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Challenge the Menace. . . Dennis the Menace

by Bill Cady

Maybe you have seen dart matches from England

on the “telly”, oops, television, with the distinctive announcers and close-up views of the dart boards in action. This will be the scene at the Brick Oven

Pizza on June 26 when Dennis Priestley, two-time world dart champion, returns to Sacramento for another entertaining exhibition.

Priestley, or Dennis the Menace, as he is affectionately known in England, is currently ranked third in the world, is being brought to Sacramento by A-Zdarts.com and Magic Darts with support from the SVDA and the Brick Oven Pizza.

Dennis is presently in second place in the Holsten Premier League standing. The Holsten League just started in 2006 and features only the top 8 in the world in weekly scheduled matches across England. After completion of the 14-week schedule,

the top 4 meet for the top prize of 75,000, or \$130,000, on May 28.

At the exhibition you can play Dennis, have your game of 501 announced by an English dart announcer and watched on the big screen. All games are scored on easel-sized score sheets and autographed by Dennis upon completion. Pretty cool, huh!

The Priestley exhibition will be at the Brick Oven Pizza, 1188 38th Avenue in Sacramento at 7:00 p.m. ◀◀



Dart Stuff

by Bill Cady

As you read on the cover page English darts great Dennis Priestley returns to Sacramento for another exhibition and fun night of darts. The affable Priestley will be at the Brick Oven Pizza on Tuesday night, June 26th. The two-time world champion is back on top of his game with a ranking of number three in the world.

Priestley is presently competing in Holsten Premier League in England. The League invites only the top 8 in the world (six Englishmen and two Dutchmen this year) for a 14 week schedule. All eight play each other twice at venues all over England. Crowds range from 2,000 to 5,000!!! After the 14 week league season is over, the top 4 go to a one-day final. The winner gets £75,000, or \$130,000. Priestly is tied for second through week 11. Last years inaugural Holsten Premier League season was televised in the US during the summer. No word yet as to whether or not we will be

able to see these great, great dart events on the telly this year or not.

Thank John Baxter of A-Zdarts.com and Magic Darts on Auburn Road for the Dennis Priestley exhibition. Through hard work John has built A-Zdarts.com into a major player in the dart business worldwide. Thanks, John

The SVDA's Joe Custer won the Amateur Chicago tournament at the Biltmore Hotel Casino in March.

Jim Coon, Jr. of Walnut Creek was killed in action earlier this month in Iraq while serving in the US Army. If you don't recall Jim Jr.; he was a big, strapping kid who finished first a few years back at the US Youth Championships and represented his country at the World Championships in England. Jimmy both teamed with and played against his father, Jim Sr. at numerous Camellia Classic tournaments. A good kid and fine young man and, damn, he will be missed. If you wish to know more check out these two internet addresses

[http://sfgate.com/cgi-](http://sfgate.com/cgi-bin/article.cgi?f=/c/a/2007/04/07/SOLDIER.TM)

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P and <http://video.nbc11.com/player/?id=88903>

A much deserved hats off to chair Terry Salgy for another great Camellia Classic. It is difficult to make a transition to a new venue without some major hiccups. But, Terry and his crew did just that. The only hiccup, so to speak, was the mild heart attack (is there such a thing as a mild heart attack?) of our silver-throated tournament director, Steve Moore. Steve checked himself into a hospital early Sunday morning where it was confirmed that he had had a heart attack. The heart attack, here is the warning, was induced by an energy drink. Steve returned to work without missing a day, too.

But, the Camellia Classic continued on with Cindy Lewallen and daughter Stephanie stepping right up and gettin' er dun in Steve's absence. Thank you, Cindy and Stephanie.

You talk about a long-lived dart tournament, the 38th Oregon Open returns on Memorial Day weekend with a \$6,000 payout. For more information try Craig Boughton 503-310-3106 or Roger Christal 503-288-5510 or <http://www.portlandareadarts.com>. ◀



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WINTER 2007 Post-Season Results

