

LLDL AMENDMENTS April 2024

Tournaments

1. Since it is always the premier/1st division tournaments that have the biggest turnout and end at least at 1 or 2 am, why not separate them and have a premier tournament and a 1st division tournament to make it more manageable and finish at a more respectable time for those of us that have to get up early for work the next day.

Submitted by Julie Whiteside

2. For all Premier and 1st Division Tournament formats to be 2 games, total points during the round robin.

Submitted by Tina Johnson

3. To change 5.25 - All team tournaments will be played as straight knockout. Format will be best two (2) out of three (3), 501, SI/DO, unless body present differently.

5.0 Game Rules of Play - As reads now ...5.25 All tournaments will be played as round robin format going into knockout. Knockout will be best two (2) out of three (3), 501, SI/DO, unless body present differently.

Submitted by Trudy Pettigrew

4. As for tournaments, is there any way we can have them run on a time frame that would keep us from playing into the late hours into the mornings. So many people do not come out for this reason as well, but if we could figure out how to shorten the play time we would have more people come out.

Submitted by Cheryl Lockrey

5. In an effort to limit the potential of tournaments running extremely late into the evening and in particular provide some reprieve for members that are required to attend jobs/have morning responsibilities, We are proposing a split of premier and 1st division, given they are separate divisions that seem to have the most people come out to and routinely seem to end the tournament after 1 a.m.

Example - *If there are eight (8) teams in 1st division; we propose to split into two (2) sections of four (4) in each for the round robin games (two (2) games of 701) with two*

(2) teams advance. For doubles tournaments, if there are 12-15 teams, split into then two (2) sections of six (6) or three (3) sections of five (5).

Submitted by Kathy (Kopac) Sheppard

6. Same for Singles Tournament. (As in #5; but instead of teams, it would be singles).

Submitted by Kathy (Kopac) Sheppard

Tournament Points

7. I was also thinking that we should find an alternative to having the tournament points. I think that as adults we can play darts and win or lose the season on our own without using extra points to help us reach the peak to squeak by another team that just can't play tournaments because some of their players have anxiety and can't play because of the crowded rooms.

Submitted by Cheryl Lockrey

8. All tournaments to be a point event.

Submitted by Sheila Carty

9. Team Tournaments to have Premier to 3rd division - one (1) game, 1001, round robin.

Submitted by Sheila Carty

10. In all tournaments, there would be no changing format of play for round robin. All divisions play exactly same including playoffs.

Submitted by Sheila Carty

Registration

11. To have every registered member (team), to pay the tournament fee of \$5.00; even if they do not participate in the tournaments. The reason for this amendment is to offset the cost of the attendance for those members not coming out to support the league. We use these funds for our year-end banquet. \$60 registration fee just don't cut it; we need these funds.

Submitted by Tammy Lonsbary & Debbie Rameau

12. To have every registered team in 2024-2025 season to donate gift cards valued to be determined to be used for our year-end banquet to off-set the expenses. Because of not having enough funds at the end. To use as prizes for whatever is decided on, at that time, like members to receive or as raffle prizes etc. And if it works, to have it every year.

Submitted by Tammy Lonsbary

Banquet Tickets

13. 7.0 Banquet Tickets - There are four (4) nights of tournament play that has point nights (Memorial, Youth, Singles & Doubles), if you don't attend these tournaments, a dollar value comes off your deposit of your banquet ticket.

***That is an example** - This year's ticket/deposit was \$30. I didn't attend all four (4) of these said tournaments, so at \$5 per event equals \$20, would be taken off my deposit, when I attend the banquet, I would get \$10 back. Or, raise the cost of membership fees to include these four (4) tournaments.*

Submitted by Trudy Pettigrew

Awards

14. To propose that the 3rd Place winners to receive a plate for their plaque; 1st & 2nd already receives one. Even the Olympics recognize Bronze Winners.

Submitted by Billie M. Colbourne

Elections

15. I would like to see more people, having a chance at running for Executive. So, I would like to put in an amendment. That the Executive can only run for two (2) terms so it gives more people, that want to run, a chance to run.

Submitted by Corinna Genders

16. Propose Treasurer to run for position every two (2) years along with the other Executive Election.

Submitted by Sheila Carty

17. Propose if an Executive member steps down for any reason. The Executive to refer to the intent to run forms and elect a new member at a special meeting.

Submitted by Sheila Carty

Youth & Charity Tournament & Donation

18. Youth Tournament to have a cap amount donated of \$500 with remaining staying in the Ladies League.

Submitted by Tina Johnson

19. To provide confirmation as to whether the proceeds from the youth tournament are split between both youth leagues. If not, we believe that should be implemented so that all London youths benefit from the tournament.

Submitted by Kathy (Kopac) Sheppard

20. Charity Tournament donation to have a cap of \$200 with remaining staying within the Ladies League.

Submitted by Tina Johnson

Miscellaneous

21. To propose that the league set up the ladies league like the men's league. They play each team four times during the season and they play a longer season as well. This means more playing time for all and it is equal playing time per team, which I believe will even things out a little better for all involved.

Submitted by Cheryl Lockrey

22. Propose to have Treasurers' Report in monthly meetings.

Submitted by Sheila Carty

23. Propose to have 2nd & 3rd division - Double one (1) rule. (4th & 5th have this already).

Submitted by Sheila Carty

Premier Division only

24. Propose the last set of Doubles, play Cricket. (Standard rules, doubles, points).

Submitted by Sheila Carty