

Menard County 4-H Shooting Sports Group Participation Agreement

GENERAL

- A. Any 4-H member actively enrolled in a Menard County 4-H Club is eligible to participate in the 4-H Shooting Sports Group. Educational programs conducted by the Texas AgriLife Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, sex, Color, religion or national origin.
- B. Before any 4-H member will be allowed on the designated Shooting Sports Game “firing line”, he/she must abide by the following Menard County 4-H Shooting Sports requirements:
 - 1) Be accompanied by a parent, guardian, or responsible adult over 18 years of age
 - 2) Completed and turned in to the County Extension Office the Menard County 4-H Shooting Sports Group
 - a) “Menard County 4-H Enrollment” Form with attached medical and waiver signed agreements
 - b) “Release of Liability, Consent for Exposure to Dangerous & Hazardous Conditions, and Assumption of the Risk” Shooting Range Agreement Supplement Form
 - 3) Attended the Menard 4-H “Gun Safety” orientation meeting
- C.. There are no elimination contests required for any 4-H members to QUALIFY for the State 4-H Shoot as an “individual”. Age Groups for “men” and “women” divisions at state are:

Junior	9 - 11 year olds
Intermediate	12-13 year olds
Senior I	14-15 year olds
Senior II	16-18 year olds

DETERMINING 4-H'ERS AND TEAMS FOR STATE/NATIONAL SHOOTING EVENTS

- A. ALL 4-H MENARD COUNTY SHOOTERS must be certified by the Menard County Extension Agent and Shooting Sports Instructors in order to represent Menard County 4-H at a District, State, or National 4-H Shooting Sports Sponsored event.
- B. When necessary for Agent/Instructor Certification ... 4-H members must met the following requirements:
 - 1) Active participant in the majority of workouts held at the county level.
 - 2) Proven as a “safe and responsible” shooter on and off the firing line with excellent sportsmanship skills. Misconduct will not be tolerated. Any shooter that is expelled or acts inappropriate on or off the “firing line” will be subject to non-certification for competition.
- C. The Shooting Sports Certified Instructors and County Extension Agent will designate the county shooting sports 4-H teams for State/National competition events.

DETERMINING SCORES FOR TEAMS

- A. Three or more “designated” county workouts will be scheduled for 4-H shooters wishing to be consider for a county team. Shooting scores will be recorded, with highest scores determining the teams as designated by the shooting sports instructor (s).
- B. There will be NO EXCUSE for missing a “designated” county workout when qualifying for a team. However, each shooter will be able to drop at least one (1) announced workout
- C. TIE BREAKER... In the event of a tie between two or more members when determining teams, a “shoot off” will be conducted at the last “designated” county workout.. If the shooter is not present, he/she will forfeit.