



KY NASP® NEWSLETTER

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2019 KY NASP® State Championship & NASP®/IBO 3D Challenge Mar 15-16



Kentucky NASP® to set another record participation at state

This year's state tournament will again be held at the Kentucky Exposition Center, located at 937 Phillips Lane, Louisville. The new location continues to accommodate the tremendous growth and will now allow over 7,000 archers to compete, increasing participation by almost 1,000 students.

Parking is conveniently located in front of the entrance to the event in lots A and N. A parking map is located online at www.kyfairexpo.org/images/KECmap.jpg. Parking costs are \$10.00 per vehicle, \$20 per bus. Directions and more information about the Exposition Center may be found online at www.kyfairexpo.org.

Upon arrival, please enter through the North Wing Lobby. Once inside, spectators may choose any of the three entrances. One entrance will be straight ahead and to the left which leads to the North Wing where middle and high schools teams will be competing. A second entrance will be located to the right and leads into South Wing A where all elementary teams will be competing. To the far right is the third entrance, leading into the South Wing B where the 3D Challenge is being held. Once inside, each range is connected, giving access to the entire event. (See diagram on page 2)

All three entrances will have an admissions desk. Admission for the event is \$5.00 per individual, 7 and under free (archers and three coaches per team are admitted free with registration). Bus drivers will be admitted free with identification. Concessions will be available in the lobby as you walk into the entrance. Please no coolers or carry-out may be brought inside. Awards will be held in South Wing B following the conclusion of the last flight, approximately 5:15 pm (4:15 pm for 3D Challenge).

State Tournament Info for Coaches

When you arrive... Teams need to arrive at least an hour before their scheduled flight time. Upon arriving, coaches will pick up their team packets at the registration table located at the back of the lobby, near the escalators. There will be two registration tables, one for the bullseye tournament and one for the 3D tournament. Make sure you visit both tables if you have archers registered for both tournaments. Registered archers and three coaches will enter into the East Hall entrance, located behind the registration table. Packets will contain a copy of your current roster, a form for changes, scorecard labels, and the archer's scorecards. If you have changes, please fill out the form immediately and turn in to registration. All changes must be made before any team members begin shooting. Payment for team registration is due at this time, so please work with your school well in advance to ensure payment may be made at the tournament. Teams are responsible for all archers registered at the close of registration. Substitutions do not increase your amount due. Once all changes have been made, please take time to go through the scorecards and labels to make sure they are correct. The labels will not be adhered to the scorecards, so please allow time before the flight to place them on the bottom of the scorecards. Using a pencil, please bubble in the shooter numbers or have the archers bubble in their own shooter numbers. Shooter numbers are found on the copy of the roster. Bows should be hung on the racks for inspection at least 15 minutes before flight time. Coaches need to be available during bow inspection and during the flight. **If the tournament is running behind, please remain off of the range until called for by the announcer.** Please remember at all times that everyone involved in the tournament has the same goal - the archers! This event wouldn't be possible without all of the incredible effort from the coaches, parents, and volunteers and on behalf of KY NASP®, THANK YOU!

What to bring... As a coach, here is a list of required paperwork to have completed:

Principal Verification Letter - (Present to registration upon arrival only if it has changed since the regional tournament.) Remember, the in-school requirement must be met before end of 2018-2019 school. The document may be downloaded at www.fw.ky.gov/Education/Documents/NaspPrincipalVerificationLetter.pdf.

KY NASP Waiver - A waiver must be signed by each archer and the archer's parent or legal guardian and kept on file by the coach. Coaches will be asked at registration to sign a document stating they have received signed waivers for each participating archer. The document may be downloaded at www.fw.ky.gov/Education/Documents/Kentucky_National_Archery_in_the_Schools_Waiver.pdf

Tournaments

KY NASP® STATE CHAMPIONSHIP
Bullseye & IBO 3D Challenge
Kentucky Exposition Center
Louisville, KY
March 15 - 16, 2019



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3D Challenge
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NASP® WEST NATL TOURNAMENT
Bullseye & IBO 3D Challenge
The Salt Palace Convention Center
Salt Lake City, UT
April 26 - 27, 2019

NASP® EAST NATL TOURNAMENT
Bullseye & IBO 3D Challenge
Kentucky Exposition Center
Louisville, KY
May 9 - 11, 2019

NASP® OPEN & CHAMPIONSHIP TRNY
Bullseye & IBO 3D Challenge
Music City Center, Nashville, TN
July 25 - 27, 2019



