



# VCD A NEWSLETTER

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## President's Message

To recap January Events- Several key events happened in January, we had the first ever Vegas Prep Tournament at the VFW in which 16 people participated. Lots of darts were thrown, VCD A had a great turnout along with more out of towners and most importantly, we now have a hall we can use for a single day up to entire weekend events. The service was great, they were very welcoming and had nothing but great things to say about our operation. With that being said, we do have to make some modifications to format, setup and teardown participation along with modifications to current standards.

We had several of our members attend and even participate in the Las Vegas Open. Lots of great players showed up and it was overall a good eye opener to darts outside of VCD A.

Upcoming Events - This weekend is going to be very busy for dart players. Saturday and Sunday is the first weekend of DPLA at Poseidon Brewery. This tournament is geared towards those that want to be competitive at darts. It's a \$50 entry each day, single elimination bracket. The goal is to accumulate points to make the top 16 for the finals on Sunday September 14<sup>th</sup>. Winner of DPLA will receive a 2 year CDC card which qualifies you for the highest level tournaments produced in North America. If you are not planning on playing, please come out and support those that are, along with supporting one of our sponsors.

This Sunday is the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Blind Draw at the Garage. I hope there is a good turn-out for this one as it's always a good time. The board is looking at ideas to mix up the format so it's a little different from time to time. Some ideas are Twisted 501/Cricket and Hi/Lo team matchings. Please let us know if you have suggestions also.

Important: Please make up all missing matches. Matches not made up by end of season will be ruled a double forfeit per the rules. Read the rules for the exceptions to this.

Online Singles form is available and filling up, please sign up at our website if you're interested.

All Spring leagues will start in February with a very short turn around (1 week after Season banquet). Sign up online prior to the End of Season Banquet which is the deadline.



Fall Season Awards Banquet & General Meeting will be at The Garage on Feb 15th, at 2pm. At that time we will also honor the memory of a very dedicated member of our league, Paul Behl. Paul was an amazing contributor to the league. With Paul's recent passing we lost one of our biggest supporters. For those of you not familiar with Paul, Paul was our Treasurer from about 2007-2022. His stewardship in that position made so many things possible for the league and helped finance the State Shoot. He had a knack for fundraising and a solid passion for darts. Paul will be very much missed by those who knew him, and by the league. Anyone who was at the toy drive a few years back would remember Paul showing up with a brand new bicycle, he was that kind and generous. R.I.P. Paul

Please plan to attend the awards presentations along with crowning the 2024 Fall winners. We will also be voting on rule change suggestions for the Spring 2025 season, your voice matters. With that being said, I emailed all the team Captains a link to suggest rule creations, modifications, or deletions. We will have all submitted suggestions printed out for individuals to vote on at the meeting. Of course we will discuss each one prior to voting.

**Board meeting: The next board meeting is Wednesday the 29th at 7:30pm Online. Board Meetings are open to Anyone.**

**All information can be found on our website [VCD A.ORG](http://VCD A.ORG) questions and concerns can be sent to [vcda@vcda.org](mailto:vcda@vcda.org)**