



South Dakota High School Bowling Association and Eastway Bowl present...



2018 Howie Kolhoff Invitational

February 24 & 25, 2018

Eastway Bowl ~ 3201 East 10th Street, Sioux Falls, SD 57103 ~ 605-336-0468

Tournament Format:

- 5 Player teams bowl 4 regular games during qualifying on Saturday. 2 shifts available based on number of team registrations - 11AM and 3:30PM.
- Top 16 Boys and top 16 Girls teams seeded into double elimination Baker Tournament on Sunday.
- Top 6 Boys and top 6 Girls receive All-Tournament Team honors.
- No charge for spectators. NO outside food / beverage allowed.

Team Entry Fee: \$150

Bowling/Expenses - \$60

Prize fund - \$90

Registration closes 2/9/2018

\$5000

Guaranteed Scholarship Payout*

High School Name: _____ City/State: _____

Team Name: _____ Team Colors: _____

Squad: Boys/Co-ed Girls Qualifying Shift Preference: 11AM 3:30PM*

(Select preferred time, 11AM shift to be filled first)

* 3:30PM shift will open after 32 paid entries. If more than 32 entries received, teams selecting 3:30PM shift will be contacted for shift preference (first priority given to out of town teams).

Bowlers Name	USBC#	Age / Grade	Average	School Attending
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Coach(s) Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone Number: _____ Home Center: _____

(Cell number preferred)

Ability to receive text message?

Send Payment and Registration Form to:

Kim Rote

Attn: Howie Kolhoff Invitational

815 South Sneve Avenue

Sioux Falls, SD 57103

Checks made payable to: Howie Kolhoff Invitational

Send questions to: bowlhowie@yahoo.com or

Kim Rote 605.212.9463 (voice/text)

**Scholarship Payout based on 46 team entries*

Hotel Discounts available at these participating hotels

Best Western Empire Tower - \$79.99/night +tax

4100 W. Shirley Place, Sioux Falls SD 57106 - 605.361.3118

(discount code - Howie Kolhoff)

Holiday Inn Express & Suites Southwest - \$89.00/night +tax

3821 W. Avera Drive, Sioux Falls SD 57108 - 605.275.4155

(discount code - Eastway Bowl)



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Registration:

- Entry Fee is \$150 per team. Cash/Check accepted. Money and completed registration form must be postmarked no later than February 9, 2018. No entries accepted after February 14, 2018. Incomplete registration forms and/or entries without payment will be returned. No refunds for cancellations.
- Entries limited to 46 paid registrations. Approximately 16 Girls and 30 Boys/Co-Ed teams will be accepted. Completed entries will be accepted on a first come/first serve basis. The number of entries in each division may be adjusted based on number of registrations received.
- Two qualifying shifts will be available based on number of entries received ~ 11am and 3:30pm. All teams should request their 'preferred' qualifying shift. First 32 entries will be assigned to 11am shift. If more than 32 entries are received, teams originally requesting 3:30pm shift will be contacted by Tournament Staff and given first opportunity to change to the 3:30pm shift. Final shift assignments will be communicated one week prior to event.
- Players must be in High/Middle School and USBC sanctioned. No home-schooled athletes eligible for this event.
- No more than 7 bowlers per team. Schools may enter multiple teams; however each bowler may only participate on one team.
- Team members must be from the same school. Should school not have the minimum number of bowlers (5) to participate they may combine with another school. Combined team entries must be approved by the Tournament Staff PRIOR to registration deadline. Combined Teams cannot be constructed of bowlers from more than 2 schools. Combined teams will bowl in their respective divisions based on gender. Teams with mixed genders (boys & girls) will bowl in Boys/Co-Ed division.
 - To petition for Combined Team entrance - email Tournament Staff at howkolhowie@yahoo.com. Provide justification for combined team and attach completed registration form to email. Tournament Staff will review and supply response within 3 business days.
- Two coaches allowed in bowling area per team. All coaches must be an approved USBC Registered Volunteer and have valid/current badge on display during the event.
- Divisions may be combined based on number of division entries received. A minimum of 8 teams per division is required. If the minimum number of entries is not received in the Girls division, Girls teams will be given the option to bowl in the Boys/Co-Ed division or receive a refund of their entry fee.
- Teams must wear their Team jersey or 'like' uniform signifying their team. Co-Ed/Combined teams may wear their jersey from their respective teams. All teams are encouraged to wear like dress pants and/or skirts. Denim, leggings, sweatpants, hats and attire with offensive language/images are not allowed. Coaches must be identifiable with their team.
- All bowlers must be able to show proof of school attendance (ie, school id) upon request from Tournament Staff. All bowlers must be eligible to compete per their schools participation policies.

