

# 2021 Rowe Bowl Contest

Back for its 28<sup>th</sup> year, it's the 2021 Rowe Bowl Contest. Entry fee is \$20 and the deadline is 8:00 PM (Central), Wednesday, December 22. There is a limit of five entries per person. Please forward or copy this e-mail to anyone you think would be interested in participating (spouses, friends, clients, etc.). My software only holds 32 games even though there are actually 42. That means you won't find a game with UTSA or UT. You can find past results and the standings as the games are completed. My website is: <http://www.markrowecontest.com/RoweBowlIndex.htm>.

They can't get the playoffs to 8 teams soon enough. Last year I didn't think Notre Dame deserved to get in. This year I think they were more deserving than Georgia. Glad to see Cincinnati in there. We'll see what they do.

Here is your chance to once again prove your football knowledge (or lack thereof). The rules are simple. Each bowl game is listed along with the point spread. Go to the entry form at my website (see above) and pick the team you think will cover the spread for each game. The spread indicates how much one team is supposed to beat another. For example, Army is favored by 3.5 points over Missouri. If you think Army will win by 4 points or more then pick Army. If you think Army will win by 3 or less points or not win at all then pick Missouri. If there isn't a point spread, it means you only have to pick the winner. The tiebreaker will be based on the combined score of the championship game. If you think the score will be 37 to 27 then enter 64 (37 + 27) in the tie breaker box.

Special COVID-19 rules: Any games canceled will be treated as a "win" and therefore no impact on the standings. Standings will be based on the games played. If the championship game is canceled, the tiebreaker will be based on the prior game on the entry sheet and so on.

Make sure you click the box next to "Email Me a Copy" so you receive a copy of your picks. If you run into any problems, let me know.