doubt. Wouldn't want to leave you wondering, right? (And yes, I get the schedules from Membership Director Heather Bohanan early enough to do separate week 1 picks nowadays, but you can probably glean most of those from this column...)

"A" Division: A lot of teams in a lot of divisions are more static than usual this season. But not Show Me Your Tips here in A! Show Me added not just Scott Page, but also Will Bennett!! That is how you do it... Add in the absence of Jimmie Jones from Fringe this season, and the already-pretty-tight #2-#5 pack here in A just got a heck of a lot tighter. Or... did it maybe spread out a little bit?! Hmmm... In the end, I of course have to take my Element guys at the top, and I'm going to keep the Fringe in 2nd until somebody proves they can pass them. Due to what I expect is a much more dependable attendance, I'm going to slot Show Me in ahead of Talladega, with Dart Attack just about one slim game behind. Which leaves a super talented Darty squad in 6th somehow, outpacing their Consistent compadres up from B. "B" Division: And it's here than the huge gains for Show Me in A are felt, as bot Serious and the Kids took huge blows, losing Page and Bennett, respectively. Those changes leave this as one of the toughest calls on the page here. I'm going to hope that Stumble Out gets the spine to just list Eastmead and Butters 3-4 times each every week, and based on that, I'll take them to claim the top spot. If Vic White is actually playing, I'll take Serious next, followed by Hump Day. The Kids outduel The Outlaws and Raging for 4th, which means I'm putting the Mafia in last place, which I think is super unlikely, so I'm now questioning all the other picks. Well, hell, I was questioning everything in this division from the start. So... yeah. "C" Division: Another race where I think an attendance change could drive th eventual victory. I wish I could say I had enough faith to make the pick I want to make, but... I don't. Thus, I'm going to go with something that hasn't happened in C in a little while, I think. I'm going to say that a team that just won the division below is now going to win C like they're just passing through. Which means I'm on the Wing & A Plaque train! They will be followed by the team I wish I trusted to attend fully and regularly, my Darty Little Secrets. The Village Idiots (who I thought might win C for a while last season) will be next, followed by Shooter McGavin. I then have Rif Raf, Nine Lives, and the Bandits. And it's at this point that I laugh at myself, because the Niners and Bandits don't always win all their matches, but they basically never lose a whole pile of them. Which means I've learned nothing. "D" Division: Is Angelo Azevedo really back? Is he going to play? I really wish I knew, as that might determine my pick here in D-land. Oh, wait... I mean my pick for 2nd place. Because Dirty Darts is only purchasing a single overnight stay here while they await their connecting flight to C in the morning. Heck, I think I would pick them to win C this season. But they aren't in C, so I'm taking Off Constantly to finish 2nd (because Azevedo will play, dangit!). I'm intrigued by the new version of Possee, so I'll slot them third, followed by Menace, Sanchez, and the Rangers. And that leaves Irish Ton and One Dart, which again makes me laugh at myself. Sigh. "E" Division: By the end of last season, Bangin The Wire had really figured out something that was missing at the start of the season. If they can avoid that super slow start, I'm thinking they get it done this season. If they blink though, I think a whole series of teams will be poised to run on by, from Rippin Darts to Bottoms Up to Waddle In to Cheap Shots. Even Ton 80 Proof and the Machine could be poised to race on up. I think this race won't be quite the crazy of drama that B division will be, but I think it has the potential to be the next craziest. (And you'll notice I didn't mention the Corks yet... any time an E team loses both Chris Moody AND Phyllis Sweet, I'm just too sad for them to write too much about them.)

"F" Division: Oh, boy... given the number of rosters here that changed minimally, this set feels like it should be easy. I assure you it is not. Death Throw has recently been able to take out teams that won E and moved on to D, so they clearly know what they're doing, so I guess I'll take them. Maybe we'll go with She Said next, followed by Sofa Kings, Shark Shooters, Dart Knights, and The Dartifacts. Which leaves me with She-nanigans and Nein Mark, and there's no way Leslie Phillips, Gerry Updyke and Brian Whitley all finish in the bottom two here, so my list is dumb. "G" Division: I would love to take the team that is the lineage of I Got Your 6, but Flight Club is basically a new team. Instead, I'm taking Heart of Dartness, who is the one team here in G that really stepped up the roster a bit. Flight Risks and We Throw It will be the top pursuers, with Salute and Bright side close behind. Then I guess we'll go with the two unknowns (who might be awesome for all I know), Game of Throws and Flight Club. Always a crapshoot guess with the new squads.

