



2009 TADA Board Meeting Minutes
February 16, 2009

First TADA meeting since the election of officers on January 29, was held at Gills Tavern on Monday February, 16, 2009. Meeting was brought to order by Stewart Nelson, President of TADA at 6:40 PM. Officers present were:

Stewart Nelson – President
Doug Silverblade – Vice President
Joelle Wilczek - Secretary
Don Hoffman - Sgt. of Arm
Sheila Gmeiner - ADO/TADA Representative
Kelli Dougherty – Tournament Director
Chas Rankin – Communication Officer
DK – Divison 3 Rep
Dana Stokes – Division 2 Rep

Andrew Brady and Cheryl Moore were unable to attend tonight's meeting.

First order of business was that the position of **Bar Liaison / Sponsor** needed to be filled. Don Hoffman accepted the position, since he held the position last year and will hold again for the next 2 years.

A Public Relations rep. needs to be filled, this position would have a committee within itself (ie: fundraising committee). This position would be responsible in organizing events to help TADA raise and make money. This position was put on hold and further discussion was tabled.

The Bar Map on the TADA website needs to be updated and redesigned as a suggestion by Stewart Nelson. He would like to take on the project himself, and will have further discussion with Andrew Brady. Stewart would like to see the new map be more interactive.

Stewart would also like to create a survey (SURVEY MONKEY) to actual see how much traffic (activity) the TADA website receives.

Next order of business was the emphasis of getting the **score sheets in on time**, the entry of the results are pertinent to the stats appropriate scores for the teams in all divisions. Joelle suggested that a code be put into effect that gives the captains/co-captains to ability to enter if the game was either, POSTPONED, RESCHEDULED or FORFEIGHTED.

BOARD Issues: The boards at St. Michaels Pub need to be replaced and Doug has spoken to Don about this and will be taken care of. Follow up at the next Officers meeting will be discussed to make sure that all bars have good boards. Corner Pocket needs new boards and Bill (owner) will make sure it is taken care of. Shadowing is an issue at Rays Steel City Saloon; Stewart has asked Don Hoffman to look into.

A mention was made that there are still teams that owe Cheryl money for sponsorships.

Sheila Gmeiner wanted to know what is the best way of communication for the TADA roster?, that not everyone has email or the capability of checking it on a daily basis. Chas mentioned that none of the emails that she has sent out have bounced back yet, but Stewart would also like to see how many TADA members need either texting via cell or phone calls in lieu of email. Stewart has also offered to take on the responsibility in contacting the members and asking which their preferred method of communication is. Results are to be discussed at the next officers meeting.

Team Members and Team Points: Don Hoffman brought up that there is a team that has 6 people and 16 points in total, Kelli Dougherty clarified that the top 4 team members are the ones that are counted toward the teams points.

Stewart would like to know if Travis Flowers is still Youth Director? Kelli Dougherty mentioned that team members at the end of the year party were disappointed that nothing aspired from that, and she also mentioned that KJ has offered to take on that position. Bill from Corner Pocket has offered to be a sponsor for a weekend camp on Sundays. Shiela Gmeiner also brought up that FAMU has a REC center that TADA can utilize. The contact at FAMU is Roger (Kelli Dougherty has the number).

The next order of business was TADO NEWS, Stewart asked Sheila to take the floor. Sheila handed out copies of DOUBLE EAGLE, and that if anyone is interested in Playoff Programs, the deadline for TADA to participate is March 6 -8. She also mentioned that as an organization we pay ½ of the participant fee to send qualifiers, and if you make the qualifiers than ADO pays all your travel expenses. Qualifier needs to be held on February 22nd at the Corner Pocket, entry fee is \$10, and format is 501. This qualifier is for the Master Team, and format is a round robin, start time is 10:00 AM. If anyone who is interested in participating and they are not FDA member, they can join individually for a \$25 fee. Lifetime members of FDA are also welcome to participate. Joelle has asked Kelli for a list of FDA Lifetime Members for the record. Kelli Dougherty mentioned that our own Lyle Herrick has won nationals 3 times and has represented US in England.

Rays Steel City Saloon would like to establish an American Darts Game (baseball).

Division Representatives wanted to clarify that any conflicts between teams, do not handle yourselves! Please contact your division rep. PLEASE NOTE, your division rep is not part of your division to ensure there is no favoritism. The following are the division reps: DK: Division 1 // Dana: Division 2 // Fred: Division 3.

Stewart officially adjourned Officers Board Meeting at 7:34 PM

There is a short break and Team captain meeting will be called to order in 15 minutes.

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Stewart Nelson called the Team Captain Meeting to order at 7:45 PM. Stewart gave the floor to Kelli Dougherty to discuss State Team Tryouts. Kelli suggested dates that also reflect any FDA schedule tournaments. All tryouts are Saturday, Sunday unless duly noted, for more info, see posted flyers in all TADA bars locations. The format is round robin (2 games of 401 & 1 cricket) and cost is \$10 for each date, if you participate in the first 2, then you don't have to pay on the 3rd week. The tryouts will be held at the Corner Pocket and The Salty Dawg. Rosters and money are due June 1st.

The dates are the following and start times are 9:00 AM.

** Please note that the 1st weekend Women tryouts on Saturday, but the remainder 2, they are on Sunday. **

Saturday, April 25th	SALTY DAWG	WOMEN**
Sunday, April 26th	SALTY DAWG	MEN**
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<b>Saturday, May 2nd</b>	<b>CORNER POCKET</b>	<b>MEN</b>
<b>Sunday, May 3rd</b>	<b>CORNER POCKET</b>	<b>WOMEN</b>
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Saturday, May 16th	SALTY DAWG	MEN
Sunday, May 17th	SALTY DAWG	WOMENS

The State Team Regional's will be held in Orlando this year at the Orlando RAMADA Convention Center on August 15th and 16th. Regional Finals will be held on October 10th – 11th at the same location. Further information will be provided at a later date.

Kelli also asked if the Corner Pocket wanted to host a Sanction Shoot, it would start of small (\$1000 - \$1500). Discussion tabled until next meeting.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:15 PM