



KY NASP® NEWSLETTER

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2018 KY NASP® State Championship & NASP®/IBO 3D Challenge Mar 30-31



Kentucky hosts largest NASP® state tournament to date

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 6,600 archers!

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 \$8.00 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 either of two 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. The other entrance will be located to the far right and leads into South Wing A where all elementary teams will be competing. Once inside, each range is connected, giving access to the entire event. (See diagram on page 2)

Both spectator entrances will have an admissions desk. Admission for the event is \$5.00 per individual, under 8 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 Broadbent Arena following the conclusion of the last flight.

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 your archers are registered for both tournaments. Registered archers and three coaches will enter into the East Hall entrance, located behind the registration table. The packet 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, 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!

* NASP® Annual Reporting is Open

In order to maintain your Basic Archery Instructor (BAI) certification, NASP® requires each instructor to submit an annual online report to remain certified. The report documents if a BAI is conducting NASP® lessons, if the in-school requirements have been met, and how many archers the classes included. If in-school instruction is not reported, the school will be ineligible for competition for the 2018-2019 school year. Please go online at www.naspbai.org and complete the report. A tutorial may be viewed at www.naspbai.org/resources/ReportingTutorial.pdf.

NASP® Tournaments

KY STATE CHAMPIONSHIP
Bullseye and IBO 3D Challenge
Kentucky Exposition Center
Louisville, KY - March 30 - 31

EASTERN NATIONAL TOURNAMENT
Bullseye and IBO 3D Challenge
Kentucky Exposition Center
Louisville, KY - May 10 - 12

WESTERN NATIONAL TOURNAMENT
Bullseye and IBO 3D Challenge
South Towne Exposition Center
Sandy, UT - April 13 - 14

WORLD TOURNAMENT
Bullseye and IBO 3D Challenge
Kentucky Exposition Center
Louisville, KY - June 7 - 9

NASP® / IBO 3D TOURNAMENT RULES

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Contact Information

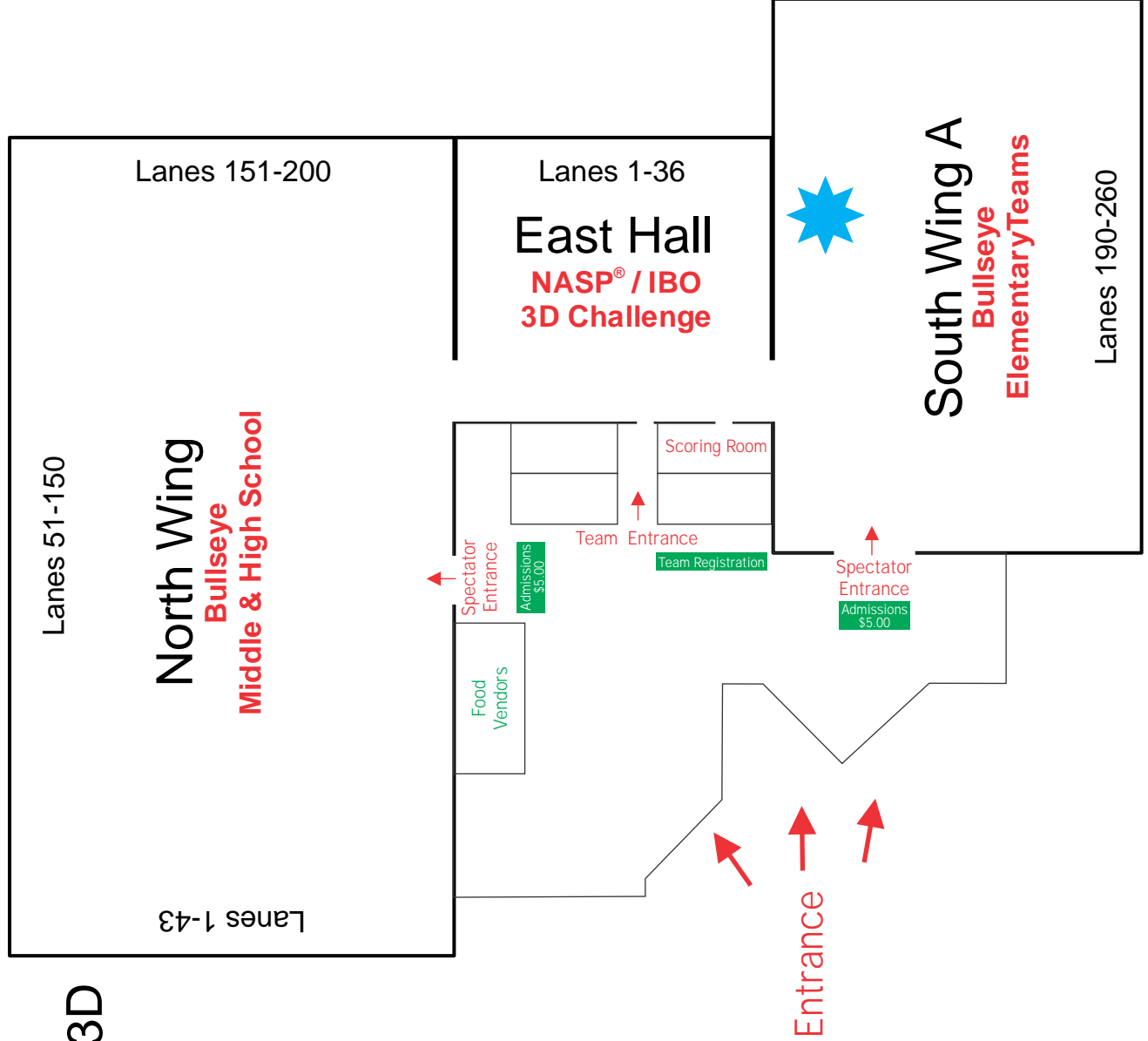
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KY NASP® State Championship Range Layout and Team / Spectator Entrances



