

LLDL - 2025 Amendments

Constitution

Rule Book 1.0.2 – New – Land Acknowledgement: The City of London is situated on the traditional lands of the Anishinaabek, Haudenosaunee, Lunaapeewak and Attawandaron. We honour and respect the history, languages and culture of the diverse Indigenous people who this territory home. The city of London is currently home to many First Nations, Metis and Inuit people today. As representative of the people of the City of London, we are grateful to have the opportunity to work and live in this territory.

Submitted by Jean Simpson, Secretary

Rule Book 2.2.9 – New – All elected or appointed members to the Executive Board are required to sign a “Non-Disclosure Agreement” and the Secretary, will keep on file.

Submitted by Tina Johnson, Vice President

Duties of Officers

Rule Book 2.3.3 – Vice President added to her Duties – that if a Director is ill or absent from their position. Then the Vice President does their duties.

Submitted by Tammy Lonsbary, Treasurer

Rule Book 2.3.3 – Vice President added to her Duties – The Vice President and Directors to have a fundraiser during the year.

Submitted by Tammy Lonsbary, Treasurer

Rule Book 2.3.4 – 4 (a) – Secretary to receive a gas allowance monthly, based on mileage, from September to December to go to the different venues to register new players. *Secretary must have her own transportation to receive the amount to be discussed.*

Submitted by Tammy Lonsbary, Treasurer

Rule Book 2.3.9 – 2. She shall keep an accurate record of all monies received and disbursed to the satisfaction of the Executive Board or Auditors, produce same for inspection any time., pay all accounts by cheque, when receiving monies give a receipt, keeping on file a duplicate of such receipts and disbursements of the year in detail. She shall present a report at the Annual General Meeting (AGM).

Proposed change – Written copy of proper financials given to each team at the AGM. Report should include but not limited to opening and ending balances. Bank balance, cash balance, cost per tournament, all expenses and income earned. What did each tournament cost to run and how much money was raised.

Submitted by Grace Mackintosh, Premier

Rule Book 2.3.9 – 2 - She shall keep an accurate record of all monies received and disbursed to the satisfaction of the Executive Board or Auditors, produce same for inspection any time., pay all accounts by cheque, when receiving monies give a receipt, keeping on file a duplicate of such receipts and disbursements of the year in detail. She shall present a report at the Annual General Meeting (AGM).

Proposed change – She shall present such a Report consisting of a Balance Sheet and a Comparative Income Statement for the previous year and the current one at the Annual General Meeting (AGM).

Submitted by Bonnie Kolkman & Sue Nash, 1st Division

Rule Book 2.3.9 – The Treasurer shall be a job appointed position with the applications/resume's being accepted until May 1st of an election year to the Secretary to be kept on file, if the Treasurer shall resign. The Treasurer must be bondable.

Proposed change – The Treasurer shall be a job appointed position for a two-year term. This term shall begin one year after the Election of the Officers of the Board. The applications/resumes will be accepted until May 1st of a non-election year to the Secretary. All applications are to be kept on file in the event the Treasurer is unable to perform her duties or she resigns during the term. The Treasurer must be bondable.

Submitted by Bonnie Kolkman & Sue Nash, 1st Division

Registration of Teams and Members

Rule Book 3.0 – New - ... if a Team does not participate in a tournament the only thing the team will received at the banquet is any awards they won and the dinner that's included.

Submitted by Jocelyn Hatfield, Premier

Top two (2) Teams go up and bottom two (2) teams go down.

Proposed change – I would like to see why the Executive can have what division the team is going to the night of registration. I would like to know why two (2) teams move up and last two (2) go down. Why can't first team in each division go up and last team in each division go down.

Submitted by Deb Schofield, 4th Division

Rule Book 3.0 – (after the paragraph, All Teams at time must approve these locations). When a team wins their division the previous season, they must move up to the next division and the last place team must move down a division.

Proposed change – That the team with the most team wins moves up and least number of wins move down, not including tournaments. This does not affect placement of awards at the end of season.

Submitted by Ellen Sitzes, 4th Division

Rule Book 3.0 – New – Pick-up night is not counted on the schedule, so I don't think it should have ever been counted as points (which started last year without notice). We would like it removed from the point list.

Submitted by Cheryl Lockrey, 2nd Division

League Rules

Rule Book 4.2.4 – New – Forfeits: If the Team Captain or Co-Captain doesn't notify the Executive; ALL the points for that night should count and not just a win, plus one (1).

Submitted by Kathie Landry, 1st Division

Rule Book 4.2.4 – New – Forfeits: If the Team Captain or Co-Captain doesn't notify the Executive, the "no show" Team shall pay a fine of \$25.00.

Submitted by Kathie Landry, 1st Division

Rule Book 4.2.4 – New – No limit on forfeiting games - ***Proposed change*** – Should be limited to only one (1) forfeit per season as rescheduling game is an option. No forfeits within ten (10) games to end of season. Forfeit games should be recorded as well on weekly scores just like the tournament scores.

