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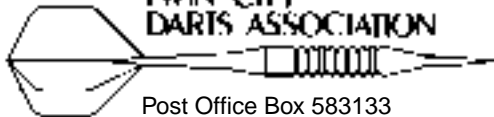
## 2003 State Tournament Champion, Jim Luebke



STATE CHAMP, JIM LUEBKE, WITH DOUBLES PARTNER CRAIG



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## From the Oval Office

With the usual comradery and excitement at the Board meeting in February it was decided to put out a special issue of the Bull & Ton to remember the good times we enjoyed for years at the Castle Pub. We thank Mike Lamminen for providing the history and Mike Morson for his expertise in producing the finished product for the TCDA.



TCDA BOARD OFFICERS

I was happy to be able to attend the recent State Tournament for a short while. There was a wonderful turnout it seemed to me and you could feel the fun and excitement in the air. Now, all of this pleasure and good time is possible only with the planning and help of the tournament leadership and volunteers. So, I am going to take a moment to tell you who did all the work. Our thanks to: Greg Eineke, Karin Fischer, Paul Cook, Karen Blades, Steve Thompson, Mike Raab, Debbie Thompson, Jeff Hafner, Tom Cushing, Mike Anderson, Paul Cushing, Johnny Hubbard, Mark LeMere, Sharon Lohmar, Julie Stevens, Bruce Fink, Jason St evens, St an Wartman and Mike Hathaidharm. For an organization to grow we need members like the above. Thanks again all, I know with members like you we will always be successful. Keep up the good work.

The Minnehaha Lanes has become noticeably prominent with many TCDA

Activities now being scheduled there. I was pleased to attend the end of the season draw tournament on December 18, 2002. My good friend Pete Franco had his whole gang there from the Castle Pub. I had my camera and managed a few snaps on the occasion.

January 7, 2003 we had a great time at the Captains meeting host ed by Jeff Quade, Manager of Minnehaha Lanes. We thank Jeff for the Happy Hour drink prices and the really good hot chicken wings etc, that he provided. Keep up the good work Jeff as I am sure we can be happy giving you our business.



TCDA BOARD MEMBERS

What a surprise I had when I walked in. It seemed the room was packed with smiling cheering faces and all the noise and decorations was for me. It was a Happy Birthday (86 11102 for me. I can't thank everyone enough for the wonderful time, it was truly great. I received a swell sweater from the TCDA, presented by my good friend Johnny H. Thanks all for the swell gift. A special thanks to my good friends Kathy Anderson, Cindy Anderson and Dina who did such a swell job decorating and providing the cake. It was nice of Cindy to take time to do this as she was visiting from Ohio.

I can't tell you the pleasure it gives me to have so many friends who care. I'm very lucky.



BIRTHDAY CARD FROM DART ATTACK

Although Mark Wegmiller is no longer on the Board, he has been very active. HE has done surveys in the past and will be presenting a new survey this year. Thanks Mark, we can learn a lot from this work.

Again this year we were treated to a nice Xmas party at the Board meeting. As you can see from the smiling faces we had a good time. Thanks Sharon for the party and all you do for us during the year.

It sure was thoughtful of team Dart Attack to think of me with a card on my birthday. It's always a pleasure to see Tommy and his guys on Tuesday night.

A little trivia that I thought you might find of interest if you missed it in the paper. The TCDA has teams playing out of Kierans Pub and Stutz Bearcat plays out of The Local. Kieran Folliard owns both of these Pubs and now recently opened The Liffey to expand his Irish empire (to quote the article.) in St. Paul. Best wishes Kieran from all of us in TCDA. Oh yes, Half Time Rec, the home Pub of Bob Larsons Parthian Shot was listed as the grandpa of the local Irish music scene. All of the above was making the news just prior to St. Patrick's day.

PS: Aspire to go as far as your greatest strengths will take you, but realize that you'll get no further than your greatest weaknesses will allow.

Marilyn Vos Savant

Good Darting and have a great summer.

More pictures from me on page 3.

Charles



# Winter 2003 Captain's Meeting/Charles Stutz's Birthday Party Photos



CINDY, DINA & KATHY



CAPTAIN'S MEETING PATRONS



NICE BIRTHDAY BANNER



KEEP YOUR DARTS OUT OF THE CAKE!