OPEN DIVISION

Doubles

1. Mike Allen/Wayne Watts
2. Jim Downing/Doug MacLeod

Singles

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A DIVISION

Doubles

1. Eddie Lawrence/Chris MacDonald
2. Ron Maciel/Tom Trapasso

Singles

NOT AVAILABLE AT PRESS TIME

B DIVISION

Doubles

1. Arlie Roberts/Joe Custer
2. Shane Winstead/Will McKay

Singles

NOT AVAILABLE AT PRESS TIME

C DIVISION

Doubles

1. Joe Posadas/Shawn Walker
2. Robert Simmons/Dean Wilson

Singles

NOT AVAILABLE AT PRESS TIME

WINTER 2007 Final Standings

OPEN DIVISION

	Wins	Losses	Pct.	Behind
Brick Oven Pizza Rampant Lion	78	52	.600	
Yo Mama's House Yo Mama	71	59	.740	—
Thermadrome Garage Dawgs	67	63	.515	11
Sharon's Lounge Nacho Mama	66	64	.508	12
Brick Oven Pizza Ton & Ton Again	54	76	.416	24
VFW #6158 Kasper's Ghosts	54	76	.416	24

A DIVISION

	Wins	Losses	Pct.	Behind
Brick Oven Pizza Hard Feathers	71	25	.740	—
Callison's B&G Callison's Best	53	43	.552	18
Brick Oven Pizza ESP	45	51	.469	26
Coyote Junction Wednesday Knights	38	58	.385	33
Sharon's Lounge Grateful Darts	32	64	.333	39

B DIVISION

	Wins	Losses	Pct.	Behind
Brick Oven Pizza On Time	105	25	.808	—
The Cinch AA's	80	50	.615	25
Goeman's Goeman's Knights	74	56	.569	31
Coyote Junction Double Out	57	73	.438	48
Brick Oven Pizza The Taco Shots	56	74	.430	49
On the Y Y Guys	18	112	.138	87

C DIVISION

	Wins	Losses	Pct.	Behind
Goeman's Kings	93	37	.715	—
Cinch Lunatic Fringe	82	48	.631	11
Cinch Dart Siders	66	64	.508	27
Sharon's Lounge Loose Cannons	58	72	.446	35
VFW Dart Warriors	51	79	.392	42
Sharon's Lounge Hot Shots	38	92	.292	55

2007 Summer Season Sign-ups

The 2007 Summer season sign-ups will be at the Sharon's Lounge, April 25, 2007 at 7:30. Bring a completed team sign-ups sheet together **with the team fees**. Sponsor fees are paid by the team sponsor. If you do not have a sponsor, we will find one for you.

The Captains meeting will be May 2 at the Brick Oven Pizza.

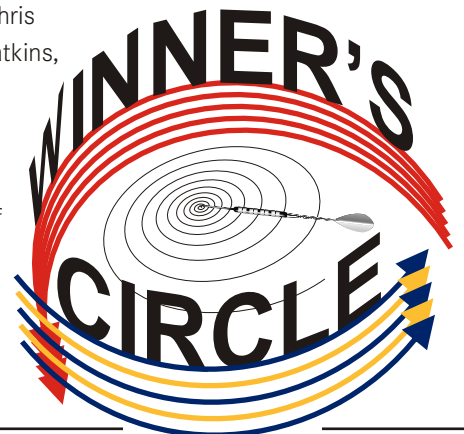
The Summer 2007 season begins on May 9. ⏪

180s - Gary Cornellier (6), RJ Combs (5), Shim Hoy (4), Joe Custer (2), Eddie Lawrence (2), Ron Maciel (2), Jim Street (2), T.J. Ilagen, Chris MacDonald, Steve Moore, Brandi Street, Ed Watkins, Rudi Wynhoff

Round of 9s - Sid Lawrence (2), Matt Covert (2), Ron Maciel (2), RJ Combs, Jeremiah Langley, Chris MacDonald, Arlie Roberts, Geoff Rutherford, Wayne Weinheimer, Rudi Wynhoff

