# OFFICIAL SHORT RULES PINNACLE BANK HIGH SCHOOL GAME OF THE WEEK

# **Official Rules**

- Each week during the 2019 high school football season, Omaha World-Herald staff writer Mike Sautter will select four high school football games to be eligible for voting. The eligible games will be a mix from the Metro and statewide.
- Voting will be each week during the contest's durations (see Official Rules below for specific dates). Voting will begin each Sunday at 7 p.m. during the contest period and end at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday evening. Voting will be open for approximately 48 hours.
- The winning games will be announced Wednesday morning on the Nebraska Prep Zone Facebook page, NEPrepZone Twitter account, and the Nebraska Prep Zone website on Omaha.com - <u>https://www.omaha.com/neprepzone/</u>.
- Sautter will prepare a brief preview article focused on the players to watch for the upcoming game. If a Thursday game wins, Sautter's preview article will appear on Wednesday of game week. If a Friday or Saturday game wins, Sautter's preview will appear on Thursday of game week. Sautter will also personally attend the winning game to provide additional video and social media coverage as well as post-game recap.
- If for any reason the contest is not capable of being conducted as planned due to any cause beyond the control of Sponsor, including but not limited to any event or cause which corrupts or affects the administration, security, fairness, integrity or proper conduct of the promotion, Sponsor reserves the right at its sole discretion to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the contest and disqualify any individual who may have caused such a problem.

### **OFFICIAL RULES FOR CONTEST**

**NO PURCHASE NECESSARY. A PURCHASE WILL NOT IMPROVE ONE'S CHANCES OF WINNING:** Open only to residents of the United States within the Omaha World-Herald circulation area who are currently of the age of majority in their state of residence, and who have the capacity to enter into legally binding contracts and satisfy all eligibility requirements. Employees of the Omaha World-Herald ("OWH") and its affiliates which are owned by BH Media Group, Inc. ("Sponsor"), and members of their immediate families (spouse, parents, children, and siblings and their spouses) are not eligible. **Void where prohibited.** 

### **CONTEST DATES:**

### Week 1

Weekly Voting Entry Period: 7:00 p.m. Sunday, August 25, 2019 – 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 27, 2019

### Week 2

Weekly Voting Entry Period: 7:00 p.m. Sunday, September 1, 2019 – 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 3, 2019

#### Week 3

Weekly Voting Entry Period: 7:00 p.m. Sunday, September 8, 2019 – 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 10, 2019

### Week 4

Weekly Voting Entry Period: 7:00 p.m. Sunday, September 15, 2019 – 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 17, 2019

### Week 5

Weekly Voting Entry Period: 7:00 p.m. Sunday, September 22, 2019 – 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 24, 2019

### Week 6

Weekly Voting Entry Period: 7:00 p.m. Sunday, September 29, 2019 – 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 1, 2019

### Week 7

Weekly Voting Entry Period: 7:00 p.m. Sunday, October 6, 2019 – 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 8, 2019

### Week 8

Weekly Voting Entry Period: 7:00 p.m. Sunday, October 13, 2019 – 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 15, 2019

#### Week 9

Weekly Voting Entry Period: 7:00 p.m. Sunday, October 20, 2019 – 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 22, 2019

**HOW TO ENTER:** Go to <u>www. HYPERLINK "http://www.dailyprogress.com/"omaha HYPERLINK</u> <u>"http://www.dailyprogress.com/".com</u> and click on the contest link to enter and submit your vote for the Pinnacle Bank High School Game of the Week. Winners will be determined by reader votes. Entries must be submitted online each week during the voting periods (see "CONTEST DATES" section above for specific dates). Each timely submitted entry will be eligible to win.

**ALTERNATIVE METHODS OF ENTRY:** As an alternative to entering pursuant to the paragraph above, you may enter by delivering your name, complete address, phone number and date of birth, all legibly handwritten on a 3" x 5" piece of paper, to the Omaha World-Herald Building at 1314 Douglas Street, Omaha, Nebraska, or the 3" x 5" piece of paper may be mailed to: Omaha World-Herald Pinnacle Bank High School Game of the Week, 1314 Douglas St, Ste 700, Omaha, NE 68102. Entries submitted by this alternative method must be received by each week during the voting periods (see "CONTEST DATES" Section above for specific dates.)

## **SELECTION OF WINNERS / ELIGIBILITY AND PRIZE:**

Only one (1) entry per valid and active email and IP address per person. All votes must be received by the contest deadlines set forth in the "CONTEST DATES" Section above to be eligible to win. Only one vote per valid and active email and IP address per person per voting period is allowed. No mass-produced or photocopied entries will be accepted. Entries that are incomplete, illegible or damaged are void and will not be accepted or eligible. Only legible and complete entry forms will be accepted and eligible. Sponsor is not responsible for misdirected, lost, late or damaged entries. All entries become the property of the Sponsor and will not be acknowledged or returned. In case of a dispute over the identity of an entrant, the authorized account holder of the email address used to enter will be deemed to be the entrant. "Authorized account holder" is defined as the person who is assigned to an email address by an Internet access provider, online service provider or other organization that is responsible for assigning email addresss for the domain associated with the submitted email address.