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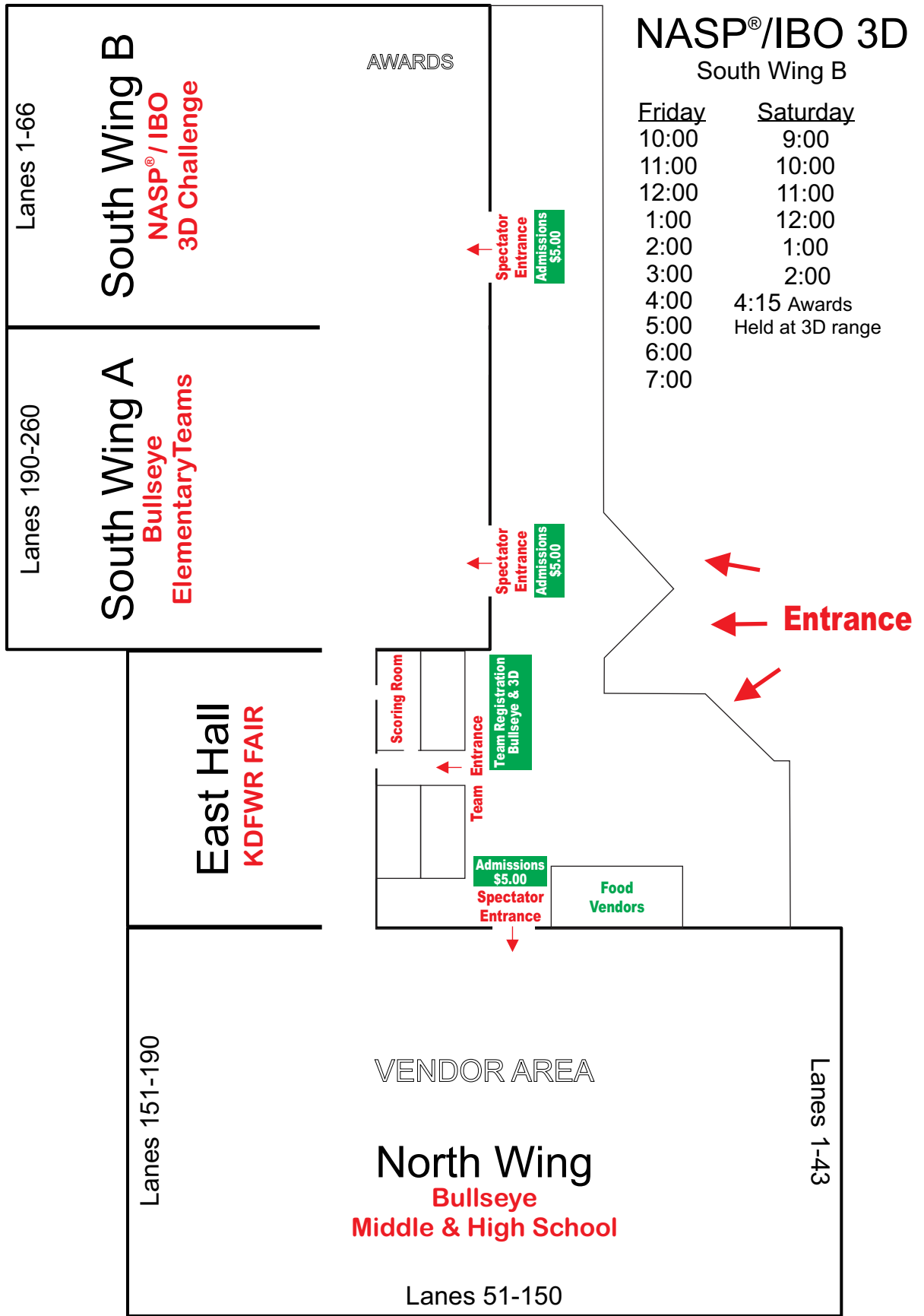
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KY NASP® State Championship Range Layout and Team / Spectator Entrances



NASP®/IBO 3D

South Wing B

Friday	Saturday
10:00	9:00
11:00	10:00
12:00	11:00
1:00	12:00
2:00	1:00
3:00	2:00
4:00	4:15 Awards Held at 3D range
5:00	
6:00	
7:00	

NASP® Bullseye

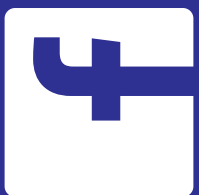
North Wing & South Wing A

Friday
10:00
11:15
12:30
1:45
3:15
4:30
5:45

Saturday
9:00
10:15
11:30
12:45
2:15
3:30
5:15 Awards Held at South Wing B

Did You Know?

