

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL COMMAND



The Royal Canadian Legion District Youth Darts



Rules and Regulations

1. No players will be allowed to enter event after registration for that event is closed.
2. All games to be straight start and a double finish.
3. In doubles event, either person can shoot first.
4. Shooters and scorers only allowed inside play area.
5. Bust rule prevails.
6. There will be *(no smoking while playing or watching, for participants or spectators)*. Smoking area will be available outside the area where competition is being held.
7. Nine darts warm-up is maximum allowance per player.
8. Names and board assignments will be called three times only, (at three minute intervals) after which, a forfeit will be called should a player(s) not report to the assigned Board. No refund for a forfeit.
9. The order of play will be determined by the toss of a coin.
10. A dart score shall be determined from the side of the wire at which the point of the dart enters the board.
11. For a dart to score it must remain in the board for the duration of that player's throw, darts that do not remain in the board will not count. If a dart falls out of the board before the thrower retrieves them, they will not count.
12. The scorer may inform the thrower what they have scored and what remains but *not what is left in number combinations. No other coaching is allowed.* Team players may, communicate with each other, as long as they are not at the oche (line).
13. It is the responsibility of the thrower to verify their score before removing their darts from the board. The score will remain as written by the scorer if one or more darts are removed from the board. Errors in arithmetic must stand as written unless corrected prior to the beginning of that players next throw.
14. Any disagreement (in the case of a protest, stop play immediately) between players which cannot be settled by those players involved and are not specifically covered in these rules, shall be settled by the Tournament convenor whose decision on all matters, including the interpretation of the rules, shall be final and binding. *"No after the fact protests"* will be accepted.
15. Good sportsmanship should be the prevailing attitude throughout each tournament. Bad sportsmanship is cause for ejection from the tournament and possible disciplinary action.
16. Gambling is neither allowed nor sanctioned by the Royal Canadian Legion.
17. When a match is won, it must be reported *immediately* by the winner to the Section Leader or Control Desk.
18. Dress code *(respectable attire at all times)* will be in effect and strictly enforced.
19. The no smoking rule will be enforced.