

COVID-19 Update:

While we hope our country has found some normalcy by summer, we want you to know that if Mr. Basketball Inc is forced to cancel any of our summer events due to Covid-19, a FULL refund of the entry fee will be issued immediately.

Register your team today at MisterBasketball.com or email Doug and request an online invoice that can be paid with a credit card.

Questions:
Call/Text Doug at 308.440.7267



DAKOTA SHOWCASE

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We invite your teams to compete in the 20th Annual Dakota Showcase college exposure tournament on Thursday-Saturday, June 25-27, 2020, at Augustana University in Sioux Falls.

The event is open to 5th thru 11th grade boys and girls teams. All teams will play 4-6 games at Augustana University's Elmen Center. All five courts are air conditioned and at one site.

Each year NCAA, NAIA and junior college programs scout the talented Dakota Showcase field. Colleges from as far as New Hampshire, Alabama & Alaska have visited the Dakota Showcase.

Our events provide outstanding competition, college exposure, facilities and officials, and are the best organized events of the summer. Register your team today!

AGES: Divisions for 5th thru 11th grade boys & girls. Teams must register for the grade level of their oldest player. Players may play on two teams only if they are in two different age groups. Teams may request to play up (please note this on registration).

EVENT FORMAT: All teams are guaranteed four or more games. Teams will compete in pool play on Thursday-Friday. Bracket play will be single elimination, with teams playing 1-3 games on Saturday. Games consist of two-16 minute halves with the clock stopping on all whistles.

ENTRY FEE: The nonrefundable entry fee is \$395 per team, with great multi-team discounts for programs with 2-4 teams (\$375 per team) and 5+ teams (\$350 per team) while spots remain available. After May 25, the entry fee is \$450 per team.

SCOREKEEPERS & ATHLETIC TRAINERS: We provide scorekeepers for the book & clock for all games and have an athletic trainer on staff during our events.

GAME RULES: Games will consist of two-16 minute halves (stop-clock). No bonus free throws will be shot during the first half, shooting fouls will be, though. Teams will enter the bonus on the 7th team foul of the second half, no two shot bonus on the 10th foul. Each team receives 3 timeouts per game. 7th grade and older boys will use the men's size ball.

MOTELS: We have a handful of lodging partners with room blocks for teams competing in the Dakota Showcase that are near the Augie campus. We do not have a "stay to play" requirement.

MISTERBASKETBALL.COM: Visit our website at misterbasketball.com for schedules, results and more info for all of our events in Central Nebraska and Sioux Falls, SD.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZING STAFF: Doug Koster founded Mr. Basketball, Inc., in 1991. His full-time dedication to each tournament has developed into a reputation for hosting the best organized events. Teams from 37 states & Canada have competed in the tournaments. If you have any questions, you can reach Doug at (308) 440-7267, or email doug@misterbasketball.com.

DREAM. PREPARE. BATTLE.

WHO'S PLAYED

Here is a sample of the teams and college scouts who have been on hand for the Dakota Showcase!

MEN'S TEAMS

ALASKA ICE
ARETE
BBA FORCE
BLUE DX TROPICS
BOYDEN HULL COMETS
CNBA KNIGHTS
D UP ELITE
DAKOTA BLUE DEVILS
DAKOTA BUCKS
DAKOTA NINERS
EACH ONE TEACH ONE
GREAT LAKES BALLERS
HOFFMAN HOOPS ACADEMY
HURON TIGERS
IOKOTA JAZZ
IOWA BARNSTORMERS BLACK
IOWA BATTLERS
IOWA EXPRESS
KANSAS CAGERS
KANSAS PROSPECTS
KEARNEY CATS
MIDWEST MAGIC
MINNESOTA COMETS
MINNESOTA FURY
MINNESOTA GLORY ELITE
MINNESOTA MAGIC
MINNESOTA NICE
MITCHELL KERNELS
NEBRASKA PRIDE
NORTH DAKOTA PHENOM
OKLAHOMA SERVANTS
OMAHA CRUSADERS
RANDOLPH BOYS CLUB
RAPID CITY CENTRAL COBBLERS
SD STORM
SD WIZARDS
SIOUX CITY BOMBERS
SIOUX FALLS FORCE
SIOUX FALLS LINCOLN
SOUTH DAKOTA HEAT
SOUTH DAKOTA VENOM
SOUTH DAKOTA WIZARDS
SOUTHERN MINNESOTA CAGERS
SW MINNESOTA STARS
SW T-HAWKS
TEAM 1848
TNBA MINNESOTA
TRYON GYM
ULTIMATE PREP HOOPS
VILLAGE ATHLETICS
WEAR OUT THE NET
WISCONSIN BALLERS ELITE
WISCONSIN BLIZZARD
WISCONSIN CRUSADERS
WISCONSIN DYNASTY
WISCONSIN JETS
WISC. PLAYGROUND WARRIORS

