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ELKS NATIONAL “HOOP SHOOT” FREE THROW CONTEST

The Elks Hoop Shoot is a national free-throw contest for boys and girls ages 8-13. The competition is the largest, non-commercial, co-educational sports program in America, and is sponsored by the Benevolent and Protective Order of the Elks. More than 3 million kids ages 8 to 13 participate each year. Winners advance through local, district, state, regional and national levels. The finals for the national title will be held in Chicago, IL. The program builds character while promoting integrity, hard work, quality family time and good sportsmanship.

- Date:** Saturday, November 17, 2018
- Where:** Southern Saratoga Y, 1 Wall Street, Clifton Park
- Time:** 1 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
- Who’s eligible:** Open to all boys and girls, ages 8 - 13 (as of April 1, 2019)
- What it is:** Each contestant in age groups 10-11 and 12-13 will shoot 25 free throws. Each shot will be from a distance of 15 feet. Each contestant in age group 8-9 will shoot 25 free throws from a distance of 11 feet.
- Winners:** One boy and one girl in each of the three age categories;
Ages 8-9, 10-11, 12-13
Winners advance to District Contest
- What to wear:** Comfortable clothes and sneakers.
- What to bring:** A copy of your birth certificate. Your age is determined as of April 1, 2019. (Not necessary to participate, but necessary to go on if you win!)
- Contact:** Craig Masterson, Elks Hoop Shoot Chair, 518/728-3894



*Local contest sponsored by
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