CHRISTCHURCH MONDAY MIXED DARTS LEAGUE – RULES – WINTER

- 1. The league to be called 'Christchurch Monday Mixed Darts League'.
- 2. The league to be governed by committee (Secretary, Chairman, Treasurer) Elected by registered league players at AGM.
- 3. Any rule changes must be made at an AGM meeting with the agreement of the majority of those registered players present.
- 4. Items to be discussed at the AGM should be submitted to the secretary 1 month before the AGM and then be published at least 14 days before the AGM.
- 5. The entrance fee to be £60.00 per team. All players must be registered with the Results Secretary and moneys must be paid before the start of the season. No transfers, without agreement of both captains and committee. Once the season has started, new players must be registered (can be done on the night) and a fee of £1.00 must be paid. Any team playing unregistered players will forfeit the match 0-11g AND be fined £5.00.
- 6. Team to consist of 6 players or more (including at least 1 lady or man for Singles, Pairs Threes and Gallon). Up to 3 County players may play in the Singles/Pairs/Threes and Gallon. (New county players must be agreed by the committee).
- 7. Home Team to provide a marker, if the marker is not acceptable to the away captain the home captain will provide an alternative marker.
- 8. Minimum number of players for a match shall be four.
- 9. All games straight in, double to finish, Bull to count as double, bust rule applies.
- 10. Format:

1^{st}	- One Gallon Game of 1001 ONE leg.
2^{nd}	- Six single games of 501 best of three legs
3 rd	- Three Pairs games of 701 ONE leg.
4 th	- Two Threes games of 801 ONE leg.

At least one lady or male player to play in Gallon, Singles, Pairs AND Threes

- 11. Gallon, Single's, Pair's and Three's, Toss of coin for first leg .Single's, nearest Bull (winner of toss to throw for bull first) for third leg if required.
- 12. Order of play for singles matches to be determined by a draw .Players must play in the order they are drawn.
- 13. Order of play for pairs and threes to be determined by captains, home captain to select players first.
- 14. Where a team is unable to field 6 players including 1 lady for the singles, a bye (or byes) shall be entered in the draw; a player drawn against a bye will be awarded the game 2-0.
- 15. Where a team is unable to field 6 players including 1 lady for Pairs, the last Pairs game will be awarded to the opposing team.
- 16. Where a team is unable to field 6 players including 1 lady for Threes, the last Threes game will be awarded to the opposing team.
- 17. Night of play to be Monday at 8pm. Draw for the singles must be made by 7.55pm BEFORE THE START OF THE GALLON. Any player not present when their match is due will forfeit. Players arriving after singles may play in the Pairs and Threes. First Name and Surname MUST be entered for singles games, there after the player number should be used.

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- 18. Results cards to be forwarded (email to <u>mark_calder_180_26@hotmail.com</u>, Facebook or Txt) to the Results Secretary by the home captain, to be with Result Secretary with in THREE DAYS OF MATCH or home team will be fined £2.00. If a card is not received within 2 weeks of the match date, the game will be awarded to the away team 0-11G
- 19. A raised Oche (min 30mm High, 600 mm long) must be placed in position at the minimum throwing distance (unless doing so would cause a hazard to customers, In which case a fixed Oche should be used). It shall measure from the back of the raised Oche 2.37 Meters (7ft 9 ¹/₄ ins) along the floor to a plumb line at the face of the board. Any player **OVERSTEPPING THE OCHE** will be called **NO SCORE** by marker or checker only.
- 20. Method of scoring shall be subtraction on a board visible by both players. Home team to score.
- 21. Trophies will be awarded for League Winners & Runners Up, Gallon Winners, Male & Female Highest shot out, 180's (more than one) up to & including Finals Night + Any Competitions.
- 22. If teams are level on points at the end of the season, aggregate will be taken into account, if the teams are level on aggregate their records against each other will be taken into account. If that is equal, they will have deemed to have tied. Also Applies to the Handicap Cup.
- 23. Where there is more than one division, the top two teams will be promoted, the bottom two teams will be relegated. (Other teams may be promoted/relegated due to new teams joining or leaving the league).
- 24. If there is an increase or decrease in the number of teams at the start of a new season, the committee can restructure the league (add or remove additional divisions at it deems appropriate) and the committee can allocate new teams to the appropriate division.
- 25. The Matchboard must be made available for both teams to practice by 19:15. Away captain to agree the condition of the board before the start of the game. The matchboard should be turned or replaced as necessary. Failure to provide a match worthy board will result in the home team forfeiting the game.
- 26. The League Secretary, as per current BDO rules, shall deal with all matters and complaints not covered by these rules.
- 27. A player must have played in at least three league games to be eligible for competitions.
- 28. Teams not returning trophies by designated date will incur a £10 fine.