

2023 MHSAA BOYS and GIRLS DIVISION 4 REGION 19 BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Team Event: February 24, 2023 --- Single Event: February 25, 2023

Gaylord High School and the Gaylord Bowling Center welcomes you to the **REGION 19** tournament.

Teams at Region 19

Alcona	Beaverton	Bellaire	Benzie Central
Coleman	Farwell	Harrison	Houghton Lake
L'Anse	Manistee Catholic Central	Maple City Glen Lake	Oscoda
Rogers City	St. Ignace	Traverse City Christian	Whittemore-Prescott

Important Phone Numbers and Locations

Gaylord Bowling Center 1200 Gornick Ave, Gaylord MI 49735

Tournament Managers: Tony Sharkey, **Gaylord Bowling Center**;
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Tournament Rules

MHSAA Tournament Rules will apply. Two (2) balls allowed in the bowling area and five (5) balls in the Center.

Print and read the Participating Schools Tournament Information to familiarize yourself with rules of the MHSAA tourney.

Schedule for Friday Team (boys) Schedule for Friday Team (girls)

8:00 am check in	1:30 pm check in	1
8:20 am coaches meeting	1:50 pm coaches meeting	
8:35 am announcements	2:05 pm announcements	
8:40 am National Anthem	2:10 pm National Anthem	
8:45 am 15 minute warm up	2:15 pm 15 minute warm up	
9:00 am begin scoring	2:30 pm begin scoring	

Please be aware that the lanes will be oiled between the girls and boys team matches. We estimate oiling to take approximate 30 minutes. We will start the boys teams matches as soon as possible depending on the time frame that the girls finish.

Saturday Singles (girls)

Saturday Singles (boys)

8:00 am check in	1:30 pm check in
8:20 am coaches meeting	1:50 pm coaches meeting
8:40 am announcements	2:10 pm announcements
8:45 am National Anthem	2:15 pm National Anthem
8:50 am 10 minute warm up	2:20 pm 10 minute warm up
9:00 am begin scoring	2:30 pm begin scoring

Cost

There is a **\$2.75** per game bowler fee for each school.

For the Friday team competition, the cost is \$57.75 for the team.

For Saturday singles each bowler that competes will have a fee of \$16.50. If you have 6 individual bowlers, the total cost for the 6 individual bowlers will be \$99.00. If your team has less than 6 bowlers, you would adjust the price accordingly.

For a full 6 person team the cost of the bowling weekend would be \$57.75 plus 99.00 for a total of \$156.75. If your team has less than 6 bowlers for individuals you will need to adjust accordingly.

If your school has a full 6 person team for both girls and boys the school cost would be \$313.50. This covers the cost of both the boys and girls teams for the weekend.

Please make the check out to Gaylord Bowling Center. The entry fee is due the first day of the tournament and can be brought to the tourney or can be mailed to: PO Box 1063, Gaylord MI 49734. If you have questions on the cost for your team/individuals, please let me know.

Admission

There will be a \$7.00 admission for spectators. Digital tickets will be sold via GoFan. Tickets that need to be purchased online at GoFan for all Gaylord HS hosted events can be found on the Gaylord GoFan page at <https://gofan.co/app/school/MI0330>
Please inform your parents and spectators of this admission charge to avoid problems at the tournament. Similar to all MHSAA Tournaments, Administrators are asked to sign in and will enter without charge.

Format

The **Friday Team** competition will consist of eight (8) Baker games and three (2) regular games. After each Baker Set and each team game, teams on odd lanes will move left one pair and teams on the even lanes will move right one pair. We currently have an odd number of teams participating in both the boys and girls team event on Friday so we will rotate the open lane. During **Saturday's Single** competition each bowler will bowl a six game block moving one pair right after each game. Total pin count will determine the top ten (10) singles and the top three (3) teams who move on to the State Finals, which is being held for Division 4 at **M-66 Bowl in Battle Creek on March 3rd and March 4th**. Tie breaker in **Singles** will be a one (1) game roll off, if still tied, repeated 9 – 10th frame roll-off until the tie is broken. Tie breaker in **Team** will be one set (2 games) of Baker, if still tied then a 6-10th frame Baker format roll-off repeated until tie is broken. Tie breaker pins will not count for total, just to break the tie.

Practice Time

There will be ten (10) minutes of practice prior to the start of the SINGLES tournament and fifteen (15) minutes for the TEAM tournament (7 ½ minutes on each lane).