MORE MEETING PATRONS



A SPECIAL PLACE FOR CHARLES TO SIT



FRAN TOOK GOOD CARE OF THE DARTERS



THE ENTIRE TEAM, DART ATTACK, WAS ON HAND AND GAVE CHARLES A NICE CARD



PUB FUN TRIPLES NOW AT MINNEHAHA LANES



MINNEHAHA LANES HAS A NICE SETUP

## 2003 Minnesota State Tournament

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### Results of the 2003 Minnesota State Tournament

#### Senior's Event

- 1st Gene Boivin & Kris Kirkendoll
- 2nd Jan Anderson & Mike Raab
- 3rd Marty Fitzgerald & John McGovern
- 4th Bruce Fink & Jim Hunt

#### Men's Doubles Event

- 1st Craig Longwell & Jim Luebke
- 2nd Dave Jankowski & John Mennenga
- 3rd Mike Anderson & Dave Blake
- 4th Gene Boivin & Michael Hathaidharm
- 5th/6th Paul Canterbury & Mike Raab  
Vince Arrigoni & Jim Kirkbride
- 7th/8th David Lawrence & Jeff Lawrence  
Daryl Boldt & Bob Mielke

#### Women's Doubles Event

- 1st Karin Fischer & Debbie Thompson
- 2nd Anita Groen & Julie Stevens

#### Women's Singles Event

- 1st Jan Anderson
- 2nd Anita Groen
- 3rd Deb Thompson
- 4th Julie Stevens

#### Men's B-Flight Singles Event

- 1st Donn Vellekson
- 2nd Mike Raab
- 3rd Jim Hunt
- 4th Tom Tulupan
- 5th/6th Dave Burton  
Paul Harfield

#### Men's Open Singles Event

- 1st Jim Luebke
- 2nd Michael Hathaidharm
- 3rd David Lawrence
- 4th John Mennenga
- 5th/6th Paul Canterbury  
Bob Mielke
- 7th/8th Dave Blake  
David Wold

#### Luck of the Draw

- 1st Paul Cook & Michael Hathaidharm
- 2nd Jan Anderson & Marty Fitzgerald
- 3rd Bob Mielke & Margo Ulrich
- 4th Steve Millman & Jan Van Oppen
- 5th/6th Vince Arrigoni & Daryl Ware  
Tommy Dunne & Jim Kirkbride

#### Ton 80's

- Mike Anderson
- Gene Boivin
- Paul Canterbury
- David Jankowski
- Jim Kirkbride (2)

#### Ton 71

- John McGovern
- More photos on page 5. ●



SENIOR'S WINNERS, KRIS & GENO



WHO LET CHARLES HAVE THE MIC AGAIN?



PLAYERS WAITING FOR THEIR CHANCE

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*Karaoke*

# DYNAMITE

*Tom Wheaton (651) 292-1473*

## More 2003 State Tournament Photos



MEN'S DOUBLES 1ST - CRAIG & JIM



MEN'S DOUBLES 2ND - DAVE & JOHN



I HOPE THEY DIDN'T USE A FLASH ON THIS ONE



MARK TRIED TO STEAL THE TROPHY



WOMEN'S DOUBLES 1ST - KARIN & DEBBIE



WOMEN'S DOUBLES 2ND - JULIE & ANITA

## Classic A Mid-League Tournament

Classic "A" Mid league tournament was at Minnehaha Lanes. Ten darters were paired off (luck of the draw) into five teams in pursuit of the \$150.00 purse. The format was double elimination, It was agreed to play one leg each of 501,301,cricket best of three legs. The winner of the diddle would choose the game. Jeremy and Bruce Fink took third place and twenty dollars.

