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Darts, called "...a game to play with the golden glow of beer in one's brain..." by author Rupert Croft-Cooke, has from its beginnings been linked with alcohol. In Medieval England, shortened archery arrows may have been thrown at the bottom of an empty wine barrel as a training exercise. The wine barrel evolved to a tree cross-section, which provided rings at which to aim. There is speculation that arrows and target were brought into drinking establishments, both because of cold weather and for entertainment.

Darts in America

Part of darts lore are accounts of pilgrims playing darts on the Mayflower in 1620, but Patrick Chaplin again calls these apocryphal. Native Americans played a form of darts, aiming a corn husk with two feathers at a ring, but it was not until World War II when Americans stationed in England discovered darts and brought the game back with them that darts gained wide-spread popularity in America.

Although darts has become a sport as well as a pub recreation, the belief that aim improves as more drinks are consumed, and the sheer fun of a dart landing where it was intended to land, will doubtless remain.

-Join us -

IES Dart Tournament on January 21st, 2010
Elks Lodge - 4100 W Charleston Blvd

\$20.00 per person, includes entry to darts tournament, and food.

Cash prizes to top 3 teams. (please tell a friend)

6PM to 9PM

RSVP: 702.257.8075



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