

Michigan High School Athletic Association
2023 Girls and Boys Bowling Regional #10-2
Hosted by: Vicksburg High School

TO: Athletic Directors, Girls and Boys Bowling Coaches
FROM: Michael Roy, CMAA, Athletic Director/Tournament Manager, Vicksburg HS
RE: Regional Bowling Information
DATE: January 31, 2022

Welcome from the Vicksburg High School Athletic Department and Continental Lanes. We are looking forward to hosting the 2023 MHSAA Division 2 Girls and Boys Bowling Regional #10-2. Please review the following information regarding the event. Please contact our office 269.321.1164 or mroy@vicksburgschools.org if you have any questions or concerns regarding this tournament.

TOURNAMENT DATE/TIME/SITE: Friday, 2/24 and Saturday, 2/25 at Continental Lanes-3645 VanRick Drive Kalamazoo, MI 49007 269.343.2626

COMPETING TEAMS: Adrian, Battle Creek Harper Creek (Boys Only), Chelsea, Coldwater, Edwardsburg, Jackson, Jackson Northwest, Marshall, Milan, Niles, Parma Western, Paw Paw, Pinckney, Sturgis, Tecumseh, Vicksburg (Boys Only)

ENTRY PROCEDURES: e-mail forms to mroy@vicksburgschools.org or fax them to 269.321.1155. Please be sure to use the forms provided on MHSAA.com on the bowling page under participating schools information. **These materials are due Friday, February, 3rd, 2023.**

TIME SCHEDULE:

Friday- Girls Team: 7:00-7:30 Check-in, 7:45- Coaches meeting, 8:00- Warm up and bowl

Boys Team: 12:15-12:45 Check-in, 1:00- Coaches meeting, 1:15- Warm up and bowl

Saturday- Boys Singles: 7:00-7:30- Check-in, 7:45- Coaches meeting, 8:00- Warm up and bowl

Girls Singles: 12:15-12:45- Check-in, 1:00- Coaches meeting, 1:15- Warm up and bowl

Friday- Boys check-in: 12:30-1:00- Check-in, 1:15- Coaches meeting, 1:30- Warm up and bowl

Saturday- Girls check-in: 12:30-1:00- Check-in, 1:15- Coaches meeting, 1:30- Warm up and bowl

Teams and coaches- PLEASE use the main front entry to the facility. This will help to minimize getting snow all over the facility and creating issues for bowlers with wet shoes.

FEES: Team Event- \$52.50 for full team x 2 (boys and girls) = \$105, Singles Event- \$15 per bowler or \$90 per team x 2 (boys and girls) = \$180. Total for both teams/both genders for team and singles is \$285. Make checks payable to: **Vicksburg Community Schools**

ADMISSION: Digital tickets will be sold online only via GoFan. Cost will be \$7 per day. No cash sales at the door.

CONCESSIONS: A variety of menu items will be available for bowlers and spectators. **ABSOLUTELY NO OUTSIDE FOOD OR COOLERS WILL BE ALLOWED.**

COACHING: Each school team will be allowed admission for two coaches in each gender. Only 2 coaches' total may be in the bowlers' seating area. Coaches are **not** allowed on the approaches and may **only** coach between frames.

PRACTICE: No practice is allowed on the days of the Regional. You may practice at your own expense during normal open bowling times at normal rates.

RULES: Please review all the MHSAA Regulations in the Bowling Coaches Manual regarding dress code, coaching restrictions, tie break procedures, etc. All USBC playing rules will apply to the competition. Please make sure both you and your athletes are aware of all regulations. Bowlers not in compliance **will not** bowl.

CONTINENTAL LANES: Alcohol may not be sold, or used by spectators at MHSAA events. In addition, smoking is prohibited in the facility where an MHSAA competition is being held. If you need to smoke, you will have to leave the facility to do so.

WEATHER ISSUES: The Michigan weather is unpredictable and we need to be prepared for potential weather issues. To deal with this issue, please call my cell phone- **269.720.3269** to report any issues you or your team may be having with regards to travel.

SOUVENIRS: We will be selling MHSAA approved souvenir t-shirts and hooded sweatshirts. Supplies will be limited so if interested, purchase items early. All sales will be cash or check only. Checks can be made to: **Vicksburg Community Schools**

HOTELS: If your team is traveling and is in need of overnight accommodations, below are a few suggested hotels close to the facility.

Best Western Hospitality Inn- 3640 East Cork Street- 269-381-1900

Candlewood Suites- 343 Retail Pl Dr.- 269-270-3203

Fairfield Inn- 3800 East Cork Street- 269-344-8300

Red Roof Inn- 3701 East Cork Street- 269-382-6350

Hampton Inn- 2610 Airview Blvd.,- 269-343-0400

Quality Inn- 3820 S. Sprinkle Rd.,- 269-743-2803

Four Points- 3600 E. Cork St.,- 269-385-3922

Holiday Inn Express- 3630 East Cork St.,- 269-373-0770