David and Kris Kirkendoll took second and fifty dollars. Mark Wegmiller and Dick Sorenson prevailed for first place and eighty dollars. The competition was keen and exciting right up to the last dart which was thrown by Mark to hit a double sixteen to close cricket in the third leg of the last match. A great night of darts and a good time had by all. ●



CLASSIC A 1ST - MARK & DICK



CLASSIC A 2ND - KRIS & DAVID



CLASSIC A 3RD - BRUCE & JEREMY

## **SCOREKEEPER'S TEN COMMANDMENTS**

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1. *Thou shall not talk while keeping score.*
2. *Thou shall not move about—stand still!!!!*
3. *Thou shall not look at the shooter—stand Face to the board.*
4. *Thou shall not call out the score of one dart or all three darts—unless asked.*
5. *Thou shall not tell a shooter what to shoot.*
6. *Thou shall not tell a shooter what combination to shoot for an out.*
7. *Thou shall not change a score if that player has shot again and a second score written down.*
8. *Thou shall not lean out to see where a dart is or follow the darts with body or head movement.*
9. *Thou shall not show any signs of disgust or excitement while scoring.*
10. *Thou shall not change the sides of the score sheet of the players in three leg matches. If you start a player on the left, leave him on the left regardless of the bull.*

## **Dart supplies**

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### **Own a part of Castle Pub History.**

The T.C.D.A has the Backboards and dart boards from the Pub for sale. Backboards are \$40.00 and you get a free used board. There are two styles, the red Bud boards and the blue Miller boards.

For new supplies we have A.D.O. 25th year boards for only \$35.00 per board. Great new out charts for \$25. Complete Bar setups for as low as \$150.00 which include, New Dartboard, Lights Backboard, Scoreboards and a throwing line. Call Mike at (612) 529-2244 for more info.

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## **Dale Thomas Hits 8T0 in Classic C Mid-League Tourney**

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When the first match of the evening's event at Minnehaha Lanes got under way, five teams were signed up. The players agreed to a Round Robin format for the night and everyone got a shot at the winner's circle for five matches apiece.

The competition the camaraderie were both excellent and made for a very fun evening. Right after scoring his 8T0, Dale said "be sure you turn this into Sharon (Lohmar), I want it recorded". A special thanks goes to Minnehaha Lanes for their cash contribution to match our entry fees. This resulted in some handsome payouts for the top three teams who were:

- 1st David Lawrence & Mike Lamminen
- 2nd Daryl Ware & Dan Heffernan
- 3rd Donn Vellekson & Dale Thomas

Chalking for the evening's matches got a little interesting because every one but the Lamminens (Mike, Carmen and Chris) had a name that started with the letter "D"... David, Daryl, Don, Donn, Dale, Dan and Doug. We managed to keep track of the winners despite the confusion.

Congratulations to the winners and thanks to all who attended.



CLASSIC C 1ST - DAVID & MIKE



CLASSIC C 2ND - DARYL & DON



CLASSIC C 3RD - DONN & DALE

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## Dart Pubs and the Wrecking Ball

By Stan Wartman

This is a list of former dart pubs that have been or will be torn down. See if you remember these places.

- Pub 1 - The Attic, St. Paul. Torn down for a parking ramp
- Pub 2 - The Jabberwocky, Shakopee. Torn down.
- Pub 3 - Duffs on 8th Street, Minneapolis. Torn down.
- Pub 4 - Radisson Minneapolis, site of 1979 & 1980 \$10,000 Overcoat Open. Torn down for new Radisson.
- Pub 5 - Duffs on 9th & Hennepin, Minneapolis. Torn down for Rock Bottom Brewery.
- Pub 6 - The Godfather, Richfield at Lyndale & 66th. Torn down for new Chammps.
- Pub 7 - McReady's, Minneapolis. Torn down.
- Pub 8 - Shanty Town, Bloomington. Torn down.
- Pub 9 - Blue Ox, Minneapolis. Torn down.
- Pub 10 - Millers Coaches, Como Ave., St. Paul. Hauled away?
- Pub 11 - Paul's Place, Snelling Ave., Roseville. Site of 1982 \$12,000 Tournament. Torn down.
- Pub 12 - The Scoreboard, Cedar Ave., Bloomington. Torn down.
- Pub 13 - Paddock, Crystal. Torn down.
- Pub 14 - Cheers, 6th Street, Minneapolis. Torn down for Block E renovation.
- Pub 15 - Goofy's, Minneapolis. Torn down for the Target Center.
- Pub 16 - Haberdashery, St. Paul. Site of Gopher \$1,001, June 1975. Torn down for Lawson Software bldg.
- Pub 17 - Ernies/Cruefields/Arbuckles (all in same space). Torn down for Lawson Software bldg.
- Pub 18 - Timothy O'Toole's, St. Louis Park. Torn down.

