



22-23 MT BIG SKY TOUR

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2022-2023 Schedule

Sept 25, 2022 – Grizzly Lanes (6GmRL/Top 8 LMO) – Bigfork

Oct 9, 2022 – El Cor Del Lanes (6GmRL/Top 5 LMO) – Glasgow

Oct 23, 2022 – Westside Lanes (H2H/Top 8 Bracket) – Missoula

Nov 6, 2022 – Town & Country Lanes (6GmRL/Top 8LMO) – Billings

Dec 11, 2022 – Little's Lanes (6GmRL/Top 5 Stepladder) – Great Falls

Jan 8, 2023 – Cedar Park Lanes (6GMRL/Top 5 LMO) – Anaconda

Feb 5, 2023 – Fireside Lanes (H2H /Top 8 Bracket) – Billings

Feb 19, 2023 – Star Lanes (H2H / Top 5 Stepladder) - Butte

March 5, 2023 – Sleeping Giant Lanes (TBD) – Helena (8Gm FINALS)

**New U12 Division and
New Formats!!**

New Centers!!!

Info

MUST COMPETE IN 3/8 STOPS TO COMPETE AT FINAL STOP

Hdcp Brackets!!!

Scholarships!!!!

6 GM STOP (First eight stops) = \$40

8GM FINAL STOP = \$50

Majors – U20 (8/1/02 TO 7/31/07) Juniors – U15 (born 8/1/07 to 7/31/2011) Minions – U12 (born 8/1/2011)

CHECK-IN NO LATER THAN 8:45AM

PRACTICE FROM 8:45AM-9:00AM

COMPETITION PLAY BEGINS @9:00AM

Over \$10,000 in Scholarships given out

6 GMS SCRATCH COMPETITION FOR FIRST EIGHT STOPS WITH STEPLADDER

8 GMS SCRATCH COMPETITION FOR THE NINTH AND FINAL STOP

*****New Points System – Each athlete will earn 5 pts for each stop they compete at, 1 pt. for high game each game, 1 pt. for high series, 3 pts for #1 qualifying seed, 2pts for #2 qualifying seed, 1 pt. for #3 qualifying seed, and 3 pts to champion. Prizes (TBD) for athletes with the most points.**

Format: This is a certified Adult/Youth The first eight stops will consist of 6 qualifying games either bowled in a 6gm qualifying set moving lanes each games (right moves right/left moves left) or 3 sets of 2 head-to-head scratch matches (30 pins bonus to the winner of each game). For 6 Gm Qualifying set, starting lanes are random for H2H bowlers will be paired off by average for the first match and then by total pins with bonus pins for the remaining matches. The final stop will consist of 8 qualifying games or 4 H2H sets. There are three age divisions. Bowlers born between 8/1/02 and 7/31/07 will be placed in the U20 Major Division. Bowlers born between 8/1/07 and 7/31/2010 will be placed in the U15 Junior Division and bowlers born on 8/1/2010 or later will be placed in the U12 Minion Division. Rotation of different stepladder types. Final Stop will be a **JR GOLD Qualifier**. Call or email Terri Johnson if you have any questions.

Dress Code – Goal of this dress code is to prepare bowlers for tournament competition in which a professional athletic dress is standard. Appropriate bowling competition attire must be worn (knee length cargo or walking shorts are allowed but no basketball shorts or yoga pants and skirts must be longer than fingertip length), no hats. Youth participants shall not wear apparel or use bowling equipment depicting alcohol, tobacco, gambling, an illegal substance, or inappropriate language/gestures during competition.

18-20 Year-Old and older Athletes: Must complete the free U.S. Center for SafeSport online education program in to compete with participants under the age of 18. Bowlers who turn 18 during this league season will have to complete the training before the next Big Sky Tour Event upon turning 18. Minor athletes are also able to take SafeSport but not required.