

September 2, 2015, General Membership Meeting for fall season 2015

President Dorothy Schroeder called the meeting at Chester Junction to order at 7:35 PM

Board Members present Dorothy Schroeder, Carol DeHart, Amber Cole, Chris Wells, and Wayne Nolen

Dorothy welcomed everyone to the fall 2015 meeting and thanked Chester Junction for hosting the General Membership Meeting. Dorothy asked for a moment of reflection for members of our dart family that we lost this year - Brian Nesbitt, Trey Abernathy, and Bo Partin. She called for the Secretary's report. Secretary, Amber Cole read the minutes from the last General Membership meeting May 6, 2015. A motion was made to accept the minutes as read, seconded and passed.

Chris Wells presented the Treasurer's Report. He reported the bank account balance of \$36,206.57; with \$16,264.38 in the General fund; \$6,504.24 in the Dart Classic fund; \$10,195.30 in the Sanction account; and \$3,250.10 in the Youth league fund; reported income of \$35,976.00; expenses of \$16,410.63 with a resulting net income of \$19,565.38. Copies of the report were available if any member wanted to review. A motion was made to accept the Treasurer's report as read, seconded and passed.

Wayne Nolen gave the League Director's report. The finals for summer 2015 were held at Lakeside Moose on August 9th. He congratulated the winners - Gold - Ureduhm; Silver - Bohica; and Bronze - All the Queen's Men. He thanked the Area Reps John Huddleston and Chris Anderson for all their hard work as Area Reps this past season. He is still looking for an Area Rep for the Hopewell and Chester areas. He wished everyone good luck and sportsmanship this season.

Carol DeHart presented the Vice President's report. She thanked everyone that helped set up for the dart classic. We need more volunteers for next years' Dart Classic. Carol reminded everyone of upcoming dart tournaments Save the TaTas at Omega September 12 and 13 and the Charity Shoot at Murphy's Law September 26 and 27. She wished everyone a good season.

Dorothy Schroeder gave the President's report. Captain (Rodney Wilson) will be the new Audit committee chairperson and will host a committee meeting September 28th. A new Membership committee will be chaired by Chris Pace. If you have any ideas to increase our membership, please get with Chris Pace and join the committee.

#### Old Business:

ADO Report - Susan Linkous reported on June 20th the CVDA hosted the National Qualifier with 14 participants, 9 of which were from the CVDA. Kay Hoover won for the Ladies and Chris Linkous won for the men. Chris finished 10th in the round robin and the top 32 in the knock out bracket in Connecticut. The next National Qualifier will be in Fairfax on September 12th and we will be sending five men and five women from our five local qualifiers. From there, the winners will go to the National Qualifier in Myrtle Beach October 30 through November 1. Cricket Nationals will be held in Las Vegas in January. Please watch the stat sheet, and website and Facebook for upcoming local qualifiers.

Dart Classic Committee report was given by Amber Cole. Amber stated the 2015 Dart Classic was successful and thanked all for attending. All of the tournament directors were thanked - Wayne Nolen, Amy Gartrell, Dorothy Schroeder, Chris Wells, Carol DeHart, and Amber Cole. This is a team effort and takes a lot to work

behind the scene as well as the tournament weekend. Special recognition for Jen Kitchen and her assistants for selling TV raffle tickets over the weekend and Susan Linkous for running the youth events, as well as Robert Beattie and Rodrick Barrow. We will be having a committee meeting in September to start working on the 2016 Dart Classic. The Board will have the final total for the donation to FeedMore at the next meeting. Please get involved and help with fund raising and or working the tournament weekend.

Tournament of Champions Committee report was given by Amber Cole. No committee meeting was held last season. New ideas are welcome. Amber explained the current point system and points list as she as had received several questions from new players. If you see the letter "Y" before your name on the list, that means the YES - you are eligible to participate in the 2015 TOC. If you don't see that "Y" then you have not qualified though the date listed as the top of the points lists. To be eligible to play you must meet two conditions: 1 - Have earned points in a CVDA sanctioned weekly blind draw or weekend event. 2. You must be a CVDA member in good standing, including members at large; OR You must play in TEN different CVDA sanctioned events on 10 different dates. This year's TOC will be held at the Hopewell Moose Lodge - January 30, 2016.

Youth League report was given by Susan Linkous. The youth league will start back up on Sunday, September 20th. Any youth between the ages of 6 and 18 can participate. Sessions will be held at 2 PM at Murphy's Law. Susan thanked all the CVDA members that have supported the youth along with Omega Bar and Grill and Murphy's Law for hosting youth/adult events.

Web-site report was given by the Amy Gartrell for Tim Crockett. We are getting 50 hits a day and the mobile site is working well.

Audit Committee - No report as a meeting was not held.

Dorothy called for any other old business. There was none.

#### New Business:

Dorothy opened nominations for 2015: Treasurer - Charli Smith - not present but Dorothy presented Charli's hand written acceptance; League Director - Robbie Loving accepted, Wayne Nolen declined, Chris Wells declined; Secretary - Amber Cole accepted; Vice President - Carol DeHart - accepted; President - Dorothy Schroeder accepted, Wayne Nolen - declined. Dorothy closed nominations.

Amy Gartrell told the membership that Eliot Dudik was documenting darts in pictures. If you don't want your photo taken, please let Amy or Eliot know.

#### Other New Business:

There was no other New Business. Packets were handed out starting at 8:00 PM

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 PM

Respectively submitted by Amber Cole