KY NASP® and NASP® / IBO 3D Challenge both have Facebook pages! Like us on Facebook and connect with other archers, teams, coaches, and parents from across the state!



Fish and Wildlife Outdoor Fair

The Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources has created an exhibit for adult spectators (supervision requested for children under 16), free of charge, showcasing outdoor recreations such as bowfishing, canoeing, and hiking. The exhibit will not only provide information such as how to get started enjoying various outdoor activities, but will have some hands on projects for adults as well. The fair will be located in the East Hall and will be open during the hours of the tournament. Please sure to visit the fair and learn more about what's offered in the outdoors of our beautiful state!



State Tournament Vendors

It's not too late to set up a booth at the Kentucky NASP® State Championship! Businesses or organizations may email kynasp3@hotmail.com and request an application. Booth space includes: 10x10 uncarpeted space, 8' x 2' x 30" table, 2 chairs, and 8' draped back wall with 3' draped dividers between booths. *The facility prevents vendors from selling any type of food or beverage on location.

KY NASP® welcomes and appreciates the support of vendors each year. This year's tournament will be bigger and better than ever before! With over 7,100 archers and twice as many spectators, the aisles will be full of people visiting with our vendors. Please take time to visit each booth and thank them for their support!



Fundraising Opportunity for NASP® Schools

KY NASP® would like to offer schools an opportunity to raise funds at the state tournament. Booth space (see booth specifications above) may be rented at a special rate of \$75 for any NASP® school. This is a wonderful opportunity for teams to raise much needed funds and possibly fulfill a need to the crowd! Please remember that the facility prevents vendors from selling any type of food or beverage products. Email kynasp3@hotmail.com for an application.

NASP® Bullseye Targets For Sale

KY NASP® will be selling the 260 Youth Morrell Targets used at the state tournament for \$20 each. These targets are not to be sold for use in a school NASP® program (they are not sturdy enough), but are perfect for at home use or use in a school tournament. Pre-sales start immediately on a first come, first served basis. Email kynasp3@hotmail.com to reserve targets. Targets must be paid for on-site at admissions by Saturday, March 16th at noon. At that time, the unpaid targets will be considered unclaimed and will be resold. Targets must be picked up at the conclusion of the tournament on Saturday, March 16th immediately following the last flight in the North Wing and South Wing A.



Coaching & Sportsmanship

NASP® instruction is guided by the principles of safety and positive instruction. It is our mission to have instructors serve as positive role models at all times. As you enter the halls of the state championship, model being a positive sportsman through your interactions with your archers, their competitors, other coaches, and the volunteers. This is your opportunity to teach others about yourself. What will they learn?

Over time, tournament results and scores are generally forgotten but the actions of the archers, coaches, and spectators may be recalled for a very long time. During competitions, think about how you want to be remembered in the future.

Integrity. Honesty. Good Sportsmanship.

Advancing to the KY State Tournament

Bullseye



Teams that participate in the regional tournaments across the state will be ranked by their top score shot at any state qualifier (including the regional tournament). The rankings will be posted at www.fw.ky.gov on March 3rd by 8:00 pm ET. The top 100 teams in the elementary division, top 100 teams in the middle school division, and the top 100 teams in the high school division will begin the registration process followed by additional teams based on qualifying scores and space.

Flight selection for the tournament will be as follows:

Teams that finish in the top 25 in their division – 8:00 AM ET on 2/28/19.

Teams that finish 26 – 50 in their division – 1:00 PM ET on 2/28/19.

Teams that finish 51 – 75 in their division – 5:00 PM ET on 2/28/19.

Teams that finish 76 – 100 in their division – 8:00 PM ET on 2/28/19.

Individuals advancing from schools where their school team did not advance – 8:00 AM ET on 3/1/19.

National qualifying invitation teams (if space allows after team registration, the next schools ranked will be invited based on National Qualifying Scores) these teams would register beginning – 5:00 PM on 3/1/19

Flight selection for the tournament will close at 1:00 PM ET on 3/2/19.

Individuals across the state that participated in a regional tournament will be ranked by their score shot at that tournament. The rankings will be processed from all regional tournaments combined. The top 50 per gender per division that are not on a qualifying team will be invited to state.

