



**L'ANSE CREUSE NORTH'S
BAKERS DOZEN
TEAM INVITATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP**

**Imperial Lanes
44650 Garfield
Clinton Twp, MI 48038**

**Varsity & Jr. Varsity
First 80 paid teams**

Team Tournament/Baker Format

**Saturday, January 5, 2019
Registration 8:00am/Practice 8:45am**

**Entry Fee: \$100.00 Per team
Spectator Admission Fee: \$5.00**

**Mail entry & fee to:
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Baker's Dozen format
Saturday, January 5, 2019

Registration at 8:00 A.M.

Rules & Regulations

1. There will be four divisions: Varsity (Boys & Girls) Junior Varsity (Boys & Girls)
2. This event will be an all baker format. All games will be bowled baker style (First bowler will bowl frames 1 & 6, the second bowler will bowl frames 2 & 7 and so on). Teams will be allowed 5 substitutions at the beginning of each baker game. **Mid frame & Mid game substitutions will be allowed.** Baker games will use the alternating lane format.
3. Lane assignments will be pre-assigned by the tournament committee prior to check in.
4. At 8:30A.M. There will be a coaches meeting.
5. At 8:45A.M. 15 minute practice session will begin.
6. Teams will then bowl a baker's dozen (13 baker games) – 5 (two-game qualifier matches AND 1 (three-game) qualifier across 12 lanes. Even number lane assignments will move one pair to the right. Odd number lane assignments will move one pair to the left. One lane courtesy should be observed during competition. Scoring for the baker matches will be all scratch.
7. The competition will then be cut to the top 16 teams in each division (or an appropriate number based on the number of entries) after the 6-match qualifier.
8. Lanes will not be re-oiled between the qualifier and match play.
9. There will be a 30 minute meal break after the qualifier.
10. After the meal break, a 10 minute practice session will begin.
11. The competition will then be seeded in matches utilizing the NCAA match-up format (Top seed vs. Bottom seed etc.).
12. Next, **The teams will bowl head to head, best two out of three baker games** until the field has been reduced to the final four. Each match will be decided by the team who wins two games. Total pins will not be a factor in deciding the winner. In the event of a tie, there will be a five frame roll-off. (Teams are allowed to change their lineup for the five frame roll-off).
13. Winners of the final four will roll-off to decide first and second place.
14. Losers of the final four will roll-off to decide third and fourth place.
15. Awards presentation immediately following.

**Please check in at least one hour before squad time.
Tardy teams will receive zero pins for frames missed.**

Rules & Regulations Continued

1. MHSAA, USBC and MHSIBCA rules and regulations will govern this tournament.
 2. This event is open to all current high schools who have a Varsity team in high school competition.
 3. Only registered bowlers may bowl. Active teams are 5 bowlers plus 3 substitutes.
 4. TEAM ENTRY: A fee of \$100.00 per team **must** accompany the entry. **No refunds will be issued.** Checks returned for insufficient funds will be assessed a \$35.00 fee.
 5. All teams shall bowl scratch (no handicap).
 6. All coaches will be required to sign score sheets. Errors in scoring must be reported to the tournament director immediately. Any changes in scoring can only be made by the tournament management.
 7. Awards will be given to the TOP FOUR TEAMS IN EACH DIVISION.
 8. Teams will check in with the tournament office when ALL members of the team are in the bowling center. Bowlers should report not less than 1 hour before squad time.
 9. Bowlers should bring their own equipment, especially shoes if possible.
 10. All equipment used in the tournament must meet USBC specifications. Illegal equipment will constitute a forfeit and scores for that event shall be disallowed.
 11. Bowling Attire: All bowlers should be dressed alike in shirts and the same color pants. School shirts must reflect the name of the school and/or the school logo or mascot. No hats allowed. No jeans allowed. Girls must wear dress slacks/skirts or skorts. **No Yoga or stretch pants are allowed per MHSAA rules.**
 12. Tardy bowlers: Bowling shall begin in accordance with a previously arranged schedule, unless the tournament manager authorizes a delay. Any player or team arriving late shall begin play with the score counting beginning with the frame and game then being bowled. All frames missed will be assessed zero pins.
 13. Only registered bowling team members and registered coaches will be allowed in the immediate bowling area.
 14. No tobacco products, drinking of alcoholic beverages or unsportsmanlike conduct will be permitted while participating in the event. Outside food or drinks are NOT allowed to be brought into the bowling center. Bowlers will not be permitted the use of amusement games or pool tables during their team's competition.
 15. Any disputes during the tournament or exceptions to the above rules and regulations will be resolved at the discretion of the tournament director and/or the tournament committee.
 16. The decision of the tournament management is final.
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Team Roster Boys _____ Girls _____ JV _____ Varsity _____

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