Each week during the 2019 high school football season, Omaha World-Herald staff writer Mike Sautter will select four (4) high school football games to be eligible for voting. The eligible games will be a mix from the Metro and statewide. Sautter will personally attend and cover whichever game garners the most votes at the end of the weekly voting period (see "CONTEST DATES" Section above for specific dates). Sautter's coverage will include a brief preview article of players to watch for the upcoming game. If a Thursday game, the preview article will appear on Wednesday. If a Friday or Saturday game, the preview article will also provide additional social media and video coverage from the game as well as a post-game recap.

### **MISCELLANEOUS:**

Odds of winning depend upon the number of eligible entries. Sponsor reserves the right to withdraw the transmission of this promotion and award the prizes from among the eligible entries received prior to the date of the withdrawal. Entrants agree to abide by these Official Rules and by the decisions of the judges, whose decisions are final. Failure to comply with these rules may result in disqualification from this promotion. Sponsor reserves the right to permanently disqualify from this promotion any person it believes has violated these rules.

If for any reason the contest is not capable of being conducted as planned due to any cause beyond the control of Sponsor, including but not limited to any event or cause which corrupts or affects the administration, security, fairness, integrity or proper conduct of the promotion, Sponsor reserves the right at its sole discretion to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the contest and disqualify any individual who may have caused any such problem. Sponsor assumes no responsibility for any theft or destruction, unauthorized access to, or alteration of entries. Sponsor assumes no responsibility for any error, omission, interruption, deletion, defect, delay in operation or transmission, communications line failure, theft or destruction, unauthorized access to, or alteration of entries. Sponsor is not responsible for any problem or technical malfunctions of any telephone network or lines, computer online systems,

servers or provider, computer equipment, software, failure of any entry to be received by Sponsor on account of technical problems or delays, including any injury or damage to participant's or any other person's computer related to or resulting from participation or downloading any materials in this contest. CAUTION: ANY ATTEMPT BY ANY PERSON TO DELIBERATELY DAMAGE ANY WEB SITE OR UNDERMINE THE LEGITIMATE OPERATION OF THIS CONTEST IS A VIOLATION OF CRIMINAL AND CIVIL LAWS AND SHOULD SUCH AN ATTEMPT BE MADE, SPONSOR RESERVES THE RIGHT TO SEEK DAMAGES FROM ANY SUCH PERSON TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW.

If a dispute arises regarding who submitted an entry, the entry will be deemed submitted by the person in whose name the entry was made.

By entering this contest, each entrant agrees that (i) any and all disputes, claims, and causes of action arising out of or in connection with this contest, the drawing or the prize awarded, shall be resolved individually, without resort to any form of class action; (ii) any and all claims, judgments and awards shall be limited to actual out-of-pocket costs incurred, including costs, directly or indirectly associated with entering this contest, but in no event will attorneys' fees be awarded or recoverable; and (iii) under no circumstances will any entrant be permitted to obtain any award for, and entrant hereby knowingly and expressly waives all rights to, any damages other than actual out-of-pocket expenses.

The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of these rules shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision. In the event that any provision is determined to be invalid or otherwise unenforceable or illegal, these rules shall otherwise remain in effect and shall be construed in accordance with their terms as if the invalid or illegal provision were not contained herein. IN NO EVENT SHALL SPONSOR BE LIABLE FOR ANY CONSEQUENTIAL, SPECIAL, INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL OR PUNITIVE DAMAGES, EVEN IF IT HAS BEEN ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF THE DAMAGES. IN ANY EVENT THE MAXIMUM AGGREGATE LIABILITY OF SPONSOR TO ANY PERSON DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY RELATING TO THIS CONTEST, PROMOTION OR THE AWARD, USE OR ENJOYMENT OF ANY PRIZE SHALL NOT EXCEED THE SUM OF \$10.00.

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### WINNER'S LIST:

The winning games will be announced Wednesday morning on the Nebraska Prep Zone Facebook page, NEPrepZone Twitter account, and the Nebraska Prep Zone website on Omaha.com - <u>https://www.omaha.com/neprepzone/</u>.

To obtain a list of winners, mail a written request with a self-addressed, stamped return envelope to the Omaha World-Herald, Attn: Pinnacle Bank High School Game of the Week, 1314 Douglas Street, Suite 600, Omaha, NE 68102.