

# EVENT RESUME



## National Archery in the Schools Program (NASP) Eastern National Tournament

Location: Kentucky Exposition Center (KEC)  
Dates: May 7-9, 2026  
Attendance: 15,000+ athletes over 34,000 total attendees  
Thursday 5,500 athletes  
Friday 5,500 athletes  
Saturday 4,000 athletes



### DESCRIPTION

NASP® is designed to teach international style target archery in physical education class 4th-12th grades, core content covers archery history, safety, technique, equipment, mental concentration, core strengthening physical fitness and self-improvement. NASP® brings the sport of archery to millions of students in schools across the United States & various other countries.



### SCHEDULE

KEC Doors open at 8am each morning

#### Event Hours

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Thursday, May 7	9:00am – 7:00pm	(8,000 athletes flow)
Friday, May 8	9:00am - 7:00pm	(8,000 athletes flow)
Saturday, May 9	8:30am – 5:30pm	(7,000 athletes flow)

Kentucky Exposition Center Doors open one hour before competition starts.

Each Flight lasts 1 hour and 15 minutes



### DINING

Attendees will be on their own for *ALL MEALS*. Please note that athletes typically will be with family so there will be groups of individuals looking for meals near KEC each day.

#### Peak Meal Times

Thursday, May 7	7am-9am, 12pm-2pm, 6pm-9pm
Friday, May 8	7am-9am, 12pm-2pm, 6pm-9pm
Saturday, May 9	7am-9pm, 11am-2pm, 4pm-6pm

Flights last 1 ½ each so will be continuous travel to/from KEC each day

*During show hours, concession stands will be open throughout KEC.*

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## TRANSPORTATION

### Parking

Onsite parking is available at Kentucky Exposition Center

### Peak Travel Times

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Saturday, May 9	7:30am – 5:30pm

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### Hotel Locations

Various hotels throughout the city

### In-Bound Travel

Air Travel: 25%  
Auto Travel: 75%



## ACCOMMODATIONS

HQ Hotel: Crowne Plaza Louisville Airport

Additional Hotels: Attendees will be utilizing over 20 hotels throughout the city

Heavy Arrivals: Wednesday, May 6<sup>th</sup> and Thursday May 7<sup>th</sup>

Heavy Departures: Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup> and Sunday May 10<sup>th</sup>



## CITY INFORMATION BOOTH

**PROMOTE YOUR BUSINESS!** The Louisville CVB will be staffing a city information table for this conference. Partners, please feel free to drop off brochures and coupons promoting your business to Louisville Tourism's administrative office by April 22.



## PRESS CONTACT

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## DIGITAL MEDIA

Website: <https://nasptournaments.org/TournamentDetail.aspx?tid=7696>

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