Lane Assignments and Oil Pattern

Tournament Manager, Christian Wilson of Gaylord HS will make the lane assignments by random draw prior to the tournament. Lane assignments will be posted at the doors and at the coaches meeting. The oil pattern for both tournament dates will be the "Phantom" Pattern.

Practice prior to the tournament

Teams may contact the **Gaylord Bowling Center** for practice times for open bowling. No practice is available on tournament days. A coach must monitor any practice.

Dress Code

Boys – Slacks are required. Jeans, cutoffs, shorts, sweatpants or warm – up pants will NOT be allowed. A collared shirt or a mock – neck bowling shirt will be required. Absolutely, **NO T** – shirts will be allowed.

Girls – Slacks, shorts or skirts will be allowed. Skirts must reach the top of the knee and shorts shall be an appropriate length (no daisy dukes or holes). Jeans, cutoffs, sweatpants, yoga pants, spandex or warm – ups will NOT be allowed. A collared shirt or a mock – neck bowling shirt will be required. Absolutely, **NO T** – shirts will be allowed. Neither boys nor girls may wear hats, caps, or any other type of head gear.

Both – All cell phones, i – pods, cd players, mp3 players, dvd players, etc. may not be used by any competitor on the concourse during competition. Prior to competition, warm ups (jackets, sweatshirts, hoodies) must be removed and may not be used in competition. If a violation of the MHSAA Dress code/Uniform rule occurs, a warning will be given to the player and coach of the violating team. If at that time the dress code is not followed, a loss of bowling privileges and disqualification for the event will result.

Coaching Restrictions

Two school coaches will be allowed in the bowlers seating area during competition. Coaches are not allowed on the approaches. Coaching is allowed **ONLY** between frames. Coaches **MUST** be properly dressed also. Video recording devices such as IPADS, tablets or smartphones may not be used by coaches during competition for coaching purposes, nor can coaches have such devices in the bowler's area.

Foul Lights

Foul lights will be turned off during competition.

Substitutions

A standard starting lineup for team competition will consist of 6 bowlers. Lineups may change in subsequent games. Starting bowlers must bowl at least one frame before being substituted for. Once a substitute enters the game, he/she must finish that game. Substitutions in mid-frame are allowed. The bowler who is substituted for may return as a starter or substitute in subsequent games. The substitute must be on the seven person roster at the start of competition. All six starting bowlers may be substituted for in any given game. If a substitute is injured, they may be replaced by an eligible substitute.

Sportsmanship

Good sportsmanship for players and coaches is a must. Taunting, profanity, and intimidating conduct are not allowed. All MHSAA regulations regarding sportsmanship and disqualification penalties as stated in Regulation IV, Section 3 will be followed. Players will not be allowed on the approach to congratulate or celebrate the accomplishment of a fellow team member during bowling. Bowlers will not be allowed to enter an adjacent lane approach to celebrate or 'run – out' their delivery. Bowlers shall observe a one – lane courtesy for bowlers on adjacent lanes. Only two bowlers will be allowed standing during a match, if seating is available. One that is bowling and one that is the player on deck. Coaches and tournament managers should make this a point of emphasis in player and coach meetings prior to competitions.

Alcohol, Tobacco and Food

No Alcohol, Tobacco or Food is allowed in the bowling center during any competition. if there are dietary needs that need to be addressed, please advise the Tournament Director. **Coolers of sodas or energy drinks, even individual coffee, and soda, bags of snack bars, trays of vegetables, cookies, sandwiches, etc. are not allowed inside the bowling center. This is a Local Health Code Violation please make sure your parents are aware of this and follow this request. The Gaylord Bowling Center is a full service food establishment and all food items must be purchased on site.**

Spectators

No spectators are allowed in the bowling area where team members are seated. Spectators shall not taunt or jeer opposing players.

Paddock

A paddock will be provided for storage of equipment and personal items each day and a separate area will be reserved to storage overnight on Friday Feb 23. The paddock on the morning of Friday Feb 24 for the boys will be in the Restaurant area on the right side of the hallway when entering. The paddock on the afternoon of Friday Feb 25 for the girls will be in the VFW area on the left side of the hallway when entering. The paddock for both boys and girls on Saturday Feb 26 will be the Restaurant area. Gaylord High School and the Gaylord Bowling Center is not responsible for missing or stolen items. It is HIGHLY recommended that bowlers do not leave money or valuables in the paddock.