

SHOOTING THE BULL

Seein Double gets to the Double!



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City Cup Runners Up—Steel Bad: Paul Morris, Joe Efter, Mike Acevedo, Henry Shuman, Maceo Hayden, Chris Daniels, & Bobby Phillips. (Lamar Scroggin & Tillie Efter)





From Left to Right: Dave Watt, Raymond Adamson, Doug Snider, Bob McGarry, Richard Griffin, Joe Wilkinson, Sean Morehouse. (Not featured: David Price, Brandon Robinson. & Billy Canfield.)

With a 176 points for the season, Seein Double found themselves 5th overall in points for the league, which placed them in the top Sunday bracket to start the playoffs. The first round on Sunday put them up against 2nd place G Division team Pitbulls of Darts, who threw their best and took 2 games of 301, but eventually Seein Double took all the rest and moved on. The Next round would be an A division match up against their old nemesis Trippin Out. After a tough battle they found themselves victorious and moving on to the Semi finals! The Next match was against C Division's Get the Point, while on the other side of the bracket, A Division's Steel bad was moving up into the Semi-finals against C Division's Trouble Shooters. It was an A division vs. C Division match up on both sides. After both games were done, Seein Double found themselves in a match against their A division rivals, Steel Bad. The First time during the season that they played each other, the score was 9-9 and the 2nd time they played against each other it was 11-7 with a victory in Seein Double's favor. The Match up was no different than any other Tuesday night for these two teams. Each game of 301 was close and every cricket game seem to sway back and forth. Eventually they found themselves tied at a 6-6 going into 601. The First match of 601 had Seein Double trailing after throwing 9 darts without hitting a double to get in. Eventually this cost them the match, as Steel Bad took to the double out before Seein Double could. However the tides turned back into Seein Double's favor as they got in for the 2nd match of 601 and Steel bad failed to double in right away. This match however was closer than the first 601, and it came down to a double 4, which Joe Wilkinson hit to win. But that didn't secure the victory. It only gave Seein Double the chance to tie Steel bad once again with a 9-9 score. This led to the dreaded 1001 match up, a 6 on 6 player line-up that scores the same as a 601 match but with 400 more points added on. Doug Snider won the diddle to throw first. Both teams were in quickly and both teams seems to be throwing the same throw back to back. Steel bad got to a double quickly before Seein Double, but they were not behind for long. After Steel bad missed a double 3 opportunity giving them a score of 3 left, it gave Seein Double a few chances to take out a double. Joe Wilkinson found himself with a double 3 as well, but he didn't miss his mark. Joe Wilkinson would be named MVP by his captain Doug Snider, and the rest as they say, is in the books!



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Aaron Thomas and Alisha Sturgess got Married!

Tony "Goose"
Trist and Renee
Reynolds got
Married!

Krista Heinz & Brent Ray got Married!



We would like to extend our condolences to Ruby Lebeau, whose mother passed away this season. Our thoughts and prayers are with Murray Salter's son who was in a terrible car accident and is in the hospital. Our best of recovery to Glenn Howard as he was rushed to the hospital last month with heart complications.

Divisional Winners

A Division 1st Place: Seein Double (176 Points)

A Division 2nd Place: Steel Bad (172.31 Points)
B Division 1st Place: Bag O Nails (180 Points)
B Division 2nd Place: Ruthless (163 Points)
C Division 1st Place: Trouble Shooters (170 Points)
C Division 2nd Place: Big Dawgz (142 Points)
D Division 1st Place: Strangers with Candy (178 Points)
D Division 2nd Place: Eddie & the Cruisers (134 Points)
E Division 1st Place: Just Dew It (158 Points)
E Division 2nd Place: Gotta Go (157 Points)
F Division 1st Place: Let Em Loose (143 Points)
F Division 2nd Place: Here 4 Beer (135 Points)
G Division 1st Place: Dubs Chubs (136.67 Points)
G Division 2nd Place: Pitbulls of Darts (135.33 Points)
H Division 1st Place: Flicka DaWrist (186 Points)

