



Provincial Directors Report – Kim Clawson

The final total for the provincials was 38 men and 18 women.
Team Manitoba consists of:

Men's - 1st Gerry Convery, 2nd Jeff Dueck, 3rd Rory Orvis, 4th Cory Tkach, 5th Ron Looker, 6th Dave Hendy, 7th Stuart Speight
8th Les Douglas

Ladies - 1st Angie Wark, 2nd Dianne Becker, 3rd Addy Murdock, 4th Trish Wark, 5th Charlene Bell, 6th Denise Ward, 7th Tiina Winton, 8th Audrey Campbell

Tiina Winton has dropped and Anna Duffy will be taking her place. Welcome Anna to team Manitoba.

See results page for World Cup Qualifier Tourney results and complete standings from the Adult Provincials.

I would also like to thank Sandra Orvis for all her help at the Provincials and also would like to commend her on taking out a membership just to play the World Cup Qualifier.

I would like to remind everyone that we are holding the Nationals in 2008 and we are looking for volunteers for that week if you are interested please contact Angie Wark or Kim Clawson.

Also we are looking for board sponsorship or tournament sponsorship for the Nationals if anyone knows of any businesses or the company you work for please contact Barb Pugh.

I would like to wish Team Manitoba Good Luck at the Nationals. I know they will do us proud.

Message from the Editor

*Congratulations to
Charlene Bell and
Gerry Convery for
winning \$500.00
towards their trip to
the World Ranked
Klondike Open in
Edmonton, Alberta.*

Wow, it's hard to believe that it is April already and both Youth and Adult Provincials are behind us. Congratulations to Team Manitoba and I would like to wish you all the best at your respective Nationals.

I know everyone has heard this before but I can't thank "Stan Milosevic" enough for all he has done for the new MDAI site. I have heard nothing but great things from the members.
SO THANKS AGAIN STAN!

The next newsletter will probably be sent out sometime in September or October. A date has yet been set so watch the website for more info.

Zone Reports

Zone 1 – Ryan Bell

No report

Zone 2 – John Vissor

Zone 2 is happy to be back in operation as a member of the Manitoba Dart Association. We held an organizational meeting in September 2006, to determine interest in resurrecting the Zone. We were happy to have 10 people attend the first meeting where we elected a slate of officers for the executive and started planning for the season.

2006/2007 Executives

Chairman – Tim Breton

Ways and Means Director – Brian Geard

Secretary Treasurer – John Visser

Tournament Director – Scott Sansom

Junior Development – Mark Wright

Membership

As of December 31, 2006 we had signed up 5 men and 5 ladies for a total of 20 adult members.

Competition

We held our first Provincial Qualifier on December 2, 2006. We had 13 men compete and 0 ladies. We hosted a tournament in Lac Du Bonnet December 16, 2006. There were 24 players in the singles event and 12 teams in the doubles event. Lac Du Bonnet did a great job hosting this event and as a result we moved our 2nd Qualifier there. The Qualifier held on February 4, 2007 had 12 men and 3 ladies competing. In total we had 15 men and 3 ladies qualify for the Provincial tournament.

Priorities for 2007/2008

1. Junior Darts: Restart the youth program in Selkirk; provide any interested youth players an opportunity to compete at the highest level.
2. Expand our Membership Base: There are approximately 200 adult players competing in leagues across the Interlake.

3. Senior Darts: A large proportion of the 200 players are over 50. Having events that cater to this demographic would benefit the entire MDA.
4. Hosting a Ranked Tournament
5. Raise our profile; People need to know what we do and how they can get involved.

In Zone 2 we believe that in order for darts to grow as a sport we must find a way to attract as many participants as possible no matter their age or ability. This will require a concerted effort to develop programs that will allow dart players to compete at a level where they are comfortable. The more opportunities an individual has to have fun the greater the chance they will stay involved.