- Pub 19 - Classic Motor Coach, St. Louis Park. Site of End-of-Season 1st Place Playoffs. Torn down.
- Pub 20 - Castle Pub, N. St. Paul. Torn down for new Police & Fire Stations.
- Pub 21 - King of Clubs, Minneapolis. Used in the movie "Fargo". To be torn down soon.
- Pub 22 - Everett McClay VFW, Bloomington. Site of the 2001, 2002 and 2003 Dartmania Extravaganza \$5,000 tournaments. To be torn down soon.

If we missed any dart pubs being torn down, please let us know. ●

## Upcoming Events

### Friday Night Tournaments @ Minnehaha Lanes

Every Friday @7:30 p.m.

### Summer League

Probably in progress by press time.

### Fall League Captain's Meeting

Tentative meeting date 9/2/03. Play Starts 9/9/03.

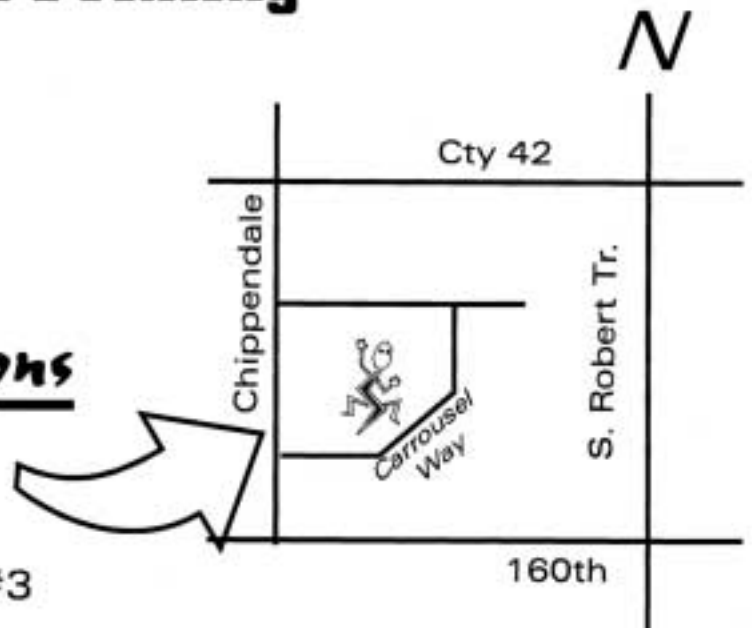
### Annual TCDA Banquet - October 18th @ Minnehaha Lanes

More information to follow. ●





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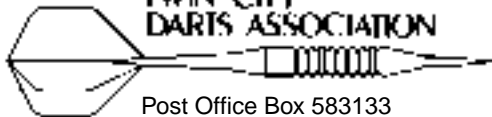
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## 2003 Dartmania Extravaganza another Success



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## **Dartmania 2003**

By Bob Marley

We started the tournament off, almost as we ended it last year, with many of the same faces and good darts. Games were as always on a Friday night; some good, others not so good, but a friendly atmosphere was all around. We knew that it was going to be a long weekend when John Anderson from St. Louis walked in and said that Steve Brown was in the hotel room and would be coming down in the morning to feed on a few Minnesota Dart Players. If you do not know Steve, he was the one who came last year, won everything, and was back to try the same thing again this year. He is ranked in the top 5 for A.D.O. points and is always fun to watch play and to talk to.

Saturday started play early and went until about 2:00 when our great President Charles Stutz said a few words to all of our guests and gave everyone some of his wise and entertaining humor. After a short break for Charles the darts began to fly and didn't stop until the end of the luck of the draw.

Sunday was the start of day light savings time and most of the darters needed the extra hour of sleep, but the tournament moved on. Darts all weekend were some of the best I have seen for some time. Everyone seemed to be only a dart or two behind and if they missed, that was the match. It was fun to watch all of the close games.