171s - Wayne Watts (2), Dan Morgan, Wayne Weinheimer

Hat Tricks - Joe Custer, Ron Maciel



WINTER 2007 INDIVIDUAL HIGHLIGHTS

WINNING PERCENTAGES

A DIVISION	Win	Loss	Pct.
1. Gary Cornellier <i>Hard Feathers</i>	13	1	92.86%
2. Eddie Lawrence <i>Callison's Best</i>	9	1	90.00%
3. RJ Combs <i>Hard Feathers</i>	10	2	83.33%
4. Dave Edwards <i>Hard Feathers</i>	10	4	71.43%
4. Chris MacDonald <i>Callison's Best</i>	10	4	71.43%
B DIVISION			
1. Arlie Roberts <i>On Time</i>	19	1	95.00%
2. Joe Custer <i>On Time</i>	17	1	94.44%
3. Shane Winstead <i>On Time</i>	10	4	71.43%
4. Kent Kremer <i>AA's</i>	12	5	70.59%
5. Will McKay <i>On Time</i>	11	5	68.75%
C DIVISION			
1. Joe Posadas <i>Goeman's Kings</i>	11	2	84.62%
1. Pat Williams, Jr. <i>Goeman's Kings</i>	11	2	84.62%
3. Kevin Church <i>Lunatic Fringe</i>	14	4	77.78%
4. Lance Bergeron <i>Hot Shots</i>	14	4	77.78%
5. John Heathman <i>Loose Cannons</i>	11	5	68.75%
OPEN DIVISION			
1. Ruel (TJ) Ilagen <i>Nacho Mama</i>	19	1	95.00%
2. Steve Moore <i>Garage Dawgs</i>	16	3	84.21%
3. Joe Bailey <i>Garage Dawgs</i>	15	4	78.95%
4. Doug MacLeod <i>Rampant Lion</i>	14	5	73.68%
5. Greg Dunkley <i>Rampant Lion</i>	13	7	65.00%

HIGHLIGHT HEROES

A DIVISION	
1. Chris MacDonald <i>Callison's Best</i>	20
2. Ron Maciel <i>Grateful Darts</i>	19
3. Jim Street <i>Callison's Best</i>	14
4. RJ Combs <i>Hard Feathers</i>	13
4. Scotty Burnett <i>Hard Feathers</i>	13
4. Sid Lawrence <i>Wednesday Knights</i>	13
4. Tom Trapasso <i>Grateful Darts</i>	13
B DIVISION	
1. Joe Custer <i>On Time</i>	25
2. Arlie Roberts <i>On Time</i>	10
3. Dan Morgan <i>Goeman's Knight's</i>	10
C DIVISION	
1. Lance Bergeron <i>Hot Shots</i>	19
2. Pat Williams, Jr. <i>Kings</i>	13
3. Kevin Church <i>Lunatic Fringe</i>	12
3. John Heathman <i>Loose Cannons</i>	12
3. Shawn (No Last Name) <i>Kings</i>	12
OPEN DIVISION	
1. Steve Moore <i>Garage Dawgs</i>	13
2. Doug MacLeod <i>Rampant Lion</i>	9
3. Rodd Borgogno <i>Ton & Ton Again</i>	8
3. Wayne Watts <i>Yo Mama</i>	8
5. Ruel (TJ) Ilagen <i>Nacho Mama</i>	7

HIGH OUTS

A DIVISION	
1. Ron Maciel <i>Grateful Darts</i>	170
2. Tom Trapasso <i>Grateful Darts</i>	152
3. Dave Edwards <i>Hard Feathers</i>	113
B DIVISION	
1. Jimmy Kalehhuola <i>Goeman's Knights</i>	89
2. Dan Morgan <i>Goeman's Knights</i>	80
C DIVISION	
1. Julie Jones <i>Dart Warriors</i>	89
2. Kevin Church <i>Lunatic Fringe</i>	79
3. Steve Middleton <i>Lunatic Fringe</i>	74
OPEN DIVISION	
1. Greg Dunkley <i>Rampant Lion</i>	140
2. Mike Allen <i>Yo Mama</i>	123
2. Doug MacLeod <i>Rampant Lion</i>	123

HIGH SCORES

A DIVISION	
1. Gary Cornellier <i>Hard Feathers</i>	177
1. Wayne Weinheimer <i>ESP</i>	177
3. Tom Trapasso <i>Grateful Darts</i>	174
B DIVISION	
1. Amy Newman <i>Taco Shots</i>	156
2. Dan Morgan <i>Goeman's Knights</i>	144
C DIVISION	
None reported	
OPEN DIVISION	
1. Steve Moore <i>Garage Dawgs</i>	177
2. Greg Dunkley <i>Rampant Lion</i>	158

LOW DART GAMES (501)

A DIVISION	
1. Gary Cornellier <i>Hard Feathers</i>	14
2. Dave Edwards <i>Hard Feathers</i>	16
3. Scotty Burnett <i>Hard Feathers</i>	17
3. Eddie Lawrence <i>Callison's Best</i>	17
B DIVISION	
1. Arlie Roberts <i>On Time</i>	15
2. Joe Custer <i>On Time</i>	20 (2)
C DIVISION	
1. Kevin Church <i>Lunatic Fringe</i>	20
2. John Heathman <i>Loose Cannons</i>	23
OPEN DIVISION	
1. Ruel (TJ) Ilagen <i>Nacho Mama</i>	17

HIGH IN (301)

