



# The London and District Men's Dart League



## Proposed Rulebook Amendments 2024/2025

### Proposed by the Executive

#### 1) Partial Change to Rule 3 from:

"...a fee of \$20.00 is required (in addition to the original fee) as well as a \$5.00 admin fee if registering after the season's registration date (same as adding/changing a player)."

#### Change Rule 3 to:

A fee determined by the executive board annually. {Remove the word "\$5.00 admin fee"}

passed

### Proposed by the Executive

#### 2) Change to Rule 3.7 from:

Any change or additions requested by any team will be charged five dollars (\$5.00) administration fee. This fee must accompany the request.

#### Change Rule 3.7 to:

Any change or additions requested by any team will be charged ten dollars (\$10.00) administration fee. This fee must accompany the request.

passed.

### Proposed by Collin McInnis

#### 3) Add new Rule 3.10:

The captain or co-captain from each team must attend the current year's AGM meeting. This will allow a better understanding of Division rule changes & better the body vote. If a captain or co-captain can not attend, they can appoint someone from their team to attend on their behalf.

passed.

### Proposed by Executive

#### 4) Remove Rule 5.9:

Playoffs of all League and competitive play will continue and be completed on the night play was started, unless playing location protests, in which case the Executive Board will consider other arrangements.

passed.

### Proposed by the Executive

#### 5) Change to Rule 5.12 from:

A team with only three (3) players may compete and play at the regular season playing nights, as well as tournament and trophy events and will score as follows. When a team has only three (3) players, a zero (0) is to be entered on the scoreboard each time the fourth (4<sup>th</sup>) player's turn occurs. If his turn has passed, he must wait till the next game. In tournament or trophy play one (1) player may be picked from another team of the same division or lower, if a team has only three (3) players. League Rule 5.14 does not allow for any pick-ups for the Division Team Tournament.

#### Change Rule 5.12 to:

Remove line "League Rule 5.14 does not allow for any pick-ups for the Division Team Tournament."

passed



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## Proposed by the Executive

### 6) Remove Rule 5.14:

*Change Rule 5.14*

*Passed*

~~Where the rules permit spares to be picked up,~~ players wishing to spare must registered with the conveners of the tournament prior to the close of registration. Spares who are members of teams in competition at that tournament must have expressed permission of their team Captain or Co-Captain and tournament Convener(s) to play for an alternate team and shall not be eligible to play on his own team for the balance of that tournament.

## Proposed by the Executive

### 7) Remove Rule 5.15:

*passed*

The home playing location of tournament or trophy play winners will be the host location for that tournament or trophy, the following year providing the location can accommodate such an event. The final decision rests with the Executive Board.

## Proposed by the Executive

### 8) Change to Rule 6A.1 from:

A registration fee of not more than two dollars (\$2.00) per registrant shall be remitted for all tournaments. The proceeds of this fee will be donated to a charity designated by the membership at the Annual General. Said donation shall be presented to the member designated charity immediately following the division team tournament. Said donation will be published via local media.

### Change Rule 6A.1 to:

A registration fee of not more than five dollars (\$5.00) per registrant shall be remitted for all tournaments. Portions of the proceeds of this fee will be donated to a ~~charity~~ *determined by the AGM* designated by the membership at the Annual General. Said donation shall be presented to the member designated ~~charity immediately following the division team tournament.~~ *charities*

*Passed*

## Proposed by the Executive

### 9) Change to Rule 6A.7 from:

Each division will have their own division team tournament in their "own division of play". Teams will only play other teams in the divisions that they play in (example 2nd Division A and 2nd Division B play in the 2nd Division). Rule 5.9 will be followed for division team tournament. A team with only three (3) players may compete and play at the regular season playing nights, as well as tournament and trophy events and will score as follows. When a team has only three (3) players, a zero (0) is to be entered on the scoreboard each time the fourth (4th) player's turn occurs. If his turn has passed, he must wait till the next game.

### Change Rule 6A.7 to:

Each division will have their own division team tournament in their "own division of play". Teams will only play other teams in the divisions that they play in (example 2nd Division A and 2nd Division B play in the 2nd Division).

*passed*

## Proposed by the Executive

### 10) Remove Rule 6.13:

Any sponsorship monies issued out by the League must be requested at the Annual general meeting and approved by a general vote.