Just when the final hours of the tournament were in sight, there was a chance that someone could keep a portion of our Minnesota 1st place money from going south to St. Louis. Geno and Mike H. came alive and put Steve and John into the loser bracket with a solid match. The only problem was they would have to face them again.

The match was on. With Steve and John winning the losers they were back for revenge. The darts were flying straight and everyone came to play. The first game was close but Geno and Mike took it. If they won another game the match was over. It started fast for Mike and Geno and never slowed down. Mike ended the match with 140, 180, and 30 out. I thought that Geno was going to give

birth. For the first time in the last 2 years a team has stopped Steve and John from taking 1st place here. That had to be one of the best wins for the newly formed team of Geno and Mike.

If you didn't have the pleasure to watch the match, I'm sure Geno will be happy to relive the match with you. Congratulations to Geno and Mike for a great win.

I would like to thank Johnny Hubbard for all of his hard work in getting all of the board setups ready and back down again. He made the tournament come together as always. Once again Sharon was in control of the Tournament bracket boards, but with a new title of "Bracket Queen". Other tournament committee members that made this year run smoothly were Jeff Hafner, Margo Ulrich, Charles Stutz, Greg Oldenkamp, and Bruce Fink for which this tournament is possible. Special thanks to all of the volunteers that helped out all weekend long. Hope everyone had a great time and see you again next year for the 2004 Dartmania. ●

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## **3rd Annual Dartmania Extravaganza**

By Johnny Hubbard,  
Tournament Committee

This TCDA sponsored event took place April 4th, 5th & 6th, 2003, at the Everett McClay VFW. The tournament was held by our esteemed Tournament Director, Mike Anderson, along with our very own Bracket Queen, Sharon Lohmar, and the rest of the tournament committee, Bruce Fink, Johnny Hubbard, Jeff Hafner and Margo Ulrich.

We had a fairly good turnout despite bad weather throughout some of the states. It was nice to see some of the faces show up from out of town again to show their support.

There were a lot of swell matches held, along with a lot of upsets. Overall, the tournament was a huge success, some of our own TCDA members did very well and we all had a really nice time. Our esteemed President, Charles Stutz welcomed everyone as only he can do, we all enjoyed his comments.

We are looking forward to next year, and hoping to see you there. These tournaments are put on each year for our members and other steel darters to enjoy the competition and to welcome the chance to meet new people. We would like to see you take advantage of this opportunity.

Thanks to all for the help that you gave and we are hoping to seeing you at the next tournament. Don't forget, the next Dartmania should be bigger and better each time, looking forward to seeing you there. ●

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## **High Scores for Dartmania Extravaganza**

### **Ton 80's**

John Anderson (2)  
Dave Blake (2)  
Gene Boivin  
Steve Brown

Dana Dayton  
Bruce Fink  
Marty Fitzgerald  
Nora Goodwin  
Michael Hathaidharm (2)

Jim Kirkbride  
Eugene Tso

### **Ton 71's**

Scott Benton

# The 3rd Annual Dartmania Extravaganza, April 4th, 5th & 6th, 2003

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## Results of the 2003 Dartmania Extravaganza

### Friday

#### Blind Draw

1st	Dave Blake & Jesse Gruenstein
2nd	Michael Hathaidharm & Bob Mielke
3rd	Mike Anderson & Mark McDonough
4th	Scott Benton & Dana Dayton
5th/6th	Jan Anderson & Mark LeMere John Anderson & Tom Bradford
7th/8th	Gene Boivin & Barb Knight Justin Kahnert & Jim Kirkbride

### Saturday

#### Mixed Doubles

1st	Steve Brown & Karen Clancy
2nd	Scott Benton & Nora Goodwin
3rd	Jim Kirkbride & Dee Kirkbride
4th	Jim Luebke & Barb Knight
5th/6th	Paul Cushing & Lori Pardee Daryl Boldt & Deb Thompson

#### Open Singles

1st	Steve Brown
2nd	Gene Boivin
3rd	John Anderson
4th	Jim Kirkbride
5th/6th	Scott Benton Eugene Tso
7th/8th	Michael Hathaidharm Pat Rose

