

Queen Street Dart League

Major Rule Changes for the 2018-2019 Season

Summary of QSDL Fall/Winter Rule Changes Effective September 18, 2018

- 1) The QSDL now operates with a 6 person format
- 2) The grammar and sentence structure of various clauses has been improved. None of these improvements change any of the rules affected.
- 3) The age at which a person may join the league has been reduced from 19 to 18 years.
- 4) Team rosters are capped to a maximum of 10 players.
- 5) For A & B divisions, play will consist of 15 sets: 3 of Doubles Cricket, 3 of Doubles 501, 3 of Doubles Chicago, and 6 of Singles. In C, play will consist of 12 sets: 3 of Doubles Cricket, 3 Doubles 501, and 6 of Singles.
- 6) Speeding up Play: Two changes this year will significantly speed up the regular season play (but they do not apply to playoffs):
 - a) All Doubles Sets must be scheduled at the beginning of the evening. Previously captains would wait for Doubles Cricket to end before setting up their Doubles 501. Now, all doubles must be set before the play begins.
 - b) to ensure no boards sit idle, sets must be played out of sequence.
- 6) Shorthanded Recycling and Match Forfeits: A shorthanded team must partner up whoever is present and begin play immediately using those people. Set and Match forfeits occur only after all playable games are finished.