

Definitions

A. Match

For the NBDL a Match consists of 3 Sections. Each Section contains 1 Event and 3 Games in that Event. A match is considered complete when each Section has been played out

B. Event

An Event is any game that can be played with Darts that has been accepted by the NBDL Board of Directors to be included in Match play.

C. Game

A Game is an instance of an Event and is played out according to the rules adopted by the NBDL Board of Directors for that Event.

D. Leg

A Leg refers to a single Game in a Set.

E. Section

A Section is a portion of a Match that contains one Event and one or more Games in that Event. The number of Games in the Event is determined by the NBDL Board of Directors based on roster limits and is currently set to three (3).

F. Set

A Set is a group of Games, generally played by the same individuals or team. If you play a "Best of 3" or a "Race to 5", you are playing a Set of Games. And each Game in the Set is called a Leg.

G. All-Star Notation

When recording All-Stars for 301/501, any score of 100 or more in a single turn is recorded numerically as scored or using 'T' notation. 'T' stands for "Ton" (don't ask me why – it just does).

100 = T = a Ton
121 = T21 = a Ton-Twenty-one
140 = T40 = a Ton-Forty

When recording All-Stars for Point Cricket we track **scoring marks per turn only**. Any round of 6 marks or more for the numbers 20 through 15 are recorded as 'Rx' where 'x' is a number between 6 and 9 and stand "Round of x marks". For Bulls-eye's we track 4 or more Bulls in a single turn and record it as 'Cx' where C stands for Corks and 'x' is a number between 4 and 6.

NBDL Sponsor and Membership Information

- A. **The Make a Wish Foundation of Connecticut** is the charity of the NBDL and the league has granted the wish of many terminally ill children.
- B. Each NBDL member is responsible for knowing the rules of play.
- C. Any member of the Board of Directors has the authority to suspend any NBDL member for due cause. Such suspension may be appealed to the Board of Directors.
- D. By submitting a roster and/or paying league dues, teams and their sponsoring establishments agree to the decisions the BOD makes regarding divisions of play, scheduling, and roster changes. Any team that withdraws from the league after the scheduling process has started, forfeits the right to any money refunded and is subject to suspension and/or expulsion from the NBDL.
- E. The NBDL has the authority to limit the number of teams at any sponsoring establishment

Equipment

- A. All league competition shall be conducted on standard bristle, 20-point, clock faced dart boards.
- B. Dart boards shall be placed 5 ft. 8 in. from the floor to the center of the bulls-eye with the "20" bed at top center; this wedge shall be dark colored.
- C. The distance from the dart board to the foul line shall be 7 ft. 9 1/4 in. (9 ft. 7 3/8 in diagonal measurement from the center of the bull's-eye to the toe/foul line). This distance shall be measured from the dart board face along the floor and will include the width of the foul line. There must be a minimum of 42" from bulls-eye to bulls-eye between multiple boards.
- D. The management of the darting establishment will be responsible for adherence to the measurements provided for above (see item C).
- E. All dart boards shall be firmly anchored and well illuminated.
- F. The dart board shall be positioned so there is no distraction to the thrower from surrounding activities.
- G. A scoring surface must be provided and located where the score may be easily read by players.
- H. Weight and size of the darts used shall be in accordance with ADO rules; no more than 12 in. (30.5 cm.) in length and 50 grams in weight. Each dart shall consist of a recognizable point, barrel and flight.