#### Women's Singles

1st	Nora Goodwin
2nd	Karen Clancy
3rd	Heidi Phillips
4th	Margo Ulrich
5th/6th	Anita Groen Barb Knight

#### Open Doubles Cricket

1st	John Anderson & Steve Brown
2nd	Jim Kirkbride & Jim Luebke
3rd	Dana Dayton & Eugene Tso
4th	Gene Boivin & Michael Hathaidharm
5th/6th	Mike Anderson & Dave Blake
	Marty Fitzgerald & Bob Mielke
7th/8th	Paul Cushing & Bruce Fink Daryl Boldt & Jan Van Oppen

#### Women's Doubles Cricket

1st	Anita Groen & Michelle Hand
2nd	Karen Clancy & Margo Ulrich
3rd	Barb knight & Lori Pardee
4th	Nora Goodwin & Raquel Specketer

#### Blind Draw

1st	Mark LeMere & Jim Kirkbride
2nd	John Anderson & Bob Mielke
3rd	Dave Blake & Tim Sokolik
4th	Marty Fitzgerald & Don Payne
5th/6th	Vince Arrigoni & Brittany Karels Paul Specketer & Dave Swanson
7th/8th	Mike Anderson & Heidi Phillips Justin Kahnert & William Stelmen

### Sunday

#### Mixed Double Cricket

1st	Steve Brown & Karen Clancy
2nd	Jim Kirkbride & Raquel Specketer
3rd	Paul Cushing & Lori Pardee
4th	Scott Benton &

5th/6th	Nora Goodwin Jesse Gruenstein & Brittany Karels Justin Kahnert & Heidi Phillips
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#### Women's Singles Cricket

1st	Nora Goodwin
2nd	Karen Clancy
3rd	Heidi Phillips
4th	Margo Ulrich

#### Open Singles Cricket

1st	Steve Brown
2nd	Jim Kirkbride
3rd	Vince Arrigoni
4th	Jim Luebke
5th/6th	John Anderson Mike Anderson
7th/8th	Michael Hathaidharm Jesse Gruenstein

#### Men's Doubles 501

1st	Gene Boivin & Michael Hathaidharm
2nd	John Anderson & Steve Brown
3rd	Jim Kirkbride & Jim Luebke
4th	Dave Jankowski & John Mennenga
5th/6th	Mike Anderson & Dave Blake Justin Kahnert & Dave Swanson
7th/8th	Dana Dayton & Eugene Tso Scott Benton & Jesse Gruenstein

#### Women's Doubles 501

1st	Karen Clancy & Margo Ulrich
2nd	Nora Goodwin & Karen Blades
3rd	Raquel Specketer & Deb Thompson
4th	Brittany Karels & Heidi Phillips

High scores on page 11.

Photos on pages 13, 14 & 15.

### 3rd Annual Dartmania Extravaganza Photos



FRIDAY BLIND DRAW 1ST - JESSE & DAVE



FRIDAY BLIND DRAW 2ND - MIKE & BOB



SAT MIXED DOUBLES 1ST - STEVE & KAREN



SAT MIXED DOUBLES 2ND - NORA & SCOTT



SATURDAY OPEN SINGLES 1ST - STEVE



SATURDAY OPEN SINGLES 2ND - GENO



SATURDAY WOMEN'S SINGLES 1ST - NORA



SATURDAY WOMEN'S SINGLES 2ND - KAREN



SAT OPEN DBLS CRICKET 1ST - STEVE & JOHN



SAT OPEN DBLS CRICKET 2ND - JIM & JIM



WOMEN'S DBLS CRICKET 2 - KAREN & MARGO



JEFF & TAMMY HAFNER

## More 3rd Annual Dartmania Extravaganza Photos



SUN MIXED DBLS CRICKET 1 - STEVE & KAREN



SUN MIXED DBLS CRICKET 2 - RAQUEL & JIM



SUN WOMEN'S SINGLES CRICKET 1ST - NORA



SUN WOMEN'S SINGLES CRICKET 2ND - KAREN



OPEN SINGLES CRICKET 1ST - STEVE



OPEN SINGLES CRICKET - JIM



IS THIS A CREATURE FROM OUTER SPACE?