Atta-boy / Atta-girl Winners

H Division 2nd Place: Shootin Doubles (185.23 Points)

A Division Atta-boy: Doug Snider (32)
A Division Atta-girl: Angel Cox (5)
B Division Atta-boy: Chuck Tessmer (26)
B Division Atta-girl: Cat Brune (4)
C Division Atta-boy: Chad Amory (17)
C Division Atta-boy: Likim Morris (16)
D Division Atta-boy: Josh Cole (18)
D Division Atta-boy: Jennifer Wiggins (4)
E Division Atta-boy: Cowan Miller (16)
E Division Atta-boy: Mallory Lawson (5)
F Division Atta-boy: Thurman Watts (16)
F Division Atta-boy: Jameson Little (7)
Johnny Hyman (7)

G Division Atta-girl: Melissa Sanchez (4) H Division Atta-boy: Brenton Rowan (20) H Division Atta-girl: Marianne Bramble (5)

Most Congenial

A Division: Mountain Top! B Division: Double Dartini C Division: Poison Darts D Division: I'd Hit That E Division: M.A.K.Y.A. F Division: Good Ol' Boys G Division: Dub's Chubs H Division: Shootin High

180 / 9-count's

Kellen Cook: 180 & 9-Count Sean Pelliccione: 180

Rob Reisert: 180 Alex Gammon: 180 Richard Walker: 180

Mike Devlin II: 180 & 9-Count Tod Lynch Stanley: 180
Mallory Lawson: 180
Billy Strouse: 9-Count x2
Mike Lamson: 9-Count x2
Chuck Tessmer: 9-Count x2
Bobby Phillips: 9-Count
Jennifer Wiggins: 9-Count
Scott Reese: 9-Count
James Reynolds: 9-Count
Neal Pope: 9-count
Joey Roberson: 9-Count
Doug Snider: 9-Count
Chris Daniels: 9-Count

Russell Collins: 9-Count

NEW BUILDING FUND CAMPAIGN

During a board meeting in March, the board of directors voted and agreed upon the start of a bank account to fund a new building. This was first proposed by Steve Sweeney our new President as his major plan to start the ground work for the future of SADA. His vision is to eventually have a place that SADA can call home for hosting events, storing equipment, and just general all-year tournaments. A building location that we can host our own tournaments and the Savannah Open. A location that we can be proud of and promote. An environment that we can take our children and provide the opportunity for Jr. darters to grow again. This is just the first step that we have taken, and it will be up to all of us to fund this campaign and raise the money to get this building fund built. We need to come together as a family and bring support to see this in our future. The next step starts with your support to this fund, which you can help donate at any time or participate in our events that will be setup specifically to fund this account. Let's make 2016 a year that we can look back on and know that we started something that will make a difference to the league. Show your Support today!

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The Savannah Open is Coming again in May!

Mike Blankenship has been working to get our Savannah Open ready for May. It will be located at the Ramada Inn in Pooler and bookings for rooms are available for darters, simply ask for the darter's rate. Rooms are going fast, so book early in order to secure a room for the weekend. If you have any questions about the event please contact Mike Blankenship: 912) 659-5909 or Linda Blankenship: 912) 756-3037.

SPONSORS! SPONSORS! SPONSORS!

The Savannah Open is in need of Sponsors and you can win a prize for helping us! The person that contributes the most money to the Savannah Open will have their dues paid for them during the weekend events. However this must be in the form of sponsors. You can single donate the most through one sponsors, or you can have multiple sponsors that add up to the most amount. Either way, the person who brings in the most money through all of their sponsors will be declared the best gatherer and all their dues will be paid! I know what you are thinking, but that's crazy! Why would we do this? It is our way of saying thank you for helping generate more money in order to pay for the event! So look, even if you don't contribute the most and you don't win, we still need those sponsors and it is never too late to add yourself as a sponsor! Even if you do it the day before, we would appreciate it. For more information about donation prices and where to send your donations to, please contact Mike Blankenship: 912) 659-5909 or Linda Blankenship: 912) 756-3037.

