



# DAKOTA SHOWCASE

Hosted by Mr. Basketball, Inc. | [MisterBasketball.com](http://MisterBasketball.com)  
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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](http://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](mailto: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  
DOROT  
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.  
WALDOFF  
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  
DOROT  
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

To secure a spot for your team(s) in the Dakota Showcase, please complete this form and return along with a check or money order for the payment in full. The entry fee is \$395 per team, with multi-team discount for 2-4 teams (\$375 per team) and 5+ teams (\$350 per team).

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 \_\_\_\_\_

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