FALL 2024 SINGLES WIN PERCENTAGE AWARDS

		W	L	%-age	
	"A" Division				
Stevie Phillips	A1/ Brave the Elements	18	2	0.900	
	"B" Division				
Kevin Foushee	B1/ Darty Minds	14	2	0.875	
	"C" Division				
Jeff Rudy	C2/ One Armed Bandits	16	3	0.842	
	"D" Division				
Mike Lamb	D4/ Wing & A Plaque	21	3	0.875	
<u>"E" Division</u>					
Guy Howes	E6/ Dirty Darts Done Dirt Cl	21	2	0.913	
"F" Division					
David Evans	F7/ Bottoms Up	24	3	0.889	
	"G" Division				
Steve Massey	G2/ The Dartifacts	20	2	0.909	
Women's Records					

(# of women by division: A-0, B-5, C-2, D-1, E-17, F-11, G-16)

[There are no women in A division.]

[No women in B, C, D, F and G divisions satisfied both the minimum number of games requirement and the RDL rule requiring a win percentage of 0.500 or higher to claim a singles award.]

	<u>Women - "E" Division</u>			
Olivia Mathews	E2/ Death Throw	14	9	0.609

Oh, we have new goals people... Well, ok, this one has always a goal, but not a very realistic one until recently. <u>FALL 2024 PENALTY SUMMARY</u> In the fall season, we had... ONE penalty. One. A single delayed scoresheet. So close to a blemish-free season. Now if only we could get rid of the friggin' forfeits! We had FIVE matches forfeited last season. At least no team forfeited more than once, I suppose.

FALL 2024 ALL-STAR POINT AVERAGE AWARDS

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		<u>ASPs</u>	TGP	Ave.
	"A" Division			
Robbie Phillips	A1/ Brave the Elements	105.5	42	2.512
	"B" Division			
Kevin Foushee	B1/ Darty Minds	59.5	34	1.750
	"C" Division			
Bryan Hartley	C6/ Village Idiots	46.0	46	1.000
	"D" Division			
Tommy Beaird	D4/ Wing & A Plaque	44.0	46	0.957
	"E" Division			
Guy Howes	E6/ Dirty Darts Done Dirt Cl	49.5	47	1.053
	"F" Division			
Rob Ehrmann	F8/ Armed & Hammered	41.0	48	0.854
	"G" Division			
Jerrell Swepson	G5/ Dart Knights	41.0	55	0.745
	Women's Records			
(# of women by di	vision: A-0, B-5, C-2, D-1, E-	17, F-1	1, G-16)
[There are no won	nen in A division.]			
[No women in D s	atisfied the min. number of gar	nes req	uireme	nt.]
	Women's Records - "B" Divis	sion		
Samantha Wilson	B5/ Put It On Sam's Brother'	6.0	35	0.171
	Women's Records - "C" Divis	sion		
Allyson Blackwelde	er C4/ Off Constantly-Reboot	13.0	40	0.325
	Women's Records - "E" Divis	sion		
Leslie Phillips	E8/ She-nanigans	24.5	47	0.521
	Women's Records - "F" Divis	sion		
Kimberly Ferraro	F4/ Nein Mark	9.0	43	0.209
	Women's Records - "G" Divis	<u>sion</u>		
Jenny Furdon	G8/ Heart of Dartness	22.0	49	0.449

THE PAGE OF INFORMATION THAT I RUN EVERY SEASON...

This is the place where I remind all of you of several things so that you can't say "I didn't know that" later on when you screw up. Sort of takes the blame off me if any of these bad things happen... which I sort of consider to be a good thing...

Some of these things change over the years, some don't... but please read them again. This stuff is really important for the smooth flow of our nights out with our hobby.

COPIES OF COMPLETED SCORESHEETS

Keep a copy - it's as simple as that. I could give you all the reasons why, but I've done that a hundred times. Just **keep a copy of your sheet**, even if you lose, because you just never know when one o them will be lost by the postal service or your opponents. Hey, it has happened in <u>twenty-five of the last forty season</u>...

EMAILED TONS OF NEWSLETTER - UPDATED FA24

We have been emailing the Tons of Newsletter for many years now. And we will, of course, be continuing that this season, in a sense each week, I send a link to the RDL website with a notification that I've posted the new newsletter there. All you need is a relatively recent version of either Microsoft Excel or a PDF Reader like Adobe Acrobat, based on which file version you want to download. Oh, also, you need to not be a whiner, or an ass, or just difficult to like if that's you, you'll just have to keep the checking the website you self, as I will certainly remove you from the weekly reminder list.

Beyond just generally not sucking, you don't need to do anything to stay on the email list if you were already on it, as the list carries over from season to season. If you would like to be removed from the list, simply email me back and let me know. If you weren't on the list and you would like to receive it, just email my address listed on page 4 and I'll add you to the list.

I generally send the notice of a new Tons in the range of Sunday to Tuesday. Sometimes it's earlier, and every so often a super busy week might instead push it back to Wednesday morning... but generally it will come in the Sunday to Tuesday window. [And on a related note, you can also download past issues (and even historical compilations!) anytime from the league website.]