*passed*





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## Proposed by Secretary

### 11) Change to Rules 7.2.1 & 7.2.2 (Premier & 1<sup>st</sup> Division format of play:)

#### Premier Division

Singles X 6 sets (sets 2 of 3 games) 501 straight in double out  
Doubles X 4 sets (sets 2 of 3 games) 601 straight in double out  
Break (Rule 6.5)  
Singles X 6 sets (sets 2 of 3 games) 301 double in double out  
Doubles X 4 sets (sets 2 of 3 games) 601 straight in double out

#### Proposed change to format of play:

Remove four (4) Doubles sets of 601 SIDO

Replace with: two (2) Singles 301 DIDO  
two (2) Singles 501 SIDO

*withdrawn*

#### 1st Division

Singles X 6 sets (sets 2 of 3 games) 501 straight in double out  
Doubles X 4 sets (sets 2 of 3 games) 601 straight in double out  
Break (Rule 6.5)  
Singles X 6 sets (sets 2 of 3 games) 301 double in double out  
Doubles X 4 sets (sets 2 of 3 games) 601 straight in double out

#### Proposed change to format of play:

Remove four (4) Doubles sets of 601 SIDO

Replace with: two (2) Singles 301 DIDO  
two (2) Singles 501 SIDO

## Proposed by the Executive

### 12) Partial Change to Rule 7.5 from:

...If a team only has three (3) players, then that team must forfeit one (1) singles match and two (2) doubles matches. Once the line-ups are exchanged NO alterations will be allowed for any reason. In the event there are player's names inserted for play (singles/doubles) and that player is not in attendance when called to play, then that match is forfeited (by the offending player). All matches/games must be completed and have a result entered on the score sheet (win or loss), forfeited matches/games are marked as a loss. The acting Captain/Co-Captain must offer the opportunity to play singles and doubles matches to all team members in attendance each night. No player may play more than two (2) singles matches (501). No player may play more than two (2) doubles matches and can only play with the same partner once.

*3 singles  
4 doubles*

#### Change Rule 7.5 to:

...If a team only has three (3) players, then that team must **forfeit two (2) singles matches** and two (2) doubles matches. Once the line-ups are exchanged NO alterations will be allowed for any reason. In the event there are player's names inserted for play (singles/doubles) and that player is not in attendance when called to play, then that match is forfeited (by the offending player). All matches/games must be completed and have a result entered on the score sheet (win or loss), forfeited matches/games are marked as a loss. The acting Captain/Co-Captain must offer the opportunity to play singles and doubles matches to all team members in attendance each night. No player may play more than **three (3) singles matches (501)**. No player may play more than two (2) doubles matches and can only play with the same partner once.

*passed*



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## Proposed by the Executive

### 13) Partial Change to Rule 8 from:

Monday nights starting at 7:30pm at one (1) or more locations depending on number of players per format. Singles Registration night will occur within two (2) weeks following Team Registration and will be announced on the League website and Facebook page. A player must pay his L.D.M.D.L. Membership fee or the additional Singles League player fee of \$20.00 to play....

### Change Rule 8 to:

Monday nights starting at 7:30 pm at one (1) or more locations depending on number of players per format. Singles Registration will occur on the same night as Team Registration. A player must pay his L.D.M.D.L. Membership fee or the additional Singles League player fee (as determined by the Executive) in order to play....

passed

## Proposed by the Executive

### 14) Partial Change to Rule 8.1 from:

...As the registration fee was already paid for by the quit or removed player, replacement players are required to pay the \$5.00 admin fee to join the Singles League or the League Membership fee if not already a registered L.D.M.D.L. member.

### Change Rule 8.1 to:

...Replacement players are required to pay the Singles League registration fee to join the Singles League or the League Membership fee if not already a registered L.D.M.D.L. member.

passed

## Proposed by the Executive

### 15) Remove Rule 8.6:

A player that drops out or is removed from the Singles League may be replaced by a new player if the replacement takes place within the first four (4) weeks of league play. All games and stats prior to the replacement player being added will be nulled for the replacement player but games won/lost will remain intact for the players that had played the person prior. If the four (4) week grace period has passed, all stats for anyone that already played that player will remain intact. Any players that still needed to play that player will now be classified as a Bye week with an automatic two (2) points awarded and only the required number of games added that would allow for the win (ie. 24 game formats would be awarded 2 points and 13 wins).

passed

## Proposed by the Executive

### 16) Change to Rule 10.6B from:

The League Secretary MUST deliver the disciplinary letter by hand within two (2) weeks from the date of the Executive Meeting (regular or special) that the member was found guilty of violating the rulebook. If the offending member or his team Captain does not receive the disciplinary letter within two (2) weeks, the member will have the offense removed from league records and will be noted in the next regular Executive Meeting minutes.

### Change Rule 10.6B to:

The League Secretary MUST deliver to the member or team Captain, by whichever means is convenient, the disciplinary letter within two (2) weeks from the date of the Executive Meeting (regular or special) that the member was found guilty of violating the rulebook. If the offending member or his team Captain does not receive the disciplinary letter within two (2) weeks, the member will have the offense removed from league records and will be noted in the next regular Executive

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