

# ADO OFFERS BENEFITS TO ALL MEMBERS

So you never hit a 180, last year you had two ADO points and you rely only on Bulls Eye News for dart information? Even if that's the case, being a member of the ADO will still bring you benefits! Those who think the ADO is only for pro players are sadly missing the mark, and everyone should know it! Among current benefits offered are the following:

- Availability of bulk discount prices on ADO merchandise
- Discounts on Double Eagle ads, Alamo car rentals
- Quarterly Double Eagle newsletter for your membership
- Service directory advertising in the Double Eagle at prices designed for individual advertisers as opposed to companies (a great way to buy or sell collectibles!).
- Standardized rules of play for tournaments and a standardized shooting line
- A package of safety-related data compiled by the ADO and provided to members to assist pubs and sponsors when negotiating insurance rates
- Playoff programs enabling players to represent the U.S. at the national and international levels and an expanded youth program that began in 1999 enables more kids to earn scholarship funds and win trips for darts.
- An Operations Manual designed to provide helpful information about forming and conducting leagues as well as organizing and conducting tournaments. The Manual is available from the ADO office at a reduced rate for members.
- An ADO Youth Manual containing organizational and instructional aids for setting up and administering a Youth Program. An ADO media kit to help you get media attention in your area, or to let media in other areas know about outstanding performances by top players.
- The ADO Book of Darts - published by Lyons & Burford and with a foreword by Tom Fleetwood, past General Secretary and Executive Director of the ADO; Fun• dart• men• tals by Frank Pratt & F.M. Harris. These books, endorsed by the ADO, are available in some bookstores or from the publishers and are a great way to introduce people to the sport. The ADO board periodically sends copies to sports writers in areas with upcoming sanctioned tournaments to help you promote your sanctioned events.

All of this is available to EACH MEMBER for a nominal yearly fee!\*

\*For clubs of 51-400, the cost is about \$1.25 per member per year; for clubs of 400 or more, the cost is LESS than \$1 per member per year. That's less than the cost of one drink at your favorite pub! Isn't it worth the price of ONE drink to keep a national organization working for you?