



The London and District Men's Dart League



EXECUTIVE MEETING

May 06, 2009

ATTENDANCE

Member's Name	P/A	Member's Name	P/A
(President) John McDowell	P	(Vice President)	
(Treasurer) Dave DeGroot	P	(Score Keeper-web) Richard Duke	P/L
(Secretary) Dan Riley	P	(Director) Dave Twamley	P
(Director) Randy Hounsell	A	(Director) Andrew Carberry	P
(Director) Maurice Martel III	P		

Chair: John

Called to Order: 19:40

Minutes: Minutes from the April 1st meeting are presented to the Executive, There are no questions asked. Motion to accept the minutes by Dave T, Seconded by Maurice Carried

Financial Report: Dave D hands out his monthly report to the Executive with the details from the last month to date. The bank balance is \$ 5,553.43 plus the \$ 25,000.00 GIC. Motion to accept the Treasurer's report by Maurice, Seconded by Dave T. Carried

Reports of Officers: Andy, Dave T, and Maurice have nothing to report at this time. Dave D reports that the Audit Committee had a meeting on last Sunday (May 3rd). Dave did produce the receipts for the prizes at the banquets from last year. There were several tickets questions about the banquets with Dave explaining to the Audit Committee on how the banquet tickets are handled. The registration of membership from last year to the money taken in does work out for last season. Bob Beamish will be handing in the Audit Committee report for the AGM and will also be at the AGM to explain this report to the membership in attendance.

Dan reports that he has received a complaint from the last night of play. This complaint was just placed into the League's mail box tonight, so Dan had no chance to contact the team that this complaint is about. The complaint was about the opposing team not showing up for the last night of regular play. The Board does discuss this issue but since the opposing team could not get more than three players, plus the night being the last night of regular season. The Board will not do anything since the night of play did result in giving the complaining team the two points and the six games won.



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Reports of Officers: A letter from Bruce Melvin is read out detailing that his wife Colleen does not get any money from the League until after all the receipts are handed in. The League has not given any money to Colleen as of yet and Dan has already apologized for the way this matter was reported in past minutes (March). Colleen does pay for all the centre pieces out of her own pocket and is reimbursed by the League after the banquets; there is still the limit of \$ 200.00 budgeted for the centre pieces.

A letter from Jaime Hind is now mentioned, the Board agree to discuss Jaime's letter under Old Business.

E-mails from Mike Monk are read to the Board at this time asking about the poster the Executive has already approved and about the Recruiting Committee's role in should be looking out for our league first. This is discussed and Mike will be given answers to both of his mails at the Spring Trophy.

Dan hands over a sponsorship cheque from British Darts and the fees from Singles P-5 over to Dave D, plus the replacement player fee for a total of \$ 209.00.

Dan also hands over the tickets for both banquets to Dave D and the bill from Holiday Print. Dave D gives Dan a cheque for these tickets and Dan will give the cheque to Holiday Print.

Old Business: John reports that G.L.A.D. has had many meetings now and that the poster shown before from our League will be used to advertise our League (G.L.A.D will get the own poster). John informs the Executive that G.L.A.D. wants to sell 50/50 tickets at the Spring Trophy. This is now discuss and agreed that since the Executive did not agree before tonight and that the money raised at the tournament goes toward the League's banquets the Executive will not allow G.L.A.D. to sell 50/50 tickets and that John is to inform G.L.A.D of this decision. It is also agreed that the League will pay all flyers for our League only; G.L.A.D will pay any promoting they will do themselves.

Richard and Dave T report that the Recruiting Committee is working hard to get the League's name out. The Recruiting Committee will be having two information nights July 9 & 14 at the Victory Legion to help promote our League and hand out registration forms and inform people about the LDMDL.

Dave T reports that the Londoner has had a meeting with our Recruiting Committee, the Ladies League and the Youth Darts to help promote all three leagues along with the upcoming PDC tournament.

Dan now reads a letter from James Hind is now read to the Board asking if the League could pay or raise money for the registration fees for the big PDC dart tournament coming to London on August 14, 15 and 16 this year and for the next two years. The winner of the Singles Tournament would be the represent our League at this tournament it is suggested by Jaime. This is discussed and it is agreed that the League paying for the registration fees for the winning players of the Singles is a good ideal for next years PDC, but for this year we should do some 50/50 draws for registration fees at each banquet since this ideal came up now. For the next two years a bonus to the League Singles Champion will have his registration fees paid for the PDC tournament.



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Old Business: The ticket sales for the banquets will be done at the AGM, but anybody wishing to prepay for their tickets can be made at the ABC's. Dave D will be the only person to sell any banquet tickets after the AGM because of the account nightmare that could happen. (This is one of the Audit Committee's complaints that there should only be one person responsible for the money.). The cutoff for ticket sales will be finalized by May 31st.

All trophies are ordered for the League with the exception of the Spring Trophy and the ABC's.

Meal has been decided and the prizes are the only thing left to buy, the Banquet Committee is asking for a cheque to go out and purchase the prizes at this time.

The subject of Life Memberships is now discussed with six names being nominated by the membership. The names are each read out and discussed by the Executive and the Executive agrees that three members will be made Life Members at the banquets.

New Business: The registration night for next season will be August 6th from 8pm to 10pm at the Victory Legion.

Motion to Adjourn: Made by Dave D, Seconded by Dave T

Next meeting is May 20th at 19:30

Meeting closed at 22:40

Dan Riley

Secretary: L.D.M.D.L.