

# **2017 - 2018 PIAA District III Boys' and Girls' Individual Bowling Tournament**

To: District III Schools  
From: Douglas M. Bohannon, Pat Tulley (District III Co-Bowling Chairman)  
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Subject: District III Boys' and Girls' Individual Bowling Tournament and Independent Qualifier Information

## **Entries:**

All entries in the District III Bowling Tournament from schools that participate in a league must qualify through their respective league. Thirty-six bowlers will comprise of the individual tournament for both the boys and girls.

All leagues must email or fax a typed list of the names of the bowlers who qualify for the District III Tournament to Pat Tulley. Information should include the competitor's name, school, and grade. The deadline to submit names is Wednesday, February 14, 2018 at 8:00 A.M.

## **District III Entries (36 Bowlers):**

Lancaster-Lebanon League: 18 Bowlers  
Berks League: 12 Bowlers  
Independent Bowlers: 6 Bowlers

## **Independent Qualifiers:**

A tournament will be held for all non-school bowlers who wish to compete and enter the District III Bowling Tournament. A maximum six bowlers will qualify for the District III Tournament and this number could be less depending on number of bowlers. See attachment for entering the independent qualifier tournament. All the information pertaining to cost, food, dress code, conduct, coach/spectator decorum, and oil pattern will be the same as the district tournament.

## **Location:**

Berks Lanes will host the tournament and the facility will be a non-smoking environment and no alcohol will be permitted in the bowling center.

**Berks Lanes  
3190 Shillington Road  
Sinking Spring, PA 19608  
610-678-8044**

## **Date and Time:**

Saturday February 24, 2018 (Make-up date is Monday, February 26, 2018)

First Round (6 games): 9:30 A.M.  
Single Elimination First Round: 12:45 P.M.  
Single Elimination Semi-finals: 1:00 P.M.  
Championship Match: 1:15 P.M.

**Format:**

The tournament will consist of each bowler rolling 6 games. The top 6 bowlers (highest scratch score) will advance to a single elimination tournament with the top two players receiving a first round bye. 24 Lanes will be used.

**Cost:**

District III will pay the lane fees.

**T-Shirts**

District III Bowling T-shirts will be sold at the Tournament: Short Sleeve - \$15; Long Sleeve - \$20

**Food:**

Food facilities are available at the Bowling Center. No food or drink is permitted in to the building.

**Awards:**

The top 6 bowlers will receive District III medals. The higher seed when eliminated from the single elimination tournament will determine places 3 – 6.

**Pairings:**

The District III Bowling Committee will be responsible to set the lane assignments for the first round of the competition.

**Dress Code:**

No denim of any kind. The following items are NOT permitted: yoga pants, cargo pants, pants with jeans-style pockets, hats, t-shirts, sweat/sport pants, Capri pants, and shorts. Unless medically necessary, skirts and skorts are prohibited. Unless school issued, shirts must either be polo, retro-bowling style, or mock collar (minimum 1 inch). Unless school issued, no large logos or large personal name identification may be on the shirt.

**Conduct:**

Lewd or abusive language or behavior will not be tolerated, especially boisterous cheering or demonstrative “showboating” while on the approach. Bowlers will be warned for first offense and a second warning could result in immediate disqualification.

**Coach/Spectator Decorum:**

Coaches and participants will be the only individuals permitted in the bowling area. Spectators will not be permitted to have direct or indirect contact with the bowlers during competition.

**Oil Pattern:**

The District III Bowling Committee will select a bank of oil patterns. From that bank, a random oil pattern will be selected. The oil pattern used at the District 3 Championships will be selected on the Thursday prior to the event.

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