Visit the Morrell booth to view the new ArchersUSA ISC (Individual Shooting Code) Bow System with Bernie Morrell and register for a drawing for free prizes!



NASP®/IBO 3D

East Hall

Thursday

1:15
2:30
3:45

Friday

8:30
9:45
11:00
12:15
1:30
2:45
4:00

Saturday

8:30
9:45
11:00
12:15
1:30
4:15 - Awards
Held at 3D range

Bullseye

North Wing
& South Wing A

Thursday

12:00
1:15
2:30
3:45

Friday

9:45
11:15
12:30
2:00
3:15
4:30

Saturday

8:30 - North Wing only
9:45
11:15
12:30
2:00
3:15
5:00 - Awards
Held in Broadbent Arena
(located on the opposite
end of the facility)

Entrance

Did You Know?

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



Hunter Ed Range Day Offered at State Trny

Spectators and archers can meet their range day requirements for Kentucky's Hunter Education Certification. Employees of the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resource will set up an air rifle range in the South Wing of the Exposition Center during the Kentucky NASP® State Championship. Range day participants must complete the online course at www.fw.ky.gov (search under the keywords "hunter education") and bring a copy of their course completion voucher to the Expo Center. Range work will take 30-45 minutes to complete. Range hours are 9 am to 3 pm on March 30th and 9 am until noon on March 31st. Participants must pre-register for range day at www.register-ed.com/programs/kentucky/121.



SPECIAL OFFER FOR ANY KENTUCKY NASP ARCHER!

Take the online Hunter Education course, print off the completion voucher, and sign-up for the range day at the state tournament and be entered into a drawing for a free GenX bow!

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 6,600 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 31st at noon. At that time, the unpaid targets will be considered unclaimed and will be resold. Targets may be picked up at the conclusion of the tournament on Saturday, March 13th at 4:15 pm in the North Wing and South Wing A.



Help Recognize Kentucky's Academic Archers

The National Archery in the Schools Program established the NASP® Academic Archer program in 2015 to promote and recognize academic excellence among 2.4 million NASP® student archers. The program establishes a uniform format to recognize and promote academic achievement among participating NASP® students. Kentucky currently has over 5,400 students designated as Academic Archers through this program. We would love to see that number grow!

With just a simple click on the registration page, you can add your qualified archer. It's that easy!

Detailed information about the Academic Archer program is available online. NASP® provides an informative Academic Archer Toolkit online, including program criteria, designation information, certificates, and patch decal order form. www.naspschools.org/instructors/.

YOU Can Help Provide Archers a Positive Tournament Experience

Teach them 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.

Keep the Bow Vertical while Nocking - Remember, for safety reasons, NASP® teaches archers to keep their bow as vertical as possible and to carry the arrow up and over the top of the bow. Please make sure all team members are able to nock an arrow with their bow remaining as vertical as possible.

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 safely towards the target.