SIMPLE TRUTHS THAT YOU SHOULD NEVER FORGET

- 1. Any player who plays in a match without properly registering and paying dues (register with the League Membership Director, pay the League Treasurer) prior to throwing is an ineligible player. Playing an ineligible player will cost your team its win (if you did indeed win), all game points from that match, and all statistics from that match, regardless of how well or poorly that ineligible player did.
- 2. Any player who doesn't play in any of the four primary sets of the match, but plays in the 1001 tiebreaker is an ineligible player see number 1 (above) for the horror of this mistake.
- 3. Indicate which players of <u>both</u> teams took part in 1001 games on the front of the scoresheet. This is<u>MANDATORY</u>, and allows us to check for ineligible players, record statistics, etc.
- 4. If you ever know that your team is going to miss a match, do us a favor and call the opposing captain AND the host establishment (please!). Thank you very much.
- 5. Wednesday player additions are not allowed. It turns out that Board members have dart matches too, so all roster additions are required to be completed no later than 9pm Tuesday for any player to play in that week's match.

MANY SCORESHEET RETURN PATHS AVAILABLE -BUT NOT ENTIRELY THE SAME AS IN RECENT YEARS

We have three routes remaining for turning in your scoresheets.. First, you can use your scanner (or your phone in some cases and email me an image of the sheet (my email addresses are in the Tons every week and also on the back of the scoresheet)

Second, you can shoot me photos of your scoresheet if you want to take care of returning it immediately! Just make sure you have good lighting, you're close enough to the sheet, and it's IN FOCUS. (note: out-of-focus or overly dark photos will not be acceptable... duh). And you can send those photos by email or text (as with my email addresses, my phone number is on the scoresheet back).

Finally, you can still use the old school U.S. Postal Service. My address is also on the back of the scoresheet, but I caution you... I still predict that this system will go away before too long (as I haven't received one via this route for many years now... plus the duration of a pandemic!).

[Quick note if you do actually decide to send me a hard copy via the snail mail side of things. Buying a (\$1.50-ish?) certificate of mailing could prove to be a nice piece of evidence if your scoresheet ever gets lost in the mail. Do NOT send your scoresheet by certified mail - I do NOT want to have to go to the post office repeatedly (or at all, to be honest) to sign for your scoresheets.]

If you use any of the modern electronic methods, I'll even email or text you a quick confirmation of receipt (since I'll have your email address or phone number, of course) - thus eliminating any worry about whether the sheet got through to me :o).

NO CALL-IN REQUIREMENT FOR MATCH RESULTS

As of the Fall 2017 season, winning teams are no longer required to call in match results each week. And actually, the league long ago discontinued the VoiceMail number. Not enough use of it to warrant the cost any longer.

TEAM NAMES ON YOUR SCORESHEETS

Every season there are several instances of teams listing the team names on opposite sides of the scoresheets (meaning one team's name is written above the other team's players). Obviously, I will eventually figure these out when the names under a team name aren't on the roster, but it would be cool if you simply indicate the error in some way (or simply flip the names - I would rather an away team be on the home side and vice versa than have the wrong people ANI THUS BACKWARDS FINAL SCORE under each side). Thanks

CHECK BOTH SCORESHEETS

We run an item like this every season, and sometimes more than once. And here it is again because it's often needed repeatedly. When you are signing scoresheets at the end of the night, it is up to you to make sure that they match. If the other team turns in a sheet without your ASP or fast game or something, it really sort of doesn't exist... In RDL, not on the sheet = didn't happen.

Spring 2025 RDL Divisional Home Board List (52 teams)

