



DARTS FOR DREAMS

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NEW JERSEY

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Bordentown Elks Lodge 2085



THANK YOU ALL!!! Regardless of the connection you have with Darts for Dreams 19 – THANK YOU!!! Attendees, volunteers, host staff, donors, sponsors, Make-a-Wish staff or any other role – THANK YOU!!! For nineteen years now, this event has succeeded because of all of you.

I believe that 2024 is the start of the 3rd Generation of Darts for Dreams. Why do you ask? Here's why? The first few years, we moved around almost every year. The location changed; the date even fluctuated from our now standard end of April date. We kept doing better than the year before, but each year sort of stood alone. The 2nd Generation, we moved over to Cook AA. We started to raise more money. We started to raffle off a TV. We built on the good things and changed the bad things. We had a space for storage which let us start earlier, get bigger items, and get organized sooner. The totals jumped considerably – with our last year before Cook AA raising \$21,035, and our last year at Cook AA raising \$91,235! During those years, we built continuity and a structure to succeed. Now, here we are, the first year at the Bordentown Elks, a new beginning of sorts. We've had to adjust, without doubt. We don't have storage here and we're going to finish setting up the morning of the event. We have the power and potential of over a thousand members to stop in and see what it's all about. We're hoping to cross the \$100,000 mark this year and set our eyes on one million dollars raised in just a few more years.

Can anyone who's been involved since 2006 say they thought this would become what it has? Even I can't. I'm still amazed at the support we get from the communities that participate and the successes we've had. In some ways, each year gets easier, but the goal gets bigger. So, let's do what we've done each year and just crush it!

Since 2006 – Over \$725,000 and nearly 70 wishes granted!!!

On the following pages, you'll see a list of sponsors for this year's event. When shopping, going to get dinner or looking for a service, consider them. They share your desire to support Make-A-Wish® New Jersey. Additionally, when you visit a store or a restaurant with a gift card you won, thank them for helping and participating. Let them know they made a difference.

Please enjoy your day today and help us raise a bunch of money to help the kids.

THANK YOU ALL!!!

Gary Yourman – Darts for Dreams Event Director

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Event Schedule and Prizes

Doors Open	1:00 PM
Darts Start	2:00 PM
Raffle Sales Start	2:30 PM
50/50 and TV Raffle	6:00 PM
Silent Auction Ends and Blue Raffle Winners	6:30 PM
White, Gold and Purple Winners	7:00 PM

Times are approximate and subject to change.

There will be hourly cash prizes awarded at the end of each hour to the highest male, female and GTDL league member (if not the highest for the hour). These will be for the, 2-3, 3-4, 4-5, 5-6 and 6-7 hourly sessions.

The highest overall male, female and 4-person team will receive trophies and a cash prize. There will be 10 random scores- the first to match each one will get a cash prize.

All youth in attendance will receive a gift for participating until supplies run out. All attendees will select a door prize upon entry and receive a gift bag until we run out.

Ticket Prices:

Type	Description	Cost
Entry Fee	Red Individual Tickets	\$10 includes Gift Bag
Ultra Raffles	Purple Individual Tickets	\$10
Premium Raffles	Gold Sheet Tickets	\$5, Discounts for quantity
Basket Raffles	White Sheet Tickets	\$3, Discounts for quantity
Basic Raffles	Blue Sheet Tickets	\$2 / Sheet for \$20
50/50	Green Individual Tickets	\$10/7 Tix, \$20 for 21 Tix
Silent Auction	No Tickets	Priced by item, high bidder wins

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Bahama Breeze	Dart Players New Jersey
BettyBuzz	DartConnect
Bill's Olde Tavern	Darto
Blend Bar & Bistro	Darts for Dreams
Blooming Grove Inn	Dirty Jersey Darts
Blue Danube	DirtyJerzyBBQ
Bolte Family Foundation	Dolce & Clemente
Bordentown Elks	Dorney Park
Boro Market	Dot Matrix Design Group
Break for Darts	Firkin Tavern
Brookwood Café	Focus Foam
Brother's on 33	Golf For Wishes
Bruno's Bicycle, One Sweet Ride	Hambone Opera
BullsEye Dart Supply	Hash House
Burlington Country Club	Hooters
Café 72	iPlay America
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Cavanaugh's	Jersey Mike's Subs
Cheesecake Factory	JoJo's Tavern
Chefs International	Karen Jeffers
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This event succeeds because of the many sponsors who participate in so many ways. Financial sponsorship goes right to the final total, but every item or gift card helps the total through ticket purchases, while other support, like shirts, trophies and giveaways help to minimize expenses and enhance our player experience. The bottom line – every sponsor is important, and your support is appreciated.

Thank you to every sponsor who chooses to help MAWNJ through the Darts for Dreams program. Your continued support is what helps us help the kids!

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Closing Remarks

It's odd. I have to write my closing remarks before the event. I have to speculate on what's going to happen before it does. I hope we hit our goals. I hope we raise \$100,000 this year. I hope we can help more kids than last year.

For this to be true – We need you to do your part. We need financial support from our sponsors. We need merchandise from our local businesses and the dart community. We need those that help with trophies, shirts, and a location to be there. We need the volunteers to raise their hand and want to help. We need people to show up and participate. Wow, I sure sound needy! The good news is that just about all of that has happened already. It's just that last part, looking around the room and seeing people who want to be there, want to help, and want to make a difference.

We've always valued the relationships we've built with our sponsors, whether it's me or a volunteer who reaches out and solicits them. We are grateful for every one of them, from the smallest gift cards to the largest check. They all help us in some way to make this event what it is.

As a thank you, we invite every person in attendance and every sponsor to join us on Monday, June 17th, at 7 PM, when we have our check presentation and Make-A-Wish Castle Tour. If you've never been to the Samuel and Josephine Plumeri Wishing Place in Monroe Township, NJ, you should try to attend. It's a great way to connect this event with the charity and the work they do. They'll be some light snacks, some videos, and a tour of one of the coolest offices you've ever seen. You'll hear how MAWNJ was transformed by this facility and how it plays a part in the Wish Process as well as the community.

If you are interested in going, please RSVP by Monday, June 10th via email at events@trentondarts.com, and let me know how many people will be attending or click the FB QR code below and just post in the thread.

Thank you all again for everything you do to make Darts for Dreams a success!!!! - Gary

Interested in joining us on Monday, June 17th?
Just scan the code and post.

