Mid Dorset Darts AGM – Winter League 2023-2024

- 1. The AGM was opened at 8pm on the 1st October 2023, at the Con Club, Blandford. The League Secretary welcomed all those present.
- 2. The League Secretary read out the Financial Statement. At the time of the AGM the League has a balance of £1041.53 carried over from the previous season.
- 3. The League Secretary agreed to stay in post for a further season. This was agreed by those present.
- 4. 10 Teams were registered, and fees paid in accordance with Rule 2.
- 5. Due to the length of previous seasons, it was proposed to have 2 Sections for this season. Agreed.

The results from the Summer League were used as a means of dividing the Teams, based on their final position and as follows:

Section A	Section B
Con Club	B.O.C
Cunning Runts	Dartaholics
Jeal & Co	Drifters
RBL Jokers	Misfits
Nelson's	Norfolk & Chance

The season will now be considerably shorter, and it was proposed that we bring back the Team KO Competition, with **all Teams** competing as 1 section. The Draw for this will be done by the League Secretary and other Team Captain at the first game of the season. **Agreed.**

Due to the change in the league format, it was proposed that extra trophies will be provided for **normal League Team events only** and **all other individual accolades and competitions** will be awarded on the basis of 1 section only. **Agreed.**

As a result of this, the League will provide Trophies for Section A and Section B, as follows:

Section A	Section B
Winners	Winners
Runners Up	Runners Up
Beer Cup Winners	Beer Cup Winners

All other trophies will be awarded, based on 1 Section, as follows:

Leading Dartist – Men & Ladies	Highest Shot In – Men & Ladies
Highest Shot Out – Men & Ladies	180's

Winners and Runners Up, and where applicable, Mens & Ladies trophies for:

Captains Cup, Trebles, Mixed Pairs, Pairs and Singles. (Finals being played on Finals Night)

The League Secretary pointed out that due to having a shorter season, the league's annual income will be reduced and if this format is to continue a review of registration, match and competition fees may be necessary. This will need to be discussed at the 2024 AGM.

- 6. Nominations were put forward for this year's Charity and it was decided that we would again hold a Charity Darts Competition in support of the **Friends of PICU and Fortuneswell Cancer Trust**. It was proposed that the competition takes place on **Saturday 3rd February 2024** with the time, venue and format to be confirmed on confirmation of players. All players must be registered and the entry fee will be £5 per person, to cover refreshments. The League will again donate the prize money. **Agreed.**
- 7. The League Secretary proposed and read out amendments/additions to Rule 1 & 19. All other rules remain current. The League Rules can be viewed on the League Website.
- 8. It was proposed that the Winter League commences on **Monday 6th November, 2023** and will conclude with Finals & Presentation Night on **Friday 5th April 2024,** all venues to be confirmed.
- 9. There being no other business, the meeting closed at approx. 9pm.