



**South Dakota ELCA
'Bishop's Blast'
Fundraiser
2018**



**Sponsorship Opportunities
August 26th, 2018
Hunters Pointe Shooting Complex, Humboldt SD**



**South Dakota Synod
Evangelical Lutheran
Church in America**



About the Bishop's Blast

The second annual **Bishop's Blast** will take place on **Sunday, August 26th, 2018, at Hunters Pointe in Humboldt, South Dakota**. This event raises important dollars in support of the development and recruitment of ministry leadership within the South Dakota Synod of the ELCA. The money raised supports the encouragement, recruitment, and shepherding of new candidates for rostered leadership through college and into seminary.



The event begins with registration and lunch at 12:30pm. Target shooting will begin at 1:30pm. A reception and awards ceremony will take place after all teams have finished the target course.

Participant & Team Information

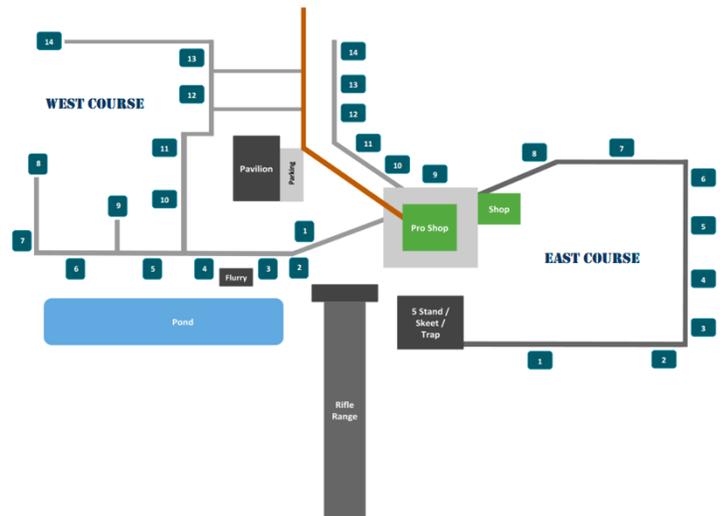
Teams of four individuals will participate in the target course. Individual scoring and team scoring will be conducted throughout the shoot.

Team Entry Fees: **\$600 (per team of four)**

All team registration can be found online on the South Dakota Synod website at: www.sdsynod.org

Bishop's Blast Clay Target Course

The West Course at Hunters Pointe is a time proven wings course with fourteen stations and twenty-eight fully automated target throwers. The front half includes incoming, crossing water shots from a duck boat and high-flying targets from a sixty-foot silo. The back half of the course demonstrates flushing, upland game style targets through lightly wooded plumb thickets. With three additional tower shots and elevated platforms, all types of hunting simulations are duplicated.



Contact Us

For more information about event sponsorship, please contact:

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Sponsorship Levels & Benefits

All sponsorship gifts and gifts-in-kind are 100% tax-deductible.



Gold Sponsorship **\$1,000**

- **Complimentary participating team (4 individuals)**
- Opportunity to speak/present at event reception
- Sponsorship name at clay target station
- Logo prominently displayed on event signage
- Exhibit space at event
- Public recognition from Bishop Zellmer
- Mention in event press release

Silver Sponsorship **\$500 (or Equivalent Value of Gifts-in-Kind)**

- Sponsorship name at clay target station
- Logo prominently displayed on event signage
- Exhibit space at event
- Public recognition from Bishop Zellmer
- Mention in event press release

Bronze Sponsorship **\$250 (or Equivalent Value of Gifts-in-Kind)**

- Sponsorship name at clay target station
- Mention in event press release

Gifts-In-Kind Sponsorships

Donations of gifts-in-kind support the Bishop's Blast Silent Auction, Raffle, and Door Prize events at the fundraiser. Individuals and businesses desiring to donate through a gift-in-kind are eligible to be recognized as Silver or Bronze sponsors of the event with the equivalent value of the donated items to the sponsorship levels.

Event Prizes

Individual and team prizes will be awarded to the top three scores of each category (individual competition and team competition). Prizes will be awarded during the event reception immediately following the completion of the shooting course. Individual scoring is determined by the accumulative number of targets shot at each target station. Team scoring is determined by the sum of individual scores for each team member.

Silent Auction

A silent auction will be conducted throughout the duration of the event. The silent auction will begin at 12:30pm and conclude after the target shoot has come to completion. Auction items purchased can be paid via cash, check, or credit card at the event.

Raffle Prize(s)

Tickets will be available for purchase for raffle prize(s) at the registration table on the day of the event. Raffle tickets can be purchased \$20 each. The raffle drawing will be conducted during the reception following target shooting.

Bishop's Blast Sponsorship Registration

Please fill out the following registration form or register online at www.sdsynod.org.

Company Name

Contact

Address

Phone

City/State/Zip

Email

Sponsorship Level

I/We are delighted to support the Bishop's Blast 2018 event at the level marked below:

_____ \$1,000 Gold Sponsor

_____ \$500 Silver Sponsor

_____ \$250 Bronze Sponsor

Gold Sponsor Team Information

Team Name

Team Contact

Phone

Email

Payment Options

_____ Enclosed is my check for \$ _____ payable to South Dakota Synod of the ELCA

_____ I/We will sponsor the event through gifts-in-kind. I/We would like to donate:

Item(s)

Value

_____ Please charge my credit card for \$ _____

_____ Master Card

_____ Visa

_____ AmEx

_____ Discover

Cardholder Name

Signature

Expiration Date

CVV

Card Number

Please return this form along with a high-resolution logo of the sponsoring organization/business.

Please mail or email forms to:

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