3D Challenge



Any team or individual that qualifies for the state bullseye tournament will qualify to shoot the 3D Challenge. Schools that have a qualifying team for bullseye may have up to 24 archers participate in bullseye and up to 24 archers participate in the 3D Challenge. These may be the same archers or different archers. Teams may also qualify by participating in a 3D Challenge state qualifier. The rankings will be posted at www.fw.ky.gov on March 3rd by 8:00 pm ET. Flight selection for the tournament will be as follows:

2/28 @ 8:00 am ET - Tier 1: 1st - 5th place teams all divisions from KY NASP®/IBO 3D Challenge Qualifiers

2/28 @ 10:00 am ET - Tier 2: 6th - 10th place teams all divisions from KY NASP®/IBO 3D Challenge Qualifiers

2/28 @ 12:00 pm ET - Tier 3: 11th - 15th place teams all divisions from KY NASP®/IBO 3D Challenge Qualifiers

3/1 @ 8:00 am ET - Tier 4: All other teams & Individuals that qualified for the KY NASP® Bullseye State Trny

3/1 @ 10:00 am ET - Tier 5: 16th - 20th place teams all divisions from KY NASP®/IBO 3D Challenge Qualifiers (IF ROOM)

Good players
inspire themselves;
Great players
inspire others.

Be Great

It is the responsibility
of the coach and archer
to make sure the equipment
is legal, not the responsibility
of the Lane Official to catch it.

Be Honest

Tournament Etiquette

Respect the Lanes - During tournaments, archers are given a 60" wide lane to share with their lane mate during the competition. This means each archer has 30". Make sure your archers are courteous to their lane mate and that their entire body, their equipment, and their quiver remain inside of their lane. Invading more than their allotted space is considered unsportsmanlike conduct and places them at a risk for being disqualified. Do your archers a huge favor and have them practice staying in their own lanes.



Kudos Coaches! Keep up the good work!
We are seeing a huge improvement in this area!

Nock and Draw in a Safe Direction - During the Pre-Draw section of the Eleven Steps, NASP® teaches archers to "lift your arm allowing it to hinge at your shoulder so your shoulders remain level...the drawing hand, arm, and elbow should be parallel to the floor or ground." To nock the bow with the arrow pointed at the floor or to pull the bow back with an arrow nocked and pointed above or below the curtain is a safety violation. The correct procedure must be followed and will be enforced during the tournament. Correcting this behavior during a tournament is disruptive to the archer and possibly others. Please make sure every team member is nocking and drawing in a safe manner with the arrow pointed towards the target.



Archers have two minutes to shoot five arrows - Rules state that archers will have 2 minutes to shoot each 5-arrow end. It would be a good idea to time your archers at a few practices to make sure everyone is able to shoot within this time limit. If you have an archer with special needs and requires additional time, please alert the official working the lane.

All equipment must remain forward of the waiting line - Archer's bows and arrows must remain forward of the waiting line during the entire flight. In the case of a malfunction, a bow may be brought behind the waiting line, accompanied by a lane official, and repaired by the coach (the archer should remain on the line). Arrows should only be brought behind the waiting line if a replacement is needed.

Recognitions of "50s" by the announcer or range officials are prohibited - While KY NASP® is certainly thrilled to see archers achieve this accomplishment, recognizing the archer during the flight is inappropriate. The archer that shot the 50 may or may not want to be publicly acknowledged and many times the announcement puts pressure on the archer to shoot the same score again. The announcement may also have a negative effect on other archers. We have always believed that it's best to save the celebrations for after the flight.



Keep Equipment Legal Equipment should be in a compliant condition BEFORE archers enter the range, not fixed during bow inspection

Unmodified Rests - Rules state, "3.2.12. The arrow rest must be original and unmodified. The rest arm sleeve may be original, absent, or replaced with heat shrink tubing similar to the original rest arm sleeve." When ordered, rests may come with or without a slight bend. If the rest comes without the slight bend and a slight bend is desired, it may be modified to mirror the factory bent rest. Otherwise, it must remain unmodified.

Creating Sights - Rules state, "3.2.7. The bow must be sight and sight-mark free." While the rules go into great depth on this subject, we will keep it simple. DO NOT CREATE A SIGHT MARK ON THE BOW. Whether it is on the face of the riser or on the string, modifying the bow in any way to create a sight mark is illegal. The rules also state, "Acts of unsportsmanlike conduct will result in disqualification" and defines using disallowed equipment as unsportsmanlike conduct. If the sight is caught before the archer shoots, the coach will be asked to restore the bow to a compliant condition. If the sight is caught while the archer is shooting, the archer will be disqualified. It is the responsibility of the coach and the archer to make sure the bow is legal BEFORE entering the range.

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