SUN MEN'S DOUBLES 501 1ST - MIKE & GENO



SUN MEN'S DOUBLES 501 2ND - JOHN & STEVE



DARTERS LOUNGING AROUND WHILE WAITING TO PLAY THEIR NEXT MATCH



## **From the Oval Office, again**

I was happy to be a small part of the Third Annual Minnesota Dartmania Extravaganza in April. Regrettably, I could not stay to play but during the three hours I was there on Saturday, I had a good time meeting old friends and greeting as well as welcoming everyone. All seemed to be having a swell time. I took some pictures of volunteers, visitors and members which are presented herewith.



**MARK, PAT & BOB**



**BARB & PAT**



**SHARON & DEBBIE KEPT THINGS GOING**

Let me thank everyone for coming and cudos to Mike and Johnny and their crew for their work in arranging for the board and stand setup as well as breakdown and cleanup.

Last but not least, thank you Bruce Fink. Thank you Sharon.

Charles



**PAUL & LORI (MET AT DARTS, MARRIED 6/7/03)**



**CHARLES & CHRISTINE**



**THE PLAYER REGISTRATION TEAM**



**SCOTT BENTON WAITING FOR HIS NEXT MATCH**



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## **Pub Fun Triples Mid-League Tournament**

The Pub Fun Triples League Mid Season Tournament was held February 26th. Minnehaha Lanes, Jeff Quade welcomed everyone as usual. The Lanes matched the entry fees of \$ 90.00, (18 entry's ); and with the TCDA Donation of \$ 50.00; we had a nice payout of \$ 230.00. We paid back 6 places.

There must have been lots of pressure as the high out of the night was a 38 until the last 01 game. A 40 took the money home. Typical high outs

during league nights are usually at least a 2 dart high with a Triple to set up with. Jim Hunt with 68, Ed Thompson with 97, Al Dougherty with 88 come to mind.

Results are as follows:

- |     |                                |
|-----|--------------------------------|
| 1st | Andrew Whitney<br>Al Dougherty |
| 2nd | Kathy Schroeder<br>Paul Bloes  |
| 3rd | Paul Harfield<br>Steve Asher   |
| 4th | Dave Swanson<br>Ed Thompson    |
| 5th | Greg Eineke<br>Jason Clark     |

6th Karin Fischer  
Mike Hilleshein

Thanks for everyone that participated. We want to especially THANK JEFF Quade of MINNEHAHA LANES for making it a great time.

Oh yes, Thank you TCDA for supporting the game of STEEL DARTS. ITs a fun past time.

As you slide down the banister of life, may the splinters never face the wrong way

God Bless The USA, Support Our Troops ●

## **Classic B Mid-League Tournament**

By Sam Gamgee

The Classic B spring mid-season was held at the Hat Trick Lounge on March 4th. We had an excellent turn out of 20 people. When the names had been drawn and the teams matched up, it was plain to see that there would be no clear favorite since there were so many good teams.

After many good matches and a night of great darts, it was the team of Andrew Morson and Mark LeMere that prevailed over Tim Cain and Greg Oldenkamp. Third place went to Dean Hostager and Mark Wojciak, with Dave Burton and Jeff Hafner finishing fourth. Seventeen of the twenty participants opted to throw a dollar in the pot for high out, which was won by Jeff Hafner when he threw a 152 out in his fist match.

We want to thank Mike and Chris at the Hat Trick Lounge for hosting the tournament and for the nice spread of food they set out for us. Also, thanks to the TCDA for chipping in \$50.00 to the payouts and thanks to everyone who came and participated. It was really nice to see such a large crowd and everyone helped make it a very fun evening. ●

# Darts in the Cities

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(Inquire about other options from the  
Tournament Director).



**Friday Night  
Luck of the Draw**

**Cricket – 501 – 301  
Minnehaha Lanes**

Every Friday night  
Sign-Up 7:30 p.m.  
Starts at 8 p.m.  
Entry fee \$8

**100% Bar Match**

**Minnehaha Lanes, 955 Seminary Avenue, St. Paul, MN 651-488-7208**

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Pool to send TCDA Representatives  
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