

District 11 4-H Shooting Sports Training – Victoria, TX

Thank you for registering for the Texas 4-H Shooting Sports Coach Training to be held January 28-19, 2017 in Victoria. Your interest and dedication to working with 4-H youth is appreciated and applauded. Below are details concerning the training.

In addition, the waiver, indemnification, and medical treatment authorization form is attached that is required to participate. You may sign this online under the health form tab on your connect profile, or bring a hard copy. Youth Assistant Coach Acknowledgement form will be needed for youth assistant coaches also (Attached).

Please let my office know if you require additional information or if you have any special needs that we may accommodate during the training.

I look forward to working with you,

Meredith Miller
Extension Program Specialist/4-H – District 11

Registration Information

Regular Registration: December 1, 2016 – January 13, 2017; \$120

Late Registration: January 14- January 20, 2017; \$145

Registration includes program materials, lunch, dinner, and other training supplies.

Where:

Victoria County 4-H Activity Center
259 Bachelor Drive
Victoria, TX 77904

TENTATIVE AGENDA

Saturday, January 28, 2016

- | | |
|------------|--|
| 8:00 a.m. | Participant Check In at the Victoria 4-H Activity Center |
| 9:00 a.m. | Discipline Trainings |
| 12:00 noon | Catered Lunch |
| 1:00 p.m. | Discipline Trainings |
| 6:00 p.m. | Catered Supper |
| 7:00 p.m. | Green Injection - An Orientation to the 4-H Program and Youth Development. |
| 9:00 p.m. | Discipline training will potentially continue on the Range or in the Classroom (individual disciplines will continue at various time frames depending on coverage of materials – be prepared to work into the evening) |

Corpus Christi Center
Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service
10345 HWY 44 | Corpus Christi, TX 78406

Tel. 361.265.9203 | Fax. 361.265.9434 | D114-H.tamu.edu

Sunday, January 29, 2017

8:00 a.m. Continue Discipline Trainings and Testing
12:00 noon Depart for home

Lodging

Lodging is on your own at this training. Various lodging options are available in and around Victoria.

What to Take As a Training Participant:

Everyone attending should take the following:

- writing materials and extra paper for notes
- highlighters if you use them for stressed points
- eye protection (shooting glasses or goggles) – recommended for archery, mandatory for all other disciplines
- ear protection (plugs or muffs) -mandatory for shotgun, rifle, and pistol disciplines
- comfortable outdoor clothing, including a cap or hat suitable for the prevailing weather and be prepared for inclement weather
- sunscreen
- range chairs if desired
- snacks and drinks between meals if desired
- open mind ready to learn and share

Archery discipline participants:

- All shooting equipment will be provided at the training
- Personal bows may be taken and used

Rifle discipline participants:

- Please bring your own shooting equipment - .22 caliber Rifle – small bore Target or light (no action preference)
- Please bring 2 boxes of (100 rounds) .22 cal ammo- small bore only.

Shotgun discipline participants:

- Please bring your own shotguns and ammo
- Please bring 2 boxes of (100 rounds) of ammo.

Pistol discipline participants:

- Please bring your own shooting equipment. A .22 caliber revolver or semi-auto will suffice.
- If you don't have your own, don't worry about it. We will have plenty.
- Please bring 2 boxes of (100 rounds) .22 cal ammo.



Assistant Coach Acknowledgement-Youth

The 4-H Natural Resources Program offers Assistant Coach training and Certification in the 4-H Shooting Sports Project (all disciplines) to any actively enrolled 4-H member who is 14 years of age or older as of September 1 of the current 4-H year AND any approved Adult Volunteer Leader less than 21 years of age. Assistant Coach training is for those who will assist a Certified 4-H Shooting Sports Coach with a 4-H Shooting Sports project in their county. This is a great opportunity for enthusiastic persons who are passionate about Shooting Sports and Natural Resources to gain 4-H Shooting Sports coaching experience, develop leadership skills, expand their knowledge, and share that knowledge with others. To become an Assistant Coach, a participant should register for and attend a Shooting Sports Coach training. An Assistant Coach candidate less than 18 years of age must be accompanied to training either by a previously trained adult or an adult participating in the same training. An Assistant Coach Certification can be upgraded to full 4-H Shooting Sports Coach Certification with no additional training once an Assistant has reached 21 years of age and is an approved Adult Volunteer Leader via 4-H Connect. The Assistant Coach must request an updated certificate from the Texas 4-H Natural Resources Program office.

An Assistant Coach may assist a Certified 4-H Shooting Sports Coach **only** in the immediate presence of the Certified Coach. Should the Certified Coach be absent for any period of time, regardless how short or long the absence may be, all Shooting Sports activity must cease until the return of the Certified Coach. Assistant Coaches are **not** certified to coach outside the immediate supervision of a Certified 4-H Shooting Sports Coach.

Acknowledgement:

I acknowledge that my child will attend the Texas 4-H Natural Resources Programs-Shooting Sports Coach Training as listed below. I understand that upon completing the coach training, my child will be a certified Assistant Coach within the discipline in which he/she has been certified, allowing them to assist Certified 4-H Shooting Sports Coaches at County 4-H Shooting Sports project activities. Upon reaching the age of 21 years and becoming an "Active" Texas 4-H Adult Volunteer Leader via 4H Connect, I understand that my child will be eligible to be a Certified 4-H Shooting Sports Coach for the 4-H Shooting Sports program and will not be required to attend an additional certification in the discipline(s) in which they are already certified, but will need to request an updated certificate from the Texas 4-H Natural Resources Program office.

Parent/Guardian:

Printed Name Signature mm / dd / yyyy

Youth Assistant:

Printed Name Signature mm / dd / yyyy

Training:

Location mm / dd / yyyy

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service | Texas 4-H & Youth Development Program

Texas 4-H Natural Resources Program
4180 State Highway 6 | College Station, TX 77845 | Ph: 979/845-1214 | Fax: 979/845-6495
Web: texas4-h.tamu.edu/natural | Blog: tx4hnaturalresources.blogspot.com | Facebook: www.facebook.com/naturalresources

Educational programs of the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service are open to all people without regard to race, color, sex, disability, religion, age, or national origin. The Texas A&M University System, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and the County Commissioners Courts of Texas Cooperating