Zone 3 – Gerry Convery

No Report

Zone 6 – Bill Brown

Topgun League 2006/07
Final Standings

1 st	Tom Waldner	181 Points
	Performance .705	
2 nd	Bill Brown	157 Points
	Performance .644	
3 rd	Ron Unrau	148 Points
	Performance .555	
4 th	Les Douglas	142 Points
	Performance .741	
5 th	Cory Giesbrecht	105 Points
	Performance .529	
6 th	Don Peters	88 Points
	Performance .369	
7 th	Curtis Elston	56 Points
	Performance .129	
8 th	Brad Atkins	54 Points
	Performance .349	
9 th	Kirk Wilson	45 Points
	Performance .382	
10 th	Randy Major	39 Points
	Performance .414	
11 th	Frank Edwards	35 Points
	Performance .653	
12 th	Jean Chevier	15 Points
	Performance .275	

Zone Reports – con't

Zone 6 - Perfect Scores (180) Les Douglas x 9, Tom Waldner x 5, Ron Unrau x 2, Bill Brown, Don Peters, Cory Giesbrecht, Brad Atkins & Randy Major

High Score (177) Tom Waldner, Bill Brown, Ron Unrau

High Open (160) Les Douglas
High Finish (148) Cory Giesbrecht

Most High Scores (101) Bill Brown, (96) Tom Waldner

Most High Opens (20) Les Douglas, (18) Bill Brown

Most High Finishes (9) Tom Waldner, (7) Les Douglas

Sportsperson of the Year – Curtis Elston

Most Improved Player (+ .178) Don Peters

Most Promising New Player – Kirk Wilson

Most Valuable Player – Les Douglas (2nd year qualifying for Team Manitoba).

Hope to see everyone out at the Mary Jane Tournament June 22-23/07 at the Mary Jane Campground.

Coaches Report – Wally Czmola

We wish the Youth best of luck at the Nationals and have a Good time.

At the end of May the Junior Dart League will end and I hope to see everyone out again next year when we start up on September 8th, 2007.

GOOD LUCK AND SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!

We would like to take this opportunity to thank West Kildonan Legion on their "Gold Level - \$200.00" sponsorship for the Manitoba Open.

Ways & Mean's Director – Barb Pugh

*A variety of sponsorships levels are available to Businesses, for the **2008 Adult and Youth Nationals** in Winnipeg: Bronze" Level; anything up to \$1000.00, Silver" Level; \$1001.00-\$5,000.00; Gold" Level; \$5,001.00-\$10,000 and "Platinum" Level; \$10,001 and up. For more information please contact Ways and Means Director - Barb Pugh at b-pugh@hotmail.com or phone: 471-5609.*

*Win an autographed dart shirt by some of the World's Greatest Dart Players. Tickets will be available at MDAI events or from Barb Pugh. Cost is 1 ticket for \$2.00 or 3 tickets for \$5.00. Draw will take place at the Golden Boy Tournament. **ALL PROCEEDS WILL GO TOWARDS HOSTING THE 2008 NATIONALS!***

Volunteer/Members Appreciation Night

*The MDAI would like to invite all "Volunteers and Members to an Appreciation Night". An appreciation evening is planned at the West Kildonan Legion on **APRIL 28, 2007 from 6:30pm- 1:00am**. You will be treated to a night of FUN, MUSIC AND APPETIZERS! All members will be offered a ticket to the evening at no charge if you wish to bring a guest there will be a charge of \$5.00. Volunteers and Members will also receive one free drink.*

*Volunteers are needed for a number of events and are always appreciated. The MDAI would like to take this opportunity to thank **ALL** of our members who volunteer their time and hard work..... without your dedication we would not have an Association.*

Volunteers are needed for setup and take down at the Manitoba Open – April 20-22, 2007. Also to work at a Bingo at Club Regent on June 30th, 2007. Watch the Website for more details and times.

Youth Director – Donna Ferguson

We had 15 youth participate this year at the provincials: 3 senior boys, 1 senior girl, 8 junior boys, and 3 junior girls. I was quite impressed with their play this year. We will, however send a full team to the nationals which will be held in Lachine, QC.

See full results on results page.

We wish them well at the Nationals in May 2007.

It would be appreciated if some adult players showed up some Saturday mornings from 9:00 - 11:00 am to help give them practice.

Once September rolls around, we will begin to set up fundraising events, as Manitoba will be hosting the 2008 Youth Nationals. Several thousand dollars are required to host. If anyone has ideas on fundraising events, please submit them. It would be much appreciated.

If anyone knows of youth that would be interested in playing, please contact your zone executive or myself. It would be wonderful to have a growth in our sport.

Thanks to those who have volunteered their time to help our youth.

Special Awards Presented

On Sunday, March 11, 2007 at the MDAI Annual General Meeting, three of our members were recognized for their contributions to the sport of darts in our Province.