Lane Officials are available to help - If an archer needs an arrow, has an equipment malfunction, needs assistance scoring, or has any type of problem or question, the lane officials are more than happy to help! Remind your archers that if they experience a problem, to raise their hand and a nearby official will assist them. Make sure that they alert the lane officials while the problem exists. Scoring problems need to be addressed while the archers are scoring and bounce-outs need to be addressed during the two minute shooting period.

The Spirit of Competition

Merriam-Webster dictionary defines Sportsmanship as "*conduct (such as fairness, respect for one's opponent, and graciousness in winning or losing) becoming to one participating in a sport*". Sportsmanship, according to thesaurus.com has synonyms such as fairness, integrity, honesty, virtue, and honor. The sport of archery provides an opportunity to coaches, parents, and archers to teach and exhibit these values. Make sure along with the Eleven Steps, to teach the archers to participate with the correct spirit of competition. In doing so, we truly are changing lives one arrow at a time.

Compete Honorably

Show respect to fellow teammates, competitors, coaches, and the officials at all times, realizing that everyone is working together for success. Respect the sport and the efforts of others.

Compete Fairly

Rely on skills, mental and physical, while always remaining inside of the guidelines of the rules.

Compete Graciously

Give the tournament your best effort and savor the challenge whether you win or lose.

Compete Humbly

"Talent is God-given. Be humble. Fame is man-given. Be grateful. Conceit is self-given. Be careful." – John Wooden

2018 KY NASP® Virtual State Tournament

Q. Only one team per school can attend state, but can the second team qualify for nationals? **YES**

Q. My team didn't make it to state, can they qualify for nationals? **YES**

This virtual tournament is an opportunity for teams to advance to the National NASP® tournament that did not qualify for the KY NASP® Team State tournament. This includes 2nd teams or 3rd teams from schools/divisions.

This will be a tournament for teams only. A coach can post scores from any Kentucky tournament that was posted on nasptournaments.org in the 2017-18 season, including qualifiers and regionals. (Scores from new tournaments attended after regionals could also be posted.)

The dates for posting tournament scores are March 6th, 2018 – April 6th, 2018

All rules in the 2018 NASP® KY State Tournaments document apply to this tournament.

1. For a score to qualify in this event, it MUST be shot in a 2017-2018 KY Local/Qualifier/Regional event that posted their results on nasptournaments.org.
 - o Any archer who competes in the KY NASP® Team State Tournament as a team member or individual is ineligible to participate in this tournament.
 - o All scores uploaded for the team must come from the same event. (you cannot pick the best scores for archers across multiple shoots)
2. Participation in the Ky Regional Tournament is required for all Teams to be eligible to participate in this tournament.
3. There is no limit to the number of teams per school/division in this event.
4. \$10 fee per registered archer will apply for this event. Pal Pal payments only. (no t-shirt included and all fees will be used for KyNASP® 2018-19 senior scholarships based on NASP® participation, not high scores)
5. NASP® Tournament Registration Protocols
 - o Registration for this tournament will be handled through the nasptournaments.org website.
 - o Registration for the tournament will begin at 8:00 AM ET on 3/6/18.
 - o All scores MUST be uploaded no later than 6:00 PM on 4/6/15 to be considered.

Qualifying for the 2018 National NASP® Tournament

The National NASP® Tournament now has two locations! The competition traditionally held in Louisville will become the Eastern NASP® National Tournament and the new Western NASP® National Tournament will be held in scenic Sandy, UT. Qualified schools may register to participate in either tournament, but not both. Participation is not guaranteed in either event. Registration will be open to all qualified NASP® schools. Registration for these events will be determined by school. Once a school is registered for one of these NASP® tournaments, teams and individual archers from that school will only be permitted to participate in that event. Qualification tiers will be established for each event individually. All other NASP® National and World rules apply. Each event will host both the Bullseye and NASP® / IBO 3D competitions.

2018 Western NASP® National Tournament Sandy, Utah - April 13 - 14

Official rules, registration information, and hotel listings for this tournament may all be found online at www.naspschools.org/about/news/event/2018-us-western-national-tournament. This tournament was designed to better accommodate travel for schools in the western part of the nation. **Due to the registration dates, Kentucky teams will be ineligible for the tournament.**



2018 Eastern NASP® National Tournament Louisville, Kentucky - May 10 - 12

Official rules, registration information, and hotel listings for this tournament may all be found online at www.naspschools.org/about/news/event/2018-us-eastern-national-tournament.



2018 NASP® World Tournament - June 7 - 9
Kentucky Exposition Center, Louisville, Kentucky
www.naspschools.org/about/news/event/2018-nasp-world-tournaments