Establishment (# of teams)	Board #'s	Div. A (7 teams)	Div. B (7 teams)	Div. C (7 teams)	Div. D (8 teams)	Div. E (8 teams)	Div. F (8 teams)	Div. G (7 teams)
American Legion FuqVar. (1)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	We're Sexy & We Throw It
Back Then Bar & Grill (4)	1&3	Show Me Your Tips	-	Wing & A Plaque	-	-	-	-
	5&6	-	-	-	-	-	-	Heart of Dartness
	7&8	-	-	-	Dirty Darts Done Dirt Cheap	-	-	-
Backstage Pub (1)	-	-	-	-	-	-	Dart Knights	-
Benny's Billiards (2)	-	-	Raging Bulls	-	-	-	-	Flight Risks
Brass Tap & Billiards (2)	-	-	The Outlaws	-	-	-	That's What She Said	-
Break Time Billiards (1)	-	-	-	-	Off Constantly-Reboot	-	-	-
Cleveland Dr. House - FuqVar. (2)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Flight Club 21 Dart Salute
Cleveland Draft House - Garner (2)	1&2	-	Double In Stumble Out	-	-	-	-	-
	3&4	Darty Minds	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gatsby's Bar (1)	-	-	-	-	-	Rippin Darts	-	-
High Park Bar & Grille (4)	1&2	-	-	-	Menace 2 Sobriety	-	-	-
	3&4	-	-	-	-	Ton 80 Proof	-	-
						Cheap Shots		
	5&6	-	-	Nine Lives	-	-	-	-
Hot Shots (1)	-	-	-	-	-	-	Death Throw	-
The London Bridge Pub (2)	-	-	-	-	-	-	The Dartifacts	Game of Throws
Lonerider Wake Forest (2)	-	Dart Attack	Why So Serious?	-	-	-	-	-
Mackey's Pub (1)	-	-	Hump Day!	-	-	-	-	-
Mac's Tavern (3)	1&2	-	-	Shooter McGavin	-	-	Sofa Kings	-
	3&4	-	-	-	Liquor Possee	-	-	-
Mulligans Arcade & Tavern (1)	-	-	Mulligan's Mafia	-	-	-	-	-
Natural Science (1)	-	-	-	-	-	Bangin The Wire	-	-
Overtime Sports Pub (1)	-	-	-	Village Idiots	-	-	-	-
The Pickled Onion #2 (3)	2&3	-	-	Darty Little Secrets Rif Raf	-	-	-	-
	4&5	-	-		Darty Sanchez	_	-	-
Sharky's Place (5)	1&2	-	-		Red-eye Rangers	-	-	-
	3&4	Talledega Flights	-		Irish Ton	-	-	-
	5&6	-	-	-	-	Sharky's Machine	Shark Shooters	-
Snooker's-Ridgewood (3)	1&2	-	-	-	-	Waddle In, Waddle Out	-	-
6 (-)	3&4	-	-	One Armed Bandits	-	-	_	-
	5&6	-	-	-	-	Bottoms Up	_	-
Upper Deck (8)	1&2	-	Kids Mis-B-having	-	-	-	-	Bright side of Flights
(0)	3&4	-	-	-	_	_	Nein Mark	
	5&6	-	-	-	_	_	She-nanigans	-
	13&15	Bully for the Element	-	-	-	_	-	_
		Fringe Prime	-	-	_	-	-	-
	17&18	Inconsistently Consistent	-	-	-	Runs with Corks	-	-
Walley's Tavern (1)	-	-	-	-	One Dart Wonders	-	-	-

Establishments with space remaining (# of team openings remaining in parentheses): American Legion - Fuquay-Varina (1), Back Then Bar & Grill (2), Backstage Pub (1), Benny's Billiards (2), Brass Tap & Billiards (2), Break Time Billiards (3), Cleveland Draft House - Garner (2), Gatsby's Bar (1), High Park Bar & Grille (2), Hot Shots (3), Mackey's Pub (3), Mac's Tavern (1), Mulligans Arcade & Tavern (3), Natural Science (1), Overtime Sports Pub (1), The Pickled Onion #2 (1), Sharky's Place (1), Snooker's-RW (3), The Upper Deck (4?), and Walley's Tavern (1).

Establishments from the last 51 seasons (that might or might not still be open) that are not being used this season (# of team openings in parentheses): Abbey Road Tavern & Grill (2), Backyard Bistro (2),

Big Easy Oven & Tap (2), Bonedaddy's Hideaway (2), The Brickhouse (2), Buck's Billiards (2), Bull & Bear (2), Capital City Tavern (2), Champions Bars & More (2), Champions Billiards (8), Chow Pizza Bar (2), Cleveland Draft House - Clayton (2), Compass Rose Brewery (2), Crosstown Pub & Grill (2), D's Bottle Shop & Craft Beer College (2), Fortnight Brewing Co. (2), Havana Deluxe (2), Hibernian Restaurant & Pub - Cary (2), High House Billiards (2), Isaac Hunter's Tavern (2), Katie's Cues (2), The Korner Pocket (2), Locked & Loaded Bar & Grill (2), Lucky B's Around the Corner (2), MacGregor Draft House (2), Manchester's (2), McKenzie's Bar & Grill (2), MoonRunners Saloon (2), Oak & Dagger Public House (2), Oaklyn Springs Brewery (2), Pantana's Pool Hall (4), Players Retreat (2), Rally Point Sport Grill (4), RBJ's Place (2), Rocco's Grill & Bar (2), Saints & Scholars Irish Pub (2), Sammy's Tap & Grill (2), Scooters (4), Shakey Ray's Tavern (2), Shuckers (2), Tailgaters (2), Time Out Bar & Grill (2?), VFW Post 7383 (2), Triple Barrel Tavern - Garner (2), Wingin' It Bar and Grille (2), and Woody's Sports Tavern (4?).