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BUILDING LEADERS AND SHARING TALENTS

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South Central Ohio District - NYI

Nazarene Youth International is an auxiliary organization of the Church of the Nazarene created to further effective ministry to and through youth as an essential part of the mission of the church at every level.

South Central Ohio NYI consists of local churches and NYI groups in Ohio which strive to resource and assist local churches and families. These ministries contribute to:

- Furthering a life of Holiness
- Building young people of integrity
- Encouraging fellowship among Christian youth
- Training youth for service

Building Leaders And Sharing Talents (BLAST)

BLAST is an event through which talents and leadership skills of youth are developed, encouraged and used for Jesus Christ. The process begins in the local church setting where youth are encouraged to use their gifts and abilities and continues through District Blast.



Rules and Procedures

1. Participation in BLAST is open to youth involved in NYI within a local church on the South Central Ohio District.
2. **District BLAST** is scheduled for March 21st, 2026. BLAST will take place at the campus of Heritage Church of the Nazarene located in Circleville, Ohio.
3. **District BLAST** is open to students enrolled in grades 6-12 during the school year ending immediately prior to the time of District Blast.
4. For competition purposes, "**Middle School**" is defined as students enrolled in grades **6-8** during the school year, and "**High School**" is defined as students enrolled in grades **9-12** during the school year. Categories which do not indicate an age level, are open to all youth grades 6-12.
5. Those placing in the top 5 of each category advance to Field BLAST which takes place at Mount Vernon Nazarene University, June 3-6, 2026.
6. **District BLAST** is a total experience, including a morning worship service, fun activities and games, along with our competitions. Those who choose not to compete are still encouraged to come as there will be fun activities going on all day.

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Registration Information for Parents and Students

Cost

Competitor (T-Shirt included)	\$35 by March 6 th
Observer (T-Shirt Cost)	\$10 by March 6 th

Fill out Registration Form and submit \$35 for each student that you register by March 6th

All registrations must be in by March 6th. Any registrations that come in after this date are late registrations and not guaranteed to get a t-shirt.

Important Information

Dates:	Saturday, March 21 st , 2026
Location:	Heritage Church of the Nazarene – Circleville Campus 2264 Walnut Creek Pike Circleville, Ohio 43113
Adult to Student Ratio:	The recommended adult to student ratio is 1 adult (21 years or older) for every 5 students.
Age Limits:	Students must be enrolled in 6 th grade through 12 th grade to participate in District Blast.

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Registration Process

You can now register students and adults ONLINE by following the link or scanning the QR code:



<https://9yy0mo48ygk.typeform.com/to/BCFEY9Wa>

1. Complete registration information by the deadline of March 6th. This should include:
 - Registration on Typeform
 - Payment online (\$35 for Participant / \$10 for Observer (T-Shirt cost))
2. Check-in at Heritage Church of the Nazarene
 - Stop at the information desk on your way in to check in your group.
 - T-Shirts and Schedules will be provided once checked in

The **SNACK SHACK** will be open for BLAST with meal/snack options!

Please note: food allergy accommodations are not available.

- Chick-fil-A sandwich - \$6
- Meal Deal (Chick-Fil-A sandwich or Hot Dog w/ Chips, Cookie, Drink) - \$8