

MT Big Sky Tour Stops - See Hotel discounts for Stops 1-3 further down

U20 Maj Div (Bdays 8/1/2002 to 7/31/2007) : U15 Jr Division (Bdays 8/1/200 to 7/31/2010) : U12 Minion Division (8/1/2010 or later)

- Sun, Sept 25th - Grizzly Lanes, Bigfork - (6Gm Qualifying / Top 8 Low Man Out)
- Sun, Oct 9th - El Cor Del Lanes, Glasgow - (6Gm Qualifying / Top 5 Low Man Out)
- Sun, Oct 23rd - Westside Lanes, Missoula - (H2H / Top 8 Bracket)
- Sun Nov 6th - Town & Country Lanes, Billings - (6Gm Qualifying / Top 8 Low Man Out)
- Sun Dec 11th- Little's Lane, Great Falls - (6Gm Qualifying / Top 5 Stepladder)
- Sun Jan 8th - Cedar Park Lanes, Anaconda - (6Gm Qualifying / Top 5 Low Man Out)
- Sun Feb 5th - Fireside Lanes, Billings - (H2H / Top 8 Bracket)
- Sun Feb 18th - Star Lanes, Butte - (H2H / Top 5 Stepladder)
- Sun, Mar 5th - Sleeping Giant Lanes Helena - Voted by League in Feb

2022-2023 Big Sky Tour Board of Directors (Age)

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Hotels for Big Sky Tour Stops 1-3 (list is not complete and will update)

- Stop #1 Bigfork Wood's Bay Mountain Lake Lodge - \$134.10 Rate for Sept 24th
 - (406)837-3800
 - Code: "Big Sky Scholarship Tour" **Call by 9-12-22 to get rate** (These rooms will go fast)
 - Block of 12 rooms
 - Sat Sept 24th
 - 7.5 miles south of Grizzly Lanes about 12 min drive
 - overlooks Flathead Lake
- - <https://www.mountainlakelodge.com/>
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- Stop#1 Bigfork's Wood's Bay The Islander Inn - \$149 (Most are Queen Bed only but will allow air mattress)
 - (406)837-5472 or (503)438-9711 - Block of 6 Rooms
 - Sat Sept 24th
 - Located right across street from Flathead (literally steps away) and next to restaurants

- 8.3 Miles south of Grizzly Lanes about 13 min drive
- Code: "Big Sky Bowling Tour" Book by Sept 3r
- <https://www.sleepatdrink.com/>
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- **Stop #1 Bigfork Timber's Motel - Rate is \$203**
 - (406)837-6200 - Block of 10 Rooms
 - Sat Sept 24th
 - 3.5 miles south of Grizzly Lanes about 7 min drive
 - Code: Big Sky Bowling Tour Book by Aug 24th
 - <https://www.timbersmotel.com/>
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- **Stop #2 Glasgow's Cottonwood Inn - \$94 for 1 person plus \$6 for each additional person**
 - (406)228-8213 Block of 15 rooms
 - Sat Oct 8th
 - Code: "Big Sky Tournament Bowling" Book by Sept 28th
- **Stop #3 Missoula's Comfort Inn on Reserve Inn - Rate is \$119**
 - (406)508-2440
 - Sat Oct 22nd
 - Code: "Big Sky Tour" - Must book by Sept 22nd or rate jumps to \$169

Changes to the Big Sky Tour for the 2022-2023 season

- New U12 Minion division for athletes born 8/1/2010 or later
- Handicap Brackets for games 1-3 and 4-6 were a hit so definitely bring it back
- Entry Increase
 - 1-8 Stops Entry: \$40
 - Finals Entry: \$50
- New Centers
 - We are super excited to head Grizzly Lanes in Bigfork under new ownership of Rhino Page and Jeff Heinle, a 20 Lane center that is bringing bowling back to Northwestern Montana.
 - Town & Country Lanes in Billings is excited to host a stop for the first time ever.
- New Qualifying Formats
 - 6Gm Qualifying is a new format where each bowler bowls 6 games across several pairs of lanes. One game one, your starting lane then every game after is right lane moves right, left lane moves left. Athletes from all 3 divisions may be on the same pair of lanes
 - H2H is the standard 6gm qualify is 3 sets of 2 games head-to-head.
- New Finals Format

- Top 8 Low Man Out - Top 8 in each division will be split into an Odd-seeded group (1,3,5,7) and an even-seeded group (2,4,6,8) then athlete still remaining in each group will compete for champion.

Saturday Baker Tournaments - Will coincide with travel stops to reduce extra travel as much as possible while still supporting our bowling centers across our state especially the home centers of Big Sky Tour members.

- Sat Sept 24th - TBD (Clinic or Baker - Still working details)
- Sat Oct 8th - Adult/Child Baker
- Sat Oct 22nd - TBD
- Nov 5th - TBD
- Dec 10th - TBD
- Jan 7th - Cedar Park Lanes - TBD
- Feb 4th - TBD
- Feb 17th - TBD
- Mar 4th - TBD

Other Youth Tournaments

- 20th Annual Jr Ringing Ten - Sun Nov 20th, Star Lanes, Butte
- Wyoming's Junior Bowling Tour/ Jr Gold Qualifier - Dec 4th Fireside Lanes, Billings
 - <https://wjbt307.wixsite.com/website/schedule-1>
- 37th Annual Master/Masterette's Scholarship Tournament (Handicap & Scratch) Jan 14-15th, Sleeping Giant Lanes, Helena
- MT Pepsi Youth Bowling Championships - Mar 31 - Apr 2, Sleeping Giant Lanes in Helena
- MT State Championships - April 15-16, 22-23, Westside Lanes, Missoula