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High School Bowling Club State Championships Coaches Information

March 5-7, 2021 The Ashwaubenon Bowling Alley, Ashwaubenon, WI

Coaches, please make sure all your bowlers bowling in the state tournament are eligible. This includes making sure you have checked grades. It is suggested that you keep a copy of your bowlers' latest grades and student IDs with you at state. A few other reminders:

Admissions: Admission will be limited to one spectator per bowler per BCAW's COVID protocols. When you received confirmation of the registration on line, you will be instructed to log onto a website to purchase wristbands for the spectators. You as the coach will be receiving wristbands, by mail, for your bowlers, yourself, any purchased for your allotted spectators and a second coach if listed.

Bleachers: Bleachers will be available for spectators. Social distancing is requested. The hosting center will not be responsible for injury caused by falls from the bleachers, so please use caution.

Bowling Balls: All bowlers are allowed three bowling balls in the bowler area. All extra equipment must remain outside of the bowlers' area in the paddock. Bowlers can use tote bags, but no roller bags. NOTE: Ball balance hole rule on the next page.

Concessions: Food Concessions will be available throughout the weekend. No alcohol permitted outside of the lounge(s).

Entry to Building: Bowlers and coaches please enter the center through the entrance marked for bowlers (East Entrance). Please have your wristbands visible for check in. Coaches should also have the RVP Badge clearly visible. Two coaches per team will be allowed to check in. ALL COACHES MUST BE LISTED ON THE STATE ENTRY FORM(S) AND DISPLAY AN UNEXPIRED RVP BADGE. All others must use main entrance.

Lane Conditions: Singles, Team, Storm Scholarship Doubles and WI All Star Team Challenge will all be posted on bowlwi.com by Thursday, February 25, 2021 at 5:00 pm.

Live Streaming: There will be live streaming of the Finals on Sunday. Go to Bowlstream TV's You Tube Channel. Click on the WI HS logo to view.

Officials: High School Committee and Tournament Managers: Dick Zierke, Steve Cieslewicz, Hank Posnanski and Roger Dalkin.

Paddock Area: Located adjacent to the East entrance. BCAW, the hosting bowling center staff and Volunteers are not responsible for lost or stolen items.

Rules: Visit www.bowlwi.com for all state tournament rules located in the HSBC Policies and Procedures.

Shirts: H5G (official apparel company) will be in the paddock area where bowlers enter.

College Representatives: Due to COVID restrictions there will be no college booths at this year's event.

Spectators: Enter only through main entrance. Doors open: Friday at 2:30pm, Saturday at 7:30am and Sunday at 7:00 am. All BCAW COVID 19 spectator guidelines apply.

Storm Pro: The Storm pro staff member will be PWBA star Diana Zavjalova. Doene Moos of Storm will also be on hand. Please thank Storm for contributing to the championships.

Uniform: No blue jeans allowed for bowlers and coaches. Bowlers must wear team shirt and matching pants/skirts during team event. During singles your team shirt is required. Coaches don't forget to wear your USBC RVP badge/lanyard. Please be sure your bowlers comply with uniform requirements. BCAW has seen a number of posting of girls wearing yoga pants or leggings. Neither meets the uniform requirement and any bowler violating these rules will be required to secure appropriate apparel to comply with the uniform requirements. See the next page for additional information.

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Uniform Guidelines for Coaches and Bowlers



TEAMS (Coaches and Bowlers)

Shirts: Teams must have the same color and style shirts. No t-shirts allowed. The bowling shirt must have a “butterfly” collar or mock collar with a minimum of $\frac{3}{4}$ of one inch. All shirts must have finished sleeves for all competition. Females may wear a sleeveless shirt with a butterfly collar only if the sleeves are finished. Shirts with sleeves cut off, torn, or ripped may not be worn. No writing on or defacing of the bowling shirt will be permitted at any time.

Pants: Teams must have the same color and style pants.

Male participants are required to wear loose fitting full length slacks. Slacks must not contain drawstring waists or elastic bottoms. Yoga pants, leggings, blue denim jeans and athletic pants are not permitted.

Female participants are required to wear loose fitting full length slacks, skirts or skorts. Slacks must not contain drawstring waists or elastic bottoms. All skirts and skorts must be below the competitor’s fingertips when standing and their arms are loosely hanging at their sides. **Yoga pants, leggings, blue denim jeans and athletic pants are not permitted.**

All apparel worn by competitors shall be loose fitting and not made of Lycra/spandex-like material.

Head Covering: No head covering or sunglasses can be worn while practicing or competing (hats, caps, or bandannas, etc.). Headphones can only be used in the settee area and cannot be used while bowling.

SINGLES ONLY: Boys and girls are required to wear their team shirt during singles competition and pants must adhere to the guidelines above. If a bowler has any question they should ask a tournament official.

The Tournament Manager (Dick Zierke) must approve any/all exceptions prior to the event. Violating the dress code will result in a disqualification of that individual.

COACHES

All coaches who will do any coaching in the bowling area must wear their USBC Registered Volunteer Program (RVP) badge/lanyard or School ID where a background check has been performed. Any coach without a current date valid RVP badge/School ID or who is out of uniform, will not be allowed in the bowlers’ area.

*COVID protocols for 2021 restrict the coaches for singles to only those coaches appearing on the school team roster submitted at the start of the HSBC season. Coaches will not be permitted in the settee area, but may coach from directly behind the settee area.

BOWLING BALL THUMB/BALANCE HOLE RULE

A bowler must use all drilled holes for gripping upon delivery. No balance holes or an unused thumb hole for a two handed delivery is permitted.

Questions: Direct all questions to Roger Dalkin at roger.dalkin@bowlwi.com or 262-783-4292 Ext. 102.

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