Tournament play:

- The Howie Kolhoff Invitational will be held rain, snow or shine.
- Modified challenge pattern will be released 1 week prior to event. Fresh oil will be applied prior to each qualifying shift and prior to beginning Baker match play on Sunday.
- Saturday Team Check-in starts 1 ½ hours prior to shift start time (in the game area). All bowlers and coaches must be present at check in. Coaches meeting 30 minutes prior to shift start time.
- 10 minutes of warm up allowed prior to each qualifying shift.
- Only 7 bowlers and 2 coaches allowed in the bowler's area. Spectators and bowlers not actively bowling in current shift may not enter the bowling area.
- Players and Coaches - No cell phone use allowed in bowling area during qualifying or match play. No alcohol or tobacco use of any kind in building during event (includes tobacco/chew, electric cigarettes, vaping, etc.). Negative/offensive comments will not be tolerated from bowlers, coaches or spectators. Offenders may be asked to leave event.

QUALIFYING -

- Qualifying consists of 5 bowler teams completing 4 regular games.
 - Teams will bowl all qualifying games on the same pair. Qualifying lane will be assigned at Team Check-in.
 - Bowlers completing 4 qualifying games will be eligible for All-tournament Team.
- All games will be based on scratch bowling scores. No handicap points will be assessed.
- Substitutions are allowed during qualifying. Substitutions can only be made at the end of each completed game. If a substitution is made, the sub must stay in for the entire game. Bowler taken out can re-enter the match at the start of the next game. Lane monitors will be available to assist with substitutions.
- Top 16 boys/co-ed teams and top 16 girls' teams will qualify for Sunday double elimination Baker match play. The number of teams may be adjusted based on number of teams registered. Announcement of teams advancing to Sunday match play will be announced approximately 1 hour after the completion of the last qualifying shift on Saturday.
- All-tournament Team honors will be presented at Eastway Bowl approximately 1 hour after the completion of the last qualifying shift on Saturday.
 - Top 6 boys and top 6 girls will receive All-tournament Team honors. Boys and Girls Captain receive \$100; additional All-Tournament team members receive \$50. All scholarship money will be applied to bowlers' SMART account. Each team member will also receive award certificate.
 - Tie breaker for All-tournament team will be settled by highest game score per individual during qualifying.

BAKER MATCH PLAY -

- Sunday double elimination Baker match play will begin at 9am Sunday. Team check in starts at 7:30am. Coaches meeting at 8:30am.
- 10 minutes of warm up allowed prior to first match play round. Additional warm up will be given during second round for teams entering match play for their first match. No warm up will be allocated for remaining match play rounds. A practice pair will be assigned during event. Tournament Staff will announce teams allowed on practice pair prior to the start of each round.
- Double elimination match play will be best 2 out of 3 Bakers games. If the same team wins the first 2 games, a 3rd game will not be played.
- Substitutions are allowed during Baker match play. If a substitution is made during the game, the sub must stay in for the remainder of that game. The bowler taken out cannot re-enter that game. Multiple substitutions may be made during the 10th frame. Bowlers taken out can re-enter the match during the next game.
- Winning coach will report the match results to Tournament Staff.
- For all match play games, tie breaker is a ninth and tenth frame roll off (by bowlers that bowled those frames during match). After that a best ball competition will be enforced, rotating through the team line up until a winner is confirmed. All tie breakers will be completed prior to the next game starting.
- Championship match will be best 3 out of 5 Baker games. If the team coming from the loser's bracket wins the first match, a final championship match series will be played to determine the winner. (3 out of 5 Baker games)
- All tournament winnings will be dispersed to bowlers' SMART account. Prize amount based on number of team entries.
 - \$5000 guaranteed scholarship money available with full event enrollment. Tournament Staff reserves the right to adjust max payout amount if fewer than 46 teams participate in event. Entry Fee disbursement - \$90 - prize fund, \$60 - linage and expenses.
 - Team payout is 8:1 with top 2 teams receiving medals.