WOMEN'S TEAMS

AIR OKLAHOMA
ALASKA ICE
ALL IOWA ATTACK
AMBUSH-NORTH STARS
COLORADO SUMMIT
COLORADO WOLFPACK
CORNHUSKER SHOOTING STARS
DAKOTA BLUE DEVILS
DAKOTA LADY NINERS
DAKOTA SCHOOLERS
FOX VALLEY HUSTLE
HOFFMAN HOOPS ACADEMY
HOPKINS ROYALS
IOWA LIGHTNING
KANSAS TWISTERS
KC AND ONE
LAKEVILLE NORTH
MINNESOTA 36ERS
MINNESOTA COMETS
MINNESOTA HEAT
MINNESOTA LAKERS
MINNESOTA METRO STARS
MINNESOTA NICE
MINNESOTA RISE
MINNESOTA STARS
MINNESOTA SUNS
ND PRO
NEBRASKA HOOPS ELITE
NEBRASKA LASERS
NEBRASKA PRIDE
NORFOLK THUNDER
NORTH DAKOTA PHENOM
NORTH TARTAN
NORTHEAST NEBRASKA BULLETS
NORTHEAST NEBRASKA HOOPS
NORTHWEST IOWA STARS BLACK
OMAHA SPARKS
OMAHA SPORTS ACADEMY
PBA BROWN
ROCHESTER FURY
SACRED HOOPS
SIOUXLAND SHOWTIME HOOPERS
SOUTH DAKOTA ATTACK
SOUTH DAKOTA EDGE
SOUTH DAKOTA FIERCE
SOUTH DAKOTA HEAT
SOUTH DAKOTA NETWORK
SOUTH DAKOTA STARS
SOUTH DAKOTA THUNDER
SOUTH DAKOTA WIZARDS
SOUTH LINCOLN SWISH
TEAM WISCONSIN
WESTERN IOWA ELITE
WESTERN IOWA EXPRESS
WISCONSIN BLIZZARD
WISCONSIN HOOPS SELECT
WISCONSIN LIGHTNING



WHO'S SCOUTED

MEN'S COLLEGE SCOUTS

AUGSBURG
AUGUSTANA
BEMIDJI ST
BLACK HILLS ST.
BRIAR CLIFF
BUENA VISTA
CARLETON
CENTRAL COLLEGE
COE COLLEGE
COLL. OF ST. SCHOLASTICA
CONCORDIA (NE)
CONCORDIA-MOORHEAD
CONCORDIA-ST. PAUL
CORNELL
CROWN COLLEGE
DAKOTA ST.
DAKOTA WESLEYAN
DANA
DOANE
DORDT
GRACELAND
GRAND VIEW
GRINNELL
GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS
HAMLINE
HASTINGS

HESSTON
HILLSDALE
HURON
IOWA CENTRAL
IOWA CENTRAL CC
IOWA LAKES CC
JAMESTOWN
LAKE FOREST
MACALESTER
MINNESOTA - DULUTH
MARY
MAYVILLE ST.
MIDLAND LUTHERAN
MINNESOTA - CROOKSTON
MINNESOTA - MORRIS
MINNESOTA ST. - MANKATO
MINNESOTA ST. - MOORHEAD
MINOT ST.
MOUNT MARTY
NEBRASKA WESLEYAN
NEBRASKA-KEARNEY
NEBRASKA-OMAHA
NORTH DAKOTA
NORTH DAKOTA ST.
NORTHERN ST.
NORTHWESTERN

PRESENTATION
RIVERLAND CC
ROCKHURST
SAINT JOHNS
SD SCHOOL OF MINES
SIOUX FALLS
SOUTH DAKOTA ST.
SOUTH DAKOTA TECH
SOUTHWEST ST.
ST. CLOUD ST.
ST. JOHN'S (MN)
ST. MARY'S (ND)
ST. MARY'S (MN)
ST. OLAF
ST. THOMAS
TRUMAN ST.
UPPER IOWA
VALLEY CITY ST.
WALDORF
WARTBURG
WAYNE ST.
WINONA ST.
WISCONSIN - EAU CLAIRE
WISCONSIN - PARKSIDE
WISCONSIN - RIVER FALLS
YORK

WOMEN'S COLLEGE SCOUTS

ALASKA-ANCHORAGE
AUGSBURG
AUGUSTANA
BEMIDJI ST.
BENEDICTINE
BETHEL
BLACK HAWK EAST
BLACK HILLS ST
BRIAR CLIFF
BUENA VISTA
CARLETON
CENTRAL COLLEGE
CENTRAL MISSOURI ST.
CHADRON ST.
CHICAGO
COE
COLORADO CHRISTIAN
CONCORDIA - MOORHEAD
CONCORDIA - ST. PAUL
CONCORDIA (NE)
CORNELL
COTTEY COLLEGE
CROWN COLLEGE
DAKOTA ST.
DAKOTA WESLEYAN
DANA
DES MOINES AREA CC
DOANE
DORDT
ELLSWORTH
EMPORIA ST.
FORT HAYES ST.
FORT LEWIS
FRANKLIN PIERCE

