

Hunters Education:

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All new participants are required to attend the first meeting in each discipline. All Basic, Intermediate and Advanced shooting sessions will be scheduled weekly at the following locations:

- **Small Bore** - Location TBA
- **BB, Air Rifle, Air Pistol, and Archery** – Butler County Community Building
200 N Griffith
El Dorado, KS 67042
- **Shotgun** - Michael Murphy & Sons
6400 SW Hunter Rd
Augusta, KS 67010

New Member Information:

To be eligible to participate in Small Bore disciplines, you must complete the Air Pistol/Rifle discipline in the fall prior to the Spring Session.

The Basic BB Rifle Class will be held on November 7th, 2023 from 6-7 p.m. This class will be followed by practice from 7-8 p.m. This class is required for all new participants.

The Basic Air Pistol Class will be held on October 24th, 2023. This class is required for all new participants.

Butler County 4-H Shooting Sports

2023-2024 Program



Young people between the ages of 8 – 18 will learn basic skills to enjoy a lifetime activity – Shooting Sports.

Butler County 4-H Shooting Sports Waiver

Please return to:

Butler County Extension Office
206 N. Griffith, Suite A
El Dorado, KS 67042

I am enrolling in the following Butler County
4-H Shooting Sports:

- Rifle, 8 - 18 years old, \$20 fee
- Rifle - Small Bore (Must complete Basic Rifle) \$20 fee
- Pistol, 8 - 18 years old, \$20 fee
- Pistol – Small Bore (Must complete Basic Pistol) \$20 fee
- Shotgun, 8 - 18 years old, \$20 fee
- Archery, 8 - 18 years old, \$20 fee

Name _____

4-H Age (Age before Jan.1) _____

Birth Date _____

Address _____

City _____

Phone _____

E-Mail _____

4-H Club _____

Liability release: The K-State/Butler County Extension Service, instructors, and sponsors are released from any liability due to any accident or loss that occurs as a result of participation in the Butler County 4-H Shooting Sports Program.

Printed Name of Parent/Guardian _____

Parent Signature _____

Date _____

- 4-H Online Enrollment Completed
- 4-H Shooting Sports Brochure Completed
- Paid All Program Fees

BEFORE MEMBER CAN PARTICIPATE, ALL ABOVE

ITEMS MUST BE COMPLETE



What Is Shooting Sports?

4-H Shooting Sports teaches shooting skills, safety and ethics for youth. Any Butler County or surrounding area youth age 8-18 years may participate. While the program is sponsored by 4-H, all youth may participate. Young people in the program develop the life skills taught by 4-H, including self-confidence, coordination, personal discipline, responsibility and sportsmanship.

Shooting Sports is fun! Immediate results are seen by breaking clay targets, knocking over metal targets, shooting bulls-eyes and observing wildlife.

Shooting Sports is a family program. Parents are involved as firing line assistants and assistant instructors. An adult is expected to attend each meeting with the student. Shooting Sports in Butler County is now a continuing program in which a youngster can begin participation at age 8 in Rifle, and continue through Shotgun, Archery, and Hunter Education.

Pre-Enrollment is Required in ALL disciplines before any participation can take place.

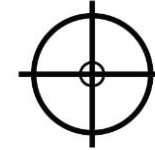
Archery

- Learn the basics of shooting a bow, then progress to target shooting, hunting and competitive shooting.



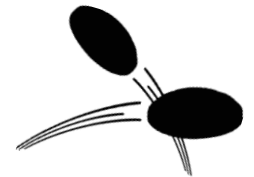
Rifle

- Learn basic and advanced rifle shooting skills and safety. Shooting methods for all calibers and types-from plinking to hunting to Olympic competition.
- Earn NRA shooting achievement patches and awards



Pistol

- Get a grip and learn to aim in 4-H Shooting Sports
- With a high priority on safety, your child will learn how to handle and shoot a pellet pistol.
- The class consists of a 4-week session for beginners, followed by another 4-week intermediate class.
- Upon completion of the beginning and intermediate class you may continue with advanced pistol.
- Advanced pistol shooters will shoot .22 caliber pistols during the summer meetings.
- Pre-enrollment is required.



Shotgun

- Learn basic shotgun skills and safety.
- Progress to advanced skill levels, learn to shoot trap and skeet learn to hunt wild game if you wish. Shoot for NRA patches and awards. (No 410's PLEASE!)