

TEXAS STATE[®]

CAMPUS RECREATION

INTRAMURAL SPORTS

Hot Shot Contest Rules

General Information

- **One Attempt Per Event Day**
- Men's (29.5") and Women's (28.5") basketballs will be provided
- Participants may shoot with either size basketball of their choice.

Rules

- Each participant will have 60 seconds to score as many points as possible in each round.
- The 60 second timer will start the moment the participant releases their first shot attempt.
- Participants may begin at any location they choose.
- Each designated location will be assigned a point value ranging from 1 to 8 points:
 - Inside the free throw lane area (1 point)
 - Either mid-range elbow (2 points)
 - Either mid-range short corner (3 points)
 - Anywhere beyond the white (20'9") three-point line (5 points)
 - Anywhere beyond the red volleyball line (8 points)
- After taking a shot, the participant must get their own rebound and move to their next location.
- Participants do not need to dribble between shots.
- Participants may score consecutive points from the same point value, however, participants may not score consecutive points from the identical location on the court.
 - **Legal Example:** *Scoring from the left mid-range elbow, then scoring from the right mid-range elbow, then scoring from the left mid-range elbow, then scoring from the right mid-range elbow, etc.*
 - **Illegal Example:** *Scoring from the left mid-range elbow, then scoring from the identical left mid-range elbow, then scoring from the identical left mid-range elbow, then scoring from the identical left mid-range elbow, etc.*
 - **Exception:** *Participants may not score two consecutive 1-point shots even if the 1-point shots are from different locations inside the free throw lane area.*
- If participants make consecutive shots from identical locations, or consecutive 1-point shots from any location inside the free throw lane area, only the first successful shot will count towards the participant's final score.
- If a participant makes a shot from each point location defined above (1 point, 2 point, 3 point, 5 point, and 8 point), they will receive 20 bonus points. **This bonus is only available once.**
- The top four scores from all Preliminary Rounds will qualify for the Championship Round, which will be a bracket style competition.
- In the case of a tie between participants in the Preliminary Round, the following tie breaker procedure will be used in order:
 - Total number of successful 8-point shots
 - Total number of successful 5-point shots
 - Total number of successful 3-point shots
 - Total number of successful 2-point shots
 - Total number of successful 1-point shots

- Preliminary Round scores do not carry over to the Championship Round.
- In each Championship Round matchup, the higher seeded participant will have the option of choosing to shoot first or second.
- In the case of a tie in a Championship Round matchup, the two tied participants will each have another 60 seconds to shoot. This process will continue until the tie is broken. There are no bonus points in the tiebreaking rounds.
- The higher seeded participant will have the option of choosing to shoot first or second in this tie breaker scenario. The participant who wins the final matchup in the Championship Round in each league will be declared the winner of event.