GRAND VIEW
GRAYSON CC
GRINNELL
GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS
HAMLINE
HASTINGS
INDEPENDENCE CC
IOWA CENTRAL CC
IOWA LAKES
IOWA WESTERN
JAMESTOWN
KANSAS CITY CC
KIRKWOOD COLLEGE
LUTHER
MACALESTER
MARY
MAYVILLE ST.
MIDLAND LUTHERAN
MINERAL AREA
MINNESOTA ST. - MOORHEAD
MINNESOTA ST. - CROOKSTON
MINNESOTA ST. - DULUTH
MINNESOTA ST. - MANKATO
MINNESOTA ST. - MOORHEAD
MINNESOTA ST. - MORRIS
MINNESOTA WEST CC
MINOT ST
MISSOURI VALLEY
MISSOURI WESTERN
MORNINGSIDE
MOUNT MARTY
MOUNT MERCY
NEBRASKA-KEARNEY
NEBRASKA-OMAHA

NORTH DAKOTA
NORTH DAKOTA ST.
ND ST. COLLEGE OF SCIENCE
NORTHERN ST.
NORTHWEST MISSOURI ST.
NORTHWESTERN
PERU ST.
PRESENTATION
SAINT BENEDICT
SIOUX FALLS
SOUTH DAKOTA
SOUTH DAKOTA MINES
SOUTH DAKOTA ST.
SOUTHEASTERN CC
SOUTHERN UTAH
SOUTHWEST MINNESOTA ST.
SOUTHWESTERN CC
SPRING HILL
ST. CLOUD ST.
ST. MARY'S
ST. MICHAEL'S
ST. OLAF
SW MINNESOTA ST.
TABOR
TRUMAN ST.
UPPER IOWA
VALLEY CITY ST.
WARTBURG COLLEGE
WASHBURN
WAYNE ST.
WILLIAM JEWELL
WILLIAM PENN
WINONA ST.
YORK

DOUG KOSTER

President of
Mr. Basketball, Inc.



Doug Koster hosted the first Mr. Basketball Invitational in 1992 with 12 teams from five states. The lone Mr. Basketball tournament in 1992, has grown into a full-time basketball promotion business, Mr. Basketball, Inc.

In 2020, Koster will host 15 major events with more than 1,100 teams. Since 1992, boys and girls teams from 37 states and three Canadian provinces have ventured to Kearney, Nebraska, for the tournaments.

Alumni of the Mr. Basketball & Miss Basketball tournaments have gone on to play in the NBA, NFL, WNBA, MLB and for many of the top mens & womens college programs.

Although the majority of the events are held in Kearney, Koster also hosts the Dakota Showcase in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, along with several youth tournaments throughout Central Nebraska.

In 1992, Doug was certainly the nation's youngest major tournament director at just 19 years of age and a college freshman when he hosted the first Mr. Basketball event. From the beginning, coaches have praised the events as the best organized anywhere.

Doug Koster graduated from Kearney High School in 1991 and the University of Nebraska at Kearney in 1995. He was the first to enroll in UNK's Sport Administration program.

In 1994, he served an internship with the Indiana Pacers front office in media and community relations for five months as part of his Sport Administration degree. He also served as an administrative assistant during the Southern California Pro Basketball Summer League for NBA players.

During his prep career, Koster led the Kearney High Bearcats to the state tournament in 1990, and the state semi-finals in 1991. As a senior, he averaged 23.1 points and 12 boards while leading the 'Cats to a 15-5 record. He scored a school record 40 points vs. Fremont while shooting 15-of-16 from the field, 7-of-9 from the line and 1-of-1 from three. He holds several KHS scoring and rebounding records and was a two-time first team Class A (big school) all-state selection.

He was a member of the 1990 Valentino's Nebraska All-Star Team that advanced to the Final 8 of the Nike Las Vegas Invitational, before being ousted by a Dallas team led by future NBA players Greg Ostertag, Mario Bennett and Jimmy King. Doug's Valentino's teammate Erick Strickland played in the NBA for several years.

Koster served as the freshman boys assistant for one year before serving as the sophomore head coach for two seasons at Kearney High.

Mr. Basketball, Inc. was named the 2008 Small Business of the Year at the 90th Annual Kearney Area Chamber of Commerce banquet in March 2009. Koster was also honored as the 2008 Marketer of the Year by the UNK chapter of the American Marketing Association.

Doug, 46, and his wife, Beth, have a daughter, Keona, who is a Project Coordinator for the Arbor Day Foundation, and a son, Kanon, who was named the 2018 Omaha World Herald Athlete of the Year. An all-state quarterback and basketball player with a handful of DI basketball offers, Kanon chose to play basketball for the University of Nebraska-Kearney. Kanon was the fifth leading freshman scorer in DII. Kanon has transferred to the University of South Dakota and will sit out the 2019-20 season before having three seasons to play for the Division I Coyotes.



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2020 TEAM ENTRY FORM

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TEAM NAME _____

DIVISION (CIRCLE) : MENS WOMENS

2019-20 GRADE LEVEL OF OLDEST PLAYER (CIRCLE) :

5TH 6TH 7TH 8TH 9TH 10TH 11th

COACH _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

CELL PHONE _____

E-MAIL _____

If you have an additional contact person, other than the coach, please list below.

TITLE _____ NAME _____

CELL PHONE _____

E-MAIL _____

RETURN ENTRY FORM AND FEE TO:

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