OPEN DIVISION	
1. Greg Dunkley <i>Rampant Lion</i>	170
2. Larry Beal <i>Rampant Lion</i>	152
3. Doug MacLeod <i>Rampant Lion</i>	136
4. Doug MacLeod <i>Rampant Lion</i>	132
4. Doug Turner <i>Nacho Mama</i>	132

LOW DART GAMES (301)

OPEN DIVISION	
1. Ron Stadtman <i>Kasper's Ghosts</i>	9
2. Briane Stanton <i>Rampant Lion</i>	10
3. 5 tied with	12

Best of the Classic Camellia *by Bill Cady*

GREAT TURNOUT, a husband and wife winning singles events, an exuberant youth/adult tournament, tv coverage; the 31st Camellia Classic was a tremendous success at its new venue, Sacramento's Red Lion Hotel, over the President's Day weekend. The majority of the event was held in a 20-dart main room complete with four large chandeliers. An auxiliary room had ten more boards for play plus warm-up boards.

Rob and Julie Heckman won cricket singles titles on Saturday for the first spouse duo to take singles titles in the thirty-one year history of the Camellia.

A previous Camellia singles winner, Mark McGuigan of San Francisco, took game one of the men's cricket best-of-five final but Rob Heckman of Vacaville stormed back with three straight victories to take the title. Julie took the first two games in her finals match with Sacramento's Janet Moore. Moore came back with a game three win but Julie ended the threat with a game four win and the title.

The ladies cricket doubles was a particular exciting match with, arguably the best mother daughter duo in the country, Maggie and Mischelle Martell facing a Sacramento team of Janet Moore and Janet Schaffer. Leading by a scant 253-251, the match was decided in dramatic fashion by Moore closing out bulls with three in her last two darts.

In Sunday's 501 events, following the Youth tournament, David Fatum squared off against Mark McGuigan. Fatum started fast with two wins and just missed a 156 out in game two. Mark fought back to take the third contest but Fatum ended McGuigan's chances with a strong game four and the win.

In a real knockdown, drag-out contest, Natalie Aylesworth of San Jose prevailed over San Francisco's Gretel Flores in the ladies 501 singles event. Natalie took a quick 2-0 lead but Gretel battles back to take games 3 and 4. Natalie took the deciding fifth game for the title.

David Fatum and Scotty Burnett teamed for doubles wins in cricket and 501. Fatum also won the 501 singles event.



Rob and Julie Heckman both won their Cricket Singles events



Janet Moore and Janet Schaffer tops in ladies cricket doubles

Camellia Classic XXXI Results Summary (SVDA Members in bold.)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2007

MODIFIED ROUND ROBIN - 501 (136 Entries)

1 st	Steve Cumberland/Chris White	\$400
2 nd	RJ Combs/Jhun Catanyag	\$200
5 th -8 th	Scotty Burnett/Vincent Parker	\$50
5 th -8 th	Mike Andrewjeski/Bill Clouse	\$50
9 th -16 th	Marty Glinesky/Paolo Cleofe	\$24
9 th -16 th	TJ Ilagan/Paul Garrett	\$24
9 th -16 th	Tom Anderson/Kevin Kennedy	\$24
9 th -16 th	Michael Moore/Chris Plute	\$24
9 th -16 th	Dave Edwards/Teba Archaleta	\$24

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2006

MEN'S DOUBLES – CRICKET (52 Entries)

1 st	Scotty Burnett/David Fatum	\$400
9 th -16 th	Jim Street/Jim Coon Sr.	\$24
9 th -16 th	Eddie Lawrence/Anthony Gregory	\$24
9 th -16 th	Dave Edwards/Ryan Edwards	\$24

WOMEN'S DOUBLES – CRICKET (16 Entries)

1 st	Janet Schaffer/Janet Moore	\$200
3 rd -4 th	Kelly Boutwell/Kahea Aipia	\$50
5 th -8 th	Raquel McKay/Amy Silva	\$30
5 th -8 th	Lori Cornellier/Julie Heckman	\$30
5 th -8 th	Nadine Chapman/Kimberly Heath	\$30

MIXED TRIPLES – 601 (45 Entries)

1 st	Mischelle Martell/Chris White/Rob Heckman	\$390
3 rd -4 th	Lori Cornellier/Geoff Rutherford/Wayne Weinheimer	\$90
5 th -8 th	Kim Heath/Anthony Gregory/Eddie Lawrence	\$48

MEN'S SINGLES - CRICKET (97 Entries)

1 st	Rob Heckman	\$300
9 th -16 th	Chuck Van Patten	\$25

WOMEN'S SINGLES - CRICKET (32 Entries)

