

Northern Lights SADD Tri-State Conference 2019

March 24-26
Alerus Center, Grand Forks, ND

The Game Of Life!



Preliminary Agenda

Sunday, March 24:

- 4:30p-6:00p: Registration, burger bar
- 6:00p: Welcome, Eddie Slowikowski keynote
- 7:00p: Mixer, fun with Eddie
- 8:15p: Lauren Roscoe, National SADD Student of the Year
Rick Birt, President of National SADD
- 9:00p: Opening night ends



Eddie Slowikowski

Monday, March 25:

- 8:00a: Breakfast, intro of NLAB candidates
- 8:45a: Activities with Eddie
- 10:00a: Student workshop session #1
Advisor Workshop with NL SADD & National SADD staff
- 11:00a: Student workshop session #2
- 12:00p: Lunch, NLAB campaigning, SADD Store
- 1:00p: Activities with Eddie
- 2:00p: Workshop session #3
- 3:00p: Workshop session #4
- 4:00p: Free time begins (supper on your own)
- 8:00-11:00p: Dance – Backspin Productions



Tuesday, March 26:

- 9:00: Brunch begins
- 9:30a: Eddie closing keynote
- 10:30a: NLAB Keynotes
- 11:00a: Final messages, Student of the Year &
NLAB introductions,
Closing ceremonies
- 12:30p: End of conference (lunch on your own)

Conference Overview:

This year's conference is designed to help teens navigate their own "Game of Life." We are happy to be able to utilize some of the many talents of our featured presenter, **Eddie Slowikowski**. Eddie is a veteran keynoter of NL SADD conferences. His last appearance was in 2015 in our conference in Bismarck.

Eddie will have the audience dancing, laughing, reflecting personally on their lives and leaving the conference with a sense of purpose. Eddie used to operate a summer camp called "LifeRide," and has a number of fun and meaningful activities in his repertoire.

We are also thrilled to have on hand our own **Lauren Roscoe**, from New Rockford, ND, who is the current National SADD Student of the Year. Not only do we have Lauren, but we will also have **Rick Birt**, the president of the national SADD office, and **Marie McGrath**, the coordinator of the TextLess Live More program for national SADD.

Important conference notes:

Attire: Dress throughout the conference is casual, **EXCEPT for the Tuesday**, when conference attendees should wear "business-like" attire (ties, suits, dress pants, dresses, etc.). No blue jeans, please. Outfits worn to the dance are to be tasteful. Students wearing clothing deemed by an advisor to be inappropriate will be asked to change.

Registration Fee: \$130 per person (student and adult) for individuals who have paid membership fees and advisors of chapters who have paid membership fees. Registration fee includes supper on Sunday evening, breakfast and lunch on Monday and a big breakfast (brunch) on Tuesday, a conference tee shirt, and other materials. **For individuals/chapters who have not paid membership fees, the fee is \$140.**

Each chapter is responsible for their own hotel accommodations and costs.

Hotel Information and pricing

The CanadInn has rooms blocked for the SADD conference. Ask for rooms under that block when you call to make your reservations. They should have a sufficient number of rooms for everyone.

CanadInn (attached to the Alerus Center): \$83.70 plus tax. Phone number: 701-772-8404

Conference Registration

Please complete your online registration **by March 15**. For registrations after this date, we can't guarantee you a conference tee shirt. You can register your group (giving individual names for the name badges) by going here. You will be asked to create a login (your email address) and password.

https://hr.idssasp.com/home.aspx?XSHvr1xsjof5M1leqj3FQpptJ0lfQYzPMET*GWjlrIrSvDSY6m6HfJKdqPArNbvZrnzIZndK78etsp-TmYTcsA

Checks for registration can be sent to:

NL SADD, PO Box 743, Hillsboro ND 58045. For credit card payments, call 701-636-5852