As I mentioned in my email yesterday, NMHSBA's major issue is that we are expected to maintain a pair of lanes between school teams that are on a pair. This means we can only have six (6) teams at Ten Pins and nine (9) teams at Silvas.

Without any other considerations/requirements, we recognize we could achieve our normal complement of school teams (15 5A, 9 4A, and 4 3A) in two days using both centers.

- 5A (normally 15 schools) on Friday
- 3A/4A (normally 12 schools; four 3A/nine 4A) on Saturday

Yes, division could be split between centers. Although not ideal it is what we got.

However, NMAA and NMHSBA identified areas of concern associated to school travel that could impact the tournament plan.

- NMHSBA recognizes that due to covid, most schools did not have an opportunity to fund raise money for their activity. We do not want this to be a hardship on students, parents, coaches or sponsors.
- NMAA's no overnight stay causes an issue with how early teams must travel to meet existing start time of 8:30 AM.
- NMHSBA is not sure if there are any other School Restrictions to traveling
- NMHSBA is looking at remote center sites to possibly resolve any of these issue:
  - Examples:
    - Big Rock in Espanola Valley hosts Espanola Valley, Pojoaque, Taos, & Las Vegas.
    - o Bowlero Lanes in Farmington hosts Farmington, Piedra Vista, & Kirtland Central
  - Yes, divisions will be across multiple centers but it solves the travel issues.
  - This option also means we would possibly do the event in one day.

## Q&A TIME:

- 1) Do any of you have a funding issue that creates undue hardship on any team member (sponsor, coach, students, etc)?
- 2) Does anyone have an added school restriction that we need to be aware of and try to address to help you out?
- 3) What state tournament start time would you be comfortable with?
- 4) Would you have an issue with using a remote center site for your competition to reduce any of the travel concerns previously identified?
  - 5) Do any of you have an issue with bowling on either the 4 Jun or 5 Jun date? What is the issue?

## **NMHSBA (bowling) EVENT Participant Requirements**

(IAW NMPHO, NMAA, USBC, and CDC documents)

- o Participant implies student, coach, sponsor, NMHSBA staff, Center staff, TBD
- NMAA Monitoring form done by each coach for each practice/event.
  - If anyone feels ill or running a fever stay home, do not come to event
  - If identified you have had contact w/ a COVID person stay home, do not come to event;
    requires clearance from DOH to return
  - If you have COVID stay home, do not come to event; requires clearance from DOH to return
  - If a participant travels out of state quarantine in accordance with state order
- Must wear mask at all times for practice/events.
  - Exception while <u>actively</u> eating or drinking
  - No neck gaiters or full shields
- Social Distance 6 feet between players at all times
  - NO high five, fist bump, handshake, hugs, etc.
- Use sanitizer when you have made contact w/ any surfaces,
  - We plan to have a bottle at your pair in case you forget
- No sharing bowling equipment, clothing, towels, rosin/slide bags, food/drinks, bottles, pencils, etc.
- Illness/medical risk sponsor/coach needs to assess with parent(s) and/or medical person(s), then approved via NMHSBA (which includes NMAA)

## **EVENT Planning Info for all people**

(Based on NMPHO, NMAA, USBC, and CDC documents)

- One door in, one door out
  - School team members will meet up outside as a separate group from other schools.
  - NMAA Monitoring form done by each coach for each school member before team entry
    - o If anyone demonstrates any symptom, send them away. No entry.
  - Coach will request entry when ready
  - o A NMHSBA board member will check temperature as team enters, coach adds to form; < 100.3 or leave
  - Team sent directly to their pair of lanes (no one leaves their area without coach/sponsor approval)
  - Coach/Sponsor will ensure all team members stay in their area until depart facility
- School Team event structure
  - Sponsor 1 [due to some schools requiring school sponsor at events]; [on concourse]
  - ➤ Coach 1 [in settee area][makes all corrections to scores on console. Limiting surface access.
  - ➤ Team size Looking at 7 or 8. TBD once we know participating schools.
  - ➤ Social Distancing 6 feet between player at all times
    - > Currently planning only 2 to 3 team members in settee area maintaining 6 ft;
    - > Others on concourse maintaining 6 ft
  - ➤ Lanes available based on-NMAA preference of every other pair:
    - ❖ Ten Pins 6 teams
    - Silvas 9 teams
- Equipment No sharing. USBC does allow Isopropyl to disinfect. Separated by social distance standard.
- Spectators NONE currently [least risk, and allows more bowlers]. Use group streaming meeting capability (zoom, google meets, etc) on one device for others to see.
- o Event Fees Mailed, no on-site collection.