ADO EVENTS!

We had several ADO events with many participants for the Winter Season.

Jan 30th Local Qualifier: 22 men and 5 ladies competed. Female Winner: Angel Cox. Male Winner: William Squires (T-Shirt Event) (Pictured Bottom-Right)

Feb. 20th National Qualifier: 9 Participants. Winner: Sean Morehouse. (Pictured Bottom-Left)

April 16th Local Qualifier: Female Winner: Cat Brune. Male Winners: Sean Morehouse, Joe Efter, & Kyle Cudebec. (Pictured Bottom-middle)



WINTER PLAYOFFS

First of all, thanks to all of you for placing your confidence in me as your Tournament Director.

I wish to express my deep appreciation to the members of SADA that came out and helped with the setting up and breaking down of the event.

What a great turnout for the Winter Play-offs with some exciting and tough games. Congratulations to Seeing Double our First Place Champions and to Steel Bad the Second Place Runner Ups.

We sold all 16 Dart Boards at a total of \$795.00. What a great start along with the Luck of the Draw, 50/50 raffle, t-shirt, and cup sales to go to our new Building fund.

Next, I would like to extend a big thank you to the Savannah Moose Lodge for hosting our event, which for the most part went off without a hitch.

Moving forward, we have booked 149 rooms for the 2016 Savannah Open, May 27th, 28th, & 29th, if you have not booked your room please call the Ramada Inn at 912-748-6464, they only have a few rooms left. The other hotels will not honor the SADA rates. This "Savannah Open" promises to be a great event, look forward to seeing you there.

Thanks again for all your time and help during these events.

Sincerely,

Mike Blankenship

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LUCK OF THE DRAW - SADA PLAYOFFS

We had a total of 56 Players join our playoff luck of the draw this Sunday. 54 of those players were SADA members and 2 were from other affiliations. We'd like to thank Cody Graffan & Samantha Devoe for coming to our playoffs and participating.

For the entire event, Brian Little was award the High Ton prize for throwing a 180 (twice!).

Thanks goes out to the following people for participating in this event: Chris Jackson, Aaron Thomas, Mark Bartholomew, Alisha Thomas, Adam Weston, Scott Brown, Dennis Harvey, Chris Tuskiewicz, Brian Little, Jr., Samatha Devoe, Robin McGarry, Stephen Sweeney, Kyle Cudebec, Chris Mattingly, Mike Cobb, Joseph Conn, Robin Kelley, William Kifferly, John Forehand, Shawn McDonald, Sean Moloney, Sandy Orr, Brian Davidson, Richard Griffin, Jake Fulcher, Jeremy Fogle, Angel Cox, Jeff Weingarten, Cody Graffan, Trey Aycock, Jonathan Felix, Jeff Johnson, Janson Fogle, Kasper Schwalb, Bobby Brown, Artie Wilcox, Scott Reese, Cat Brune, James Reynolds, Josh Cole, James Clark, Eric Bozeman, Kathlene Kifferly, Rob Naclerio, Herman Metcalf, Brian Little, Richard Allen, Mike Tarbox, Chris Rogers, Thomas Austin, Joey Roberson, Matt Garvin, Matthew Hessenflow, Todd Brazell, & Jeff Disk.



Winners of the Luck of the Draw:

1st Place: Jeff Disk & Todd Brazell

2nd Place: Matthew Hessenflow & Matt Garvin

Top 4: Joey Roberson, Thomas Austin, Chris Rogers, Mike Tarbox

Top 8: Richard Allen, Brian Little, Herman Metcalf, Rob Naclerio, Kathlene Kifferly, Eric Bozeman, James Clark, Josh Cole

Top 16: James Reynolds, Cat Brune, Scott Reese, Artie Wilcox, bobby Brown, Kasper Schwalkb, Janson Fogle, Jeff Johnson, Jonathan Felix, Trey Aycock, Cody Graffan, Jeff Weingarten, Angel Cox, Jason Fogle, Jeremy Fogle, Jake Fulcher