Charlene Bell was voted the Most Valuable Player of the Year for her many accomplishments this past year. Charlene won the World Ranked Klondike Open in Edmonton, Alberta, which earned her a spot to represent Canada at the 2007 BDO World Masters in England. Also for Manitoba to have a female player ranked 2nd in Canada sure puts us on the map. Congratulations Charlene on a well deserved award and we wish you all the best on your continued success.

♪ ***They're bringing Zone 2 B A C K, Yeah!*** ♪

Congratulations to John Vissor and Tim Breton from Zone 2, they were awarded MOST VALUABLE MEMBERS. These two gentlemen are responsible for resurrecting Zone 2. Thank you to both of you for all your hard work in getting Zone 2 on their feet.

MDAI UPCOMING EVENTS

Date	Host	Venue	Event Type	Reg. Time	Contact	Rank
April 20-22	MDAI	West Kildonan	Manitoba Open	see poster	Kim Clawson 204-697-2643	NDFC
April 28	MDAI	West Kildonan	<i>Volunteer Appreciation Night</i>	6:30pm-1:00am		
May 25-27	Zone 3	Kinosota	Kinosota Campout	see poster		
June 22-23	Zone 6	Mary Jane Campground	Mary Jane Tourney	Poster coming soon	Bill Brown	
June 30	All Zones	Club Regent	Bingo Fundraiser		Barb Pugh	
Aug 24-26	Zone 3	Kinosota	Kinosota Summershoot	Poster coming soon		
Sept. 8	MDAI	West Kildonan	Youth Dart League		Wally Czmola	

Tournament Results

Men's Provincials Standings

Men's

1st Gerry Convery, 2nd Jeff Dueck, 3rd Rory Orvis, 4th Cory Tkach, 5th Ron Looker, 6th Dave Hendy, 7th Stuart Speight, 8th Les Douglas, 9th Dave Duncan, 10th Tom Waldner, 11th Chris Parei, 12th Quentin Loutitt, 13th Stand Brooking, 14th Elwin Becker, 15th Bill Brown, 16th Charlie Braun, 17th John Visser, 18th Aaron Ward, 19th Christian Caron, 20th Luke Jackson, 21st Ron Unrau, 22nd Tony Moss, 22nd Sandy Campbell, 22nd Curtis Zirk, 25th Kerry Loe, 26th Cory Giesbrecht, 27th Dwayne Fontaine, 28th Ryan Bell, 29th Brian Geard, 30th Tim Breton, 31st Greg Brown, 32nd Dwayne Wickstrom, 33rd Randy Major, 34th Miguel Aravena, 35th Chris Morozik, 36th Darryl Popowich, 37th Ed Kraus, 38th Wally Czmola

Women's

1st Angie Wark, 2nd Dianne Becker, 3rd Addy Murdock, 4th Trish Wark, 5th Charlene Bell, 6th Denise Ward, 7th Tiina Winton, 8th Audrey Campbell, 9th Janna Novak, 10th Fay Dooley, 11th Esther Toews, 12th Anna Duffy, 13th Selina Ward, 14th Donna Ferguson, 15th Donna Guimond, 16th Barb Pugh, 17th Mary Dueck, 18th Doreen Champagne

Team Pairing for Nationals 2007

Men's Doubles

1. Rory Orvis & Gerry Convery
2. Dave Duncan & Stuart Speight
3. Les Douglas & Jeff Dueck
4. Cory Tkach & Tom Waldner

Women's Doubles

1. Donna Ferguson & Trish Wark
2. Dianne Becker & Denise Ward
3. Audrey Campbell & Charlene Bell
4. Addy Murdoch & Anna Duffy

Mixed Doubles

1. Gerry Convery & Trish Wark
2. Rory Orvis & Charlene Bell
3. Dave Duncan & Donna Ferguson
4. Stuart Speight & Addy Murdock
5. Jeff Dueck & Dianne Becker
6. Les Douglas & Audrey Campbell
7. Cory Tkach & Denise Ward
8. Tom Waldner & Anna Duffy

If anyone drops out the alternate replacing them will just go into their spot.

