

# ***Kansas Shrine Bowl***

## **Player Selection Procedures**

The Kansas Shrine Bowl is interested in top quality players being selected to represent their school, their community, and their state. Recognizing that a perfect system would be nearly impossible, the board does constantly strive to provide a system that is as fair as possible.

### ***Selection Procedures and Policies***

#### **I. Responsibilities**

##### *A. Directors*

1. Determine procedures and policies.

##### *B. Executive Director*

1. Solicit nominations from all Kansas coaches.
2. Notify nominated players.
3. Publish nomination lists to selection committee.
4. Notify and instruct selection committee.
5. Tabulate results of selection committee votes.
6. Notify the selected player, selected player's coach, selected player's principal, selected player's cheerleading sponsor, Shrine Bowl Board of Directors, Kansas Shrine Temple Potentates and statewide press.

##### *C. Coaches (all football coaches in Kansas)*

1. Nominate, according to the nomination guidelines, all-star caliber players about which they know . Nomination deadline is noon, the last working day prior to Thanksgiving.
2. Provide full name and address of nominated players to the Kansas Shrine Bowl.
3. Assist in notification procedures.
4. Assist in getting proper forms completed by selected player and returned to the Shrine Bowl office.

##### *D. Selection Committee (all daily print media, selected electronic media and selected larger area weeklies)*

1. Study nomination lists.
2. Research by talking with other area sports media professionals and football coaches, and by considering past media exposure.
3. Vote according to the selection guidelines.
4. Send, call or fax the ballots to the Shrine Bowl office within one week of receiving the ballot.

#### **II. Kansas Shrine Bowl Player Nomination Guidelines For The Coaches.**

- A. Only players of exceptional football talents and abilities should be nominated.
- B. Only players who will graduate from high school with their class should be nominated.
- C. Any number can be nominated and processed but 2 is traditional and preferred.
- D. Provide as much of the requested information as the nomination form will allow. Especially, don't forget a full mailing address.
- F. Nomination can be for any position but it is hoped and preferred that coaches mix their nomination by nominating one outstanding offensive player and one outstanding defensive player, or that the nomination be for one outstanding lineman and one outstanding back.
- G. Players not nominated by his coach cannot be considered for selection.
- I. All nominations must be in the Shrine Bowl Office in Wamego by noon the day before Thanksgiving for nominated players to be considered by the selection committee for the initial selection.
- J. Late nominees will receive nomination letters and will be given to the head coach for possible consideration as a later addition as needed.