

The 2020 Missouri 4-H shooting sports contest will be held as a hybrid event this year.

Most events will be done under the supervision of your county Shooting Sports instructor and scores will be submitted via email to the State office.

Certain events will be held at specific locations and at specific times. Please pay attention during registration.

Participants will need to register for all events they will submit scores for. Only scores submitted on official score sheets will be accepted. No scores submitted before September 1st or after September 20th will be allowed for the contest.

Score sheets can be downloaded at time of registration or you can request extra copies from instructors or by emailing mu4hshootingsports@missouri.edu

Even though there is no entry fee, participants still need to register for each event they will be submitting scores for there is no limit on the number of events you can submit scores for but you must be enrolled in each discipline you are registering for.. **No late registrations will be allowed.**

T-Shirts can also be ordered at the time of registration; these will be delivered to the county offices after the contest.

Scores, test, videos and project photo submissions will be accepted starting September 1st and ending September 20th. Only scores submitted on official score sheets will be accepted. No submissions before September 1st or after September 20th will be allowed for the contest.

To submit scores videos or pictures you will email them to: mu4hshootingsports@missouri.edu

Include discipline and members name in subject line when submitting scores.

For most events we will require that each participant submit a minimum of 2 scores (no more than 3) so that we may average them for individual and team awards. Some events will only require a single score as noted after the description of the event. **All scores must be verified by an instructor certified in that discipline, and score sheets/cards will be signed and submitted for verification.** Targets for All Rifle, Pistol, and Muzzle loading entries must be retained buy the local instructor until October 1 in case a score will need to be verified by the state committee. All contest submissions will take place during the month of September. In respect to fairness for all participants all matches must be shot outdoors as not everyone has access to indoor facilities.

Some of our events present challenges as each range setting offers different target presentations. We have worked to provide a solution to these issues as outlined below. All events are to follow the official Rules of the State Contest and can be found here: <http://4h.missouri.edu/shooting-sports-events/state-shoot>

- **Rifle** (Air, BB, Smallbore) will shoot the standard 3 position matches in accordance with equipment used as outlined in the State Match rules found on pages 14-23 of the Match Rulebook. Please study the rules and learn your rifle match and sight type.50 Yard vs 50 Foot for small bore and open vs aperture sights in both small bore and air rifle.
- **Air Pistol** will shoot a standard match in accordance with the rules found on pages 24-26 of the match rulebook.
- **Small Bore Pistol** will shoot a slow fire only match as found in Stage 1 of the rules found on

pages 27-28 of the match rulebook. This stage will be shot two times for a total of 40 scoring shots.

- **Muzzleloading** will shoot the standard Bullseye match as found on pages 29-30 of the match rulebook.
- **Archery** (NFAA 300 and Modified 600 rounds) will follow the rules found on pages 6-9 of the match rulebook.
- **Archery 3-D event** will be held at Marshall Bowhunters range located at 1505 E Vest St, Marshall, MO 65340. This is to provide consistent target presentations for those that will participate. This location will be open multiple times to allow participants multiple opportunities. A single score will be submitted to officials at the range upon completion of the course. When you will register you will select the Day and start time you wish, available Saturdays are September 5, 12, 19. There will be 3 start times per Saturday the range is available and times will be registered on first come basis. Squads will be assigned at the range. There will be a Range Fee for this event to be paid at the range at check in. **Marshal Bow Hunters does not accept Credit or Debit cards Cash or check only.**
- **Shotgun Trap and Skeet** will follow the rules found on pages 31-34 of the match rulebook. These events must take place on a range that meets ATA and/or NSSA specifications for trap and skeet fields. It can be a private range if it meets these requirements. For Trap and Skeet events all participants will submit scores for 3 rounds of 50 targets.
- **Shotgun Sporting Clays Event** will be held at United Sportsman's Club in Jefferson City located at 4400 Ossman Ln, Jefferson City, MO 65109. This is to provide consistent target presentations for those that will participate. This location will be open multiple times to allow participants multiple opportunities. A single score will be submitted to officials at the range upon completion of the course. For this you will register for your shooting time and squads will be assigned by county first. When you will register you will select the Day and start time you wish, available Saturdays are September 5, 12, 19. There will be 3 start times per Saturday the range is available and times will be registered on first come basis. There will be a Range Fee for this event to be paid at the range at check in. **United Sportsman's Club does not accept Credit or Debit cards Cash or Check only.** For this Seniors will shoot 100 targets and intermediates will shoot 50.
- **Hunting and Outdoor Skills** will consist of a written in person test that will be timed. The in-person test will be available by request only and will be taken at the county Extension office with faculty/staff as proctor. Only one test will be given to each participant. Test will be made available on September 1st
- **Western Heritage** will consist of all 3 portions of the contest:
 - The clothing/persona will be a 2-3-minute video submitted for evaluation.
 - The history test will be a written in person test that will be timed. The in-person test will be available by request only and will be taken at the county Extension office with faculty/staff as proctor. Only one test will be given to each participant. Test will be made available on September 1st

Test areas of concentration will be Four resilient women:

- Calamity Jane
- Belle Starr
- Elizabeth Basset
- Mrs. Cornelius Hedges

Study guides and information can be found at the following locations:

<https://www.biography.com/performer/calamity-jane>

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Calamity_Jane

<https://babel.hathitrust.org/cgi/pt?id=uc1.31822035077288&view=1up&seq=32>

<https://www.biography.com/personality/belle-starr>

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Belle_Starr

<https://books.google.com/books?id=4kbYYN7ZVAIC&pg=PT45&lpg=PT45&dq=herb+and+elizabeth+bassett+1877&source=bl&ots=TRs-SBJibs&sig=ACfU3U3hF-vzHvAi7YvzplbhLLNkKAurDA&hl=en&ppis=e&sa=X&ved=2ahUKEwjY3b2lk9nnAhXN6Z4KHUciBxAQ6AEwAXoECAoQAQ#v=onepage&q=herb%20and%20elizabeth%20bassett%201877&f=false>

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The shooting portion will be held at Saline County 4-H range located at 24025 North Hwy 65 Marshall MO. This is to provide consistent target presentations for those that will participate. This location will be open multiple times to allow participants multiple opportunities. When you will register you will select the Day and start time you wish, available Saturdays are September 5, 12. There will be 2 start times per Saturday the range is available and times will be registered on first come basis. A single score will be submitted to officials at the range upon completion of the stage. Test and persona judging **WILL NOT** be done at this location. There will be a Range Fee for this event to be paid at the range at check in. **Saline County 4-H cannot accept Credit or Debit cards Cash or Check only. No ammunition will be provided participants will provide their own.** Plan enough ammo to shoot 4 stages with extra in case of reshoots. Ammo must meet the specifications in the official rules posted at: <http://4h.missouri.edu/shooting-sports-events/state-shoot>

New opportunities for this year:

- As many county fairs have been or are being canceled, we will have a project submission area for members to submit pictures of any project they would have (or did) enter in their county fair and we will judge them for ribbons.
- We will also have a new demonstration contest this year. In this, members will submit a 5-7-minute video of a non-shooting demonstration that pertains to shooting sports. Examples would include:
 - how to fletch an arrow or how to clean firearm/ muzzleloader
 - Anything shooting sports related that does not involve actual shooting.