World Cup Qualifier

Men's

1st Gerry Convery, 2nd Rory Orvis, Jnt 3rd Bill Brown, Jnt 3rd Quentin Loutitt, Jnt 5th Larry Caruk, Jnt 5th Dwayne Fontaine, Jnt 5th Miguel Aravena, Jnt 5th Stuart Speight

Women's

1st Charlene Bell, 2nd Donna Ferguson, Jnt 3rd Barb Pugh, Jnt 3rd Anna Duffy, Jnt 5th Sandra Orvis, Jnt 5th Donna Guimond

Youth Provincial Team

Junior Girls: Ashley-Ann Patrick, Katelin Smith

Junior Boys: Justin Shannon, Daniel Pawloski

Senior Girls: Courtney Conroy, Kristy Kohinsky

Senior Boys: Michael Main, Alex Kohinsky

GO TOBA GO!

TUESDAY NIGHT DARTS

"POWER LEAGUE"

(Men's and Ladies)

- ❖ Played over 4 quarters
- ❖ \$20.00/quarter & \$5.00/night
- ❖ 100% payout and end of each quarter
- ❖ EVERYONE RECEIVES MONEY
- ❖ "Snowball" & 50/50 each night

1st quarter – Aug. 28th – Oct. 16th

2nd quarter – Oct. 23rd – Dec. 11th

3rd quarter – Feb. 5th – Mar. 25th

4th quarter – Apr. 1st – May 20th

Every TUESDAY NIGHT!!!

Start time is 8:00pm.

West Kildonan Legion

Hartford & Main

To Register Contact:

Kim Clawson @ 582-4325 or

Gerry Convery @ 694-5909



18th Annual Kinosota Dart Club Camp-out Dart Tournament

May 25th, 26th & 27th, 2007



\$3500.00



NDFC #20031207

SINGLES EVENTS ARE SANCTIONED BY THE MANITOBA DART ASSOCIATION INC. AND THE NATIONAL DART FEDERATION OF CANADA

EVENT	DATE	REGISTRATION	ENTRY FEE	1 ST	2 ND	Jnt 3 RD	Jnt 5 TH
BLIND DRAW	FRI, MAY 26 th	7:30 – 8:15 P.M.	\$10.00	\$200	\$100.00	\$50.00	\$20.00
MIXED DOUBLES	SAT, MAY 27 th	9:00 – 9:45 A.M.	\$30.00	\$200	\$160.00	\$80.00	\$30.00
LADIES DOUBLES	SAT, MAY 27 th	2:30 – 3:15 P.M.	\$30.00	\$150	\$90.00	\$50.00	\$20.00
MEN SINGLES	SAT, MAY 27 th	2:45 – 3:30 P.M.	\$21.00	\$250	\$180.00	\$90.00	\$40.00
LADIES SINGLES	SUN, MAY 28 th	10:45 – 11:30 A.M.	\$21.00	\$120	\$80.00	\$50.00	\$25.00
OPEN DOUBLES	SUN, MAY 28 th	11:00 – 11:45 A.M.	\$30.00	\$250	\$180.00	\$100.00	\$40.00
			PAYOUTS TOTALS	\$1170	\$790.00	\$840.00	\$700.00
						TOTAL	\$3500.00

- ❖ **NDFC PLAYING RULES IN EFFECT.**
- ❖ **TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS DECISIONS ARE FINAL.**
- ❖ **PLAYERS SUSPENDED BY THE N.D.F.C. AND M.D.A.I. ARE INELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE.**
- ❖ **NOTE (No Joint 5th in any events that have less than 12 entries)**
- ❖ **ALL EVENTS – WILL BE A MODIFIED ROUND ROBIN TO A KNOCKOUT ROUND**

- ❖ *PANCAKE BREAKFAST SATURDAY AND SUNDAY – 9:00 A.M. TO 11:00 A.M.*
- ❖ *LUNCH WILL BE AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT*
- ❖ *FREE UNSERVICED CAMPSITE WITHIN WALKING DISTANCE OF VENUE*
- ❖ *HOTELS AND MOTELS LOCATED 20 –40 MINUTE DRIVE FROM VENUE*

- ❖ **SATURDAY EVENING BARBEQUE –**

FOR INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL: ELDON CAMPBELL at 1-204-767-2253
 KINOSOTA DART CLUB (SUNDAY AND WEDNESDAY EVENINGS, 8:00 P.M. TO 11.00 P.M.) 1-204-767-2153