1 st	Julie Heckman	\$175
2 nd	Janet Moore	\$90
9 th -16 th	Kelly Boutwell, Ester Gordillo, Allison Long, Virginia Griffin	

BLIND DRAW DOUBLES - CHICAGO (90 Entries)

1 st	Michael Burt / Michael Hathaidharm	\$300
2 nd	Matt Sanky / RJ Combs	\$150
5 th -8 th	Mark Lucas / Darrell Gaither	\$50
9 th -16 th	Gregor Sanderson / Lynda Hines	\$24
9 th -16 th	Sam Howard / Will McKay	\$24
9 th -16 th	Janet Moore / Kevin Kennedy	\$24
9 th -16 th	Arlie Roberts / Jim Nolan	\$24
9 th -16 th	George Allen / Bill Clouse	\$24

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2006

YOUTH SHOOT AGES 7-12 - 501 (11 Entries)

1st Tyler Burnett / Sammy Cruz

YOUTH SHOOT AGES 13-18 - 501 (19 Entries)

1st Nick Compton / Scotty Burnett

3rd-4th Brandi Street / Jim Street

MEN'S DOUBLES - 501 (40 Entries)

1st Scotty Burnett / David Fatum \$400

WOMEN'S DOUBLES - 501 (13 Entries)

1st Lori Cornellier / Julie Heckman \$200

2nd Kahea Aipia / Janet Moore \$100

5th-8th Allison Long / Kelly Boutwell \$30

BLIND DRAW DOUBLES - 301 (88 Entries)

1st Scotty Burnett / Jesse Sechak \$200

3rd-4th Paolo Cleofe / Jim Street \$60

5th-8th George Allen / Ester Gordillo \$40

9th-16th Raquel McKay / Steve Evangelista \$20

9th-16th RJ Combs / Jeremiah Langley \$20

MEN'S SINGLES - 501 (63 Entries)

1st David Fatum \$300

5th-8th Scotty Burnett \$50

5th-8th RJ Combs \$50

WOMEN'S SINGLES - 501 (27 Entries)

1st Natalie Aylesworth \$175

3rd-4th Carol Jo Whitted \$45

5th-8th Janet Moore \$25

9th-16th Allison Long, Lori Maxwell, Lori Cornellier, Kelly Boutwell

Hanging Out at the Brick Oven...perfect environment for darts and pizza!

Twelve Sacramento area youths had a fun afternoon of darts at the fifth Sacramento Valley Darting Association youth shoot at the Brick Oven Pizza this past April 7. There were a lot of good darts highlighted by a 180 and a 102 out. The twelve darters were divided into two flights of six with a single game round robin in each flight. The top two from each flight advanced to a single elimination final. All games were 501.

Chris Watts went undefeated in Flight A with a 5-0 record. Also advancing to the finals from this Flight was Brandi Street. Brandi hit a 180 in one of her matches. The 180 was proudly chalked by her father, Jim Street. Others competing in this flight were Luke Nevis, Sabrina Moore, Erik Lawson, and Michael Moore.

AJ Gladwill matched Watts' 5-0 record in Flight B. Carly Lawson took second in B Flight with a 4-1 mark. Carly was followed by Tara Curtis, Chien Ho, Dylan Gaither, and Britany Green.

In the semi-finals AJ Gladwill defeated Brandi Street to reach the finals. In the other semi, Chris Watts defeated Carly Lawson. The Gladwill-Watts match was close with Chris taking an early lead and

sitting on 13, when AJ swooped in for the victory with a 102 out.

Final Finish

- 1st AJ Gladwill
- 2nd Chris Watts
- 3rd Brandi Street
- 4th Carly Lawson

Highlights

- High Score 180 Brandi Street
- 121 Tara Curtis
- 120 AJ Gladwill
- High out 102 AJ Gladwill

A special thanks to all those adults who chalked, helped the kids with outs and just made themselves useful and this event a continuing success – Wayne Watts, Terry Salgy, Jim Street, Mark Lucas, Merritt Clemmens, and Darryl Gaither. A special thanks again to Gary and Amy Cornellier, owners of the Brick Oven Pizza, for their enthusiastic support.



SVDA Youth Shoot Finalists

L-R: Brandi Street (3rd and High Score), AJ Gladwill (1st and High Out), Chris Watts (2nd), Carly Lawson (4th)



L to R: Back row – Chris Watts, AJ Gladwill, Tara Curtis, Carly Lawson, Erik Lawson. Front row – Brandi Street, Dylan Gaither, Luke Nevis, Britany Green, Michael Moore, Chien Ho, Sabrina Moore

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