

TDA Captain's Meeting – 09/14/10 – Notes taken by Tracie Hughes – PR Rep

Board Members:

Aaron Mills – President Heidi Channel – Vice Pres. Ted Gay – ADO Rep.
David Schuyler – Scorer Marty Foote – Secretary** Tracie Hughes – PR Rep.
Bobbi Blair – Treasurer

** Denotes absence of board member for meeting

Teams who were not present and will receive 5 points off were: Bohicas

Teams who were not present and will receive 3 points off were: Columbia AllStars, Hoze's Jager Slayers, and The Outlaws

PLEASE NOTE: CAPTAIN'S MEETINGS START AT 7:00 PM PER ARTICLE XI 5.C A FIFTEEN (15) MINUTE GRACE PERIOD SHALL BE ALLOWED FOR ARRIVAL TO THE MEETING. AFTER 7:15PM THE SIGN-IN SHEET WILL BE PUT UP AND ANYONE ARRIVING AFTER THAT TIME WILL NOT GET CREDIT FOR THEIR TEAM BEING THERE. IT IS DISRUPTIVE TO THE MEETING WHEN PEOPLE COME IN LATE, SO PLEASE BE ON TIME AND IF YOU HAVE TO BE LATE, ENTER THE MEETING QUIETLY AND BE SEATED.

The Captain's meeting was brought to order by Aaron Mills.

- A. Secretary – not present; Aaron reviewed the minutes from the last meeting, David made a motion to accept the minutes as read and Lori seconded the motion. All were in favor of accepting the minutes as written.
- B. PR –Tracie Hughes discussed that the banquet proposals that were submitted to her. One is from the VFW Post 5877 (Dave Channel) and one from The Break Room. The menus are attached at the end of the meeting minutes. She also presented an updated awards sheet. We will continue to use Trophies Unlimited because they give us the best selection of choices for awards right now. The award sheets are due Week 10 of the season. The updated sheet is attached at the end of the meeting minutes. We have set a date for the Aiken-Augusta Shoot Out, which will be Saturday, November 20th. We discussed that the TDA would supply 1 keg and the SRDA would supply 1 keg for the event. Captains were encouraged to go back to their teams and get ideas for food for the event. The VFW does provide bar type food and if no one wants to do food that day from the league, we will just have people order the food from the bar.
- C. ADO rep. - Ted Gay reported that the Cricket Regional is scheduled for November 6th in North Carolina. This is the day before our Fall Banquet. The Qualifier for this Regional will be at the Break Room on Sunday, September 26 with sign-ups starting at 1pm, cut-off for sign-ups is at 2pm. It will be \$20/per person and the TDA with match \$5/person. This is only open to TDA members.
- D. Scorer -David Schuyler was actually here! YAY! He asked that teams just put an X for wins, 0 and 1's are not needed. Do not put CASH in the box

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- with the score sheets, write a check or give the cash to a board member. You cannot use a sub if you have 4 players on your team present!
- E. Vice President – Heidi Channel discussed the Rules Committee had been meeting but been unable to finish the revision due to some personal issues some of the members had to deal with recently. We need additional volunteers for the committee so we can get these updated and would like to have at least one representative from each division. Please contact Heidi if you are interested in working on the committee.

Old Business:

The revised Rules & Regulations and By-laws will be presented at the next meeting.

New Business:

- A. Dart Etiquette: Do not practice on the board next to yours when you are playing a match.
- B. Scoring Etiquette: When scoring 501, you may tell the person throwing what they have hit and the amount left, you cannot tell them what to throw at to hit their out.
- C. Rob Swett presented a new proposal, which is attached to the end of the meeting minutes. It will result in a format change for our score sheet.
- D. The TDA sent flowers for Dino Jay's sister's passing, Marjorie Rushton.

No other announcements were made – Aaron made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Ted gave a second to the motion! Have a good week!

TDA Fall Banquet Proposal

Menu

Pork Loin (Jamaican Jerk and Greek seasoned)
Rosemary baked potatoes
Salad
Bread
Chips and dip
Tea
Dessert

Banquet to be held at VFW Post.

Banquet cost \$550.00 (Chow, rental, clean up included)

10 boards

Kegs and keg cooler will be provided at cost. (TDA must determine flavor of beer at least 1 week prior)

Children are allowed but are not permitted in canteen are after 9PM

VFW will toss in \$100 cold cash for TDA blind draw.

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Attn: Executive Board

RE: Banquet Bids

To Whom It May Concern:

The Break Room would like to host the TDA Banquet. We have a great facility with adequate space and amenities required to accommodate your event. The following is a short list of what we have to offer:

1. We have eight Dart Boards suitable for TDA standards. We also have ample room should any Standard Boards be needed for additional playoff scheduling.
2. We have a full kitchen with a cook on duty to offer a choice of food should anyone not want to eat from the TDA free menu.
3. We have a fully stocked Bar with a wide selection of Beers (both Draft and Bottled), Wines, Liquors and Soft Drinks.
4. We have a fully functional music system for listening pleasure. The music levels can be adjusted to each area in the facility to maintain a comfortable listening experience.
5. We have a Staff with the experience necessary to provide professionalism and consistency in preparation of mixed drinks and/or other menu items.
6. We have designated smoking areas to accommodate both smokers and non-smokers.
7. We have pool tables, beer pong, video games and WI-FI.
8. We have ample paved parking.
9. We welcome families, so, children would not be a problem when accompanied by their parent.

Here is what we will do for your organization:

We will prepare steak and side dishes (corn, green beans, and potatoes) on sight to accommodate your entire attendance. We will also provide the usual sauces, ketchup, mustard, mayo and salt and pepper, etc. and cutlery. We have a walk-in cooler to keep the kegs cold and will have a keg cooler for dispensing the draft. Also, soft drinks will be available for \$.50 during the duration of the 2 kegs. We will provide the use of our facility at no charge and we will donate \$ 100.00 to the blind draw to be held at the BreakRoom after the playoffs have been completed. It will be our pleasure to provide these services and others for a flat fee of \$ 525.00.

thanks in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely,

The Break Room

Thomas Evans

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PROPOSAL TO CHANGE THE MATCH FORMAT

I propose a change to the match format, starting next season. Our current format is somewhat confusing and hard to keep track of during match play. For example, we start with Singles Cricket, followed by Doubles 501, then Doubles Cricket, Singles 501, another Doubles Cricket, and finally Singles 301.

My proposed change will allow the match play to flow smoothly from 501 Singles and Doubles, to Cricket Singles and Doubles, followed by Singles 301, and a Team 701. The only real change to this proposed format is the removal of one Doubles Cricket, replaced with a Team 701. The Team 701 (3 pts) is played as the last match of the night and is an excellent opportunity to bring the players together as a team. Changing the final match to Team 701 also reduces the total possible points earned to 23 versus 24, eliminating the possibility of a split.

The following is a summary of the current and proposed match format:

<u>Current Format</u>	<u>Proposed Format</u>
Singles Cricket	Singles 501
Doubles 501	Doubles 501
Doubles Cricket	Singles Cricket
Single 501	Doubles Cricket
Doubles Cricket	Singles 301
Singles 301	Team (4) 701
Total Points: 24	Total Points: 23

Alternate Proposal: Same as above, except the final Team 701 is for 4 points for a total possible score of 24.

Rob Swett

Sittin' Purdy