Submitted by Donna Gallant, 3rd Division

Rule Book 4.17.1 – Note: Once a team is registered to ***play in tournaments or playoffs***, they cannot leave until the final game is completed or the Convener of the event dismisses them.

Rule Book 4.17.2 – New - Any teams and/or individuals leaving the event without the Convener's consent will be required to donate \$25.00 to go towards the end of your banquet to be paid within two (2) weeks of the infraction.

Submitted by Tammy Lonsbary, Treasurer

New – Tournaments are still running late. Instead of taking the top four (4), we should take the top two (2). It will make for a shorter night. Can we work on that.

Submitted by Cheryl Lockrey, 2nd Division

New – Divide the Premier and 1st Divisions from two (2) Divisions to three (3) Divisions. This will allow better matchup of dart abilities to ensure the correct level of competition for everyone.

Tournaments by divisions. Less teams/players should ensure a quicker night enabling those who work early the next day can attend without having to take day off to sleep.

Submitted by Grace MacKintosh, Premier

New – To have whole league Tournaments (such as the Charity Tournament) categorized into smaller pods. *Example: First pod – Premier, 1st & 2nd and Second pod – 3rd & 4th.* Reasoning: These Tournaments run much too late and when you have a 6 am start (work) and don't get out until after 2 am. It is very discouraging to consider other tournaments.

Submitted by Angie Gale & Billie Colbourne, Angels of Anarchy

New – To consider either creating a tournament or donating funds for First Nations, Metis and Inuit Women's causes. As a Ladies league, many of whom are Indigenous Women. I feel we should support our sisters.

Submitted by Natalie Gentle, 1st Division

New - Separate 1st & Premier in tournaments; if this doesn't pass then we ask that tournament sections were equal with 1st & Premier teams. Example; if a section has six (6) teams, the section would consist of three (3) 1st Division teams and three (3) Premier teams to make it more even. We do understand that if we had odd number sections than the example stated above is impossible to be done.

Submitted by Random Shooters, 1st Division

New - Could we have fewer single tournaments and more team tournaments and double tournaments.

Submitted by Random Shooters, 1st Division

New - Can we vote to have the Bring a friend tournament as it was in prior years where it is doubles and not "blind draw teams" with the friend you brought or allow us to make up a team ourselves instead of a blind draw for the other half of the team.

Submitted by Random Shooters, 1st Division

Games Rules of Play

New - We would like to have a rule that states teams cannot double up the same players in the single games (401 & 301). We feel that if your team has a full roster then there is no need to double-up the same players in the singles games. Exception; unless your team is short players (only have 3 for example) and still want to compete and not forfeit the night.

Submitted by Random Shooters, 1st Division

Rule Book 5.18.3 – New – No time limit is mentioned in "Doubling Out"

Proposed change – When both Teams are tied with "2" or "Double one" (1). If after twenty (20) minutes, no one has taken it out. Then every player on each Team shoots and the highest score wins.

Submitted by Donna Gallant, 3rd Division

Rule Book 5.18.5 – New - Put to a vote to have Cricket in the line-up for 2025-2026 season for 1st Division in order to keep the same number of singles and doubles games. We could implement Cricket as a double's games (for one set of doubles).

Submitted by Random Shooters, 1st Division

Amendments

Rule Book 6.4.3 – Amendments to be submitted to the Recording Secretary no later than 14 days prior to the Annual General Meeting (AGM).

Proposed change – Amendments deadline and to be submitted to the Recording Secretary on May 1st.

Add: 6.4.3.1 – Amendments submitted will be posted on the LLDL website 14 days prior to the Annual General Meeting (AGM).

Submitted by Jean Simpson, Secretary

Awards/Engraved Plaque Plates to be presented at Banquet

Rule Book 7.4 – New – “Tournament Awards”; **Proposed Change** – Have Bring a Friend on Pick-up night.

Submitted by Tina Johnson, Vice President

Rule Book 7.4 – New – “Tournament Awards”; **Proposed Change** – Combine Memorial and Charity.

Submitted by Tina Johnson, Vice President

Rule Book 7.4 – New – “Tournament Awards”; **Proposed Change** – Change name of “Christmas for Kids” to “Holiday Shoot”.

Submitted by Tina Johnson, Vice President

New – For everyone that donates a prize for our tournaments, that they receive a ballot to be drawn at the Banquet.

Submitted by Tammy Lonsbary, Treasurer

League Awards

New – We think that there should be a third-place prize instead of just the honourable mention. Every team works. So hard to get where they get to and deserve the prize.

Submitted by Cheryl Lockrey, 2nd Division

Vicky Parry Memorial Award - Each team may submit, with a brief explanation, a nominee who they feel is deserving of this award to the Recording Secretary, no later than the last tournament date (as stated on the current year's schedule).

Proposed change - ...no later than May 1st.

Submitted by Jean Simpson

Venues

Rule Book 9.0 – New – No food, drink or personal containers to be brought in to any league venues is not permitted. If its during the holiday season or year-end; you must have permission from the venue before you bring anything in.

Submitted by Tammy Lonsbary, Treasurer