



Ouachita Parish Outdoor Skills

Ouachita 4-H Shooting Sports 2022-2023

Name _____
LAST FIRST MIDDLE PREFERRED FIRST NAME

Were you a member of Ouachita 4-H Shooting Sports last year (2022-2023) Yes ___ No ___

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

4-H'ers Email (if applicable) _____

Date of Birth _____ Age _____ Grade _____

School _____

Homeschooled: Yes ___ No ___ 4-H Member: Yes ___ No ___

Completion of Hunter Safety Course: Yes ___ No ___

If yes, date completed _____

Shirt Size (please circle-adult sizes) S M L XL XXL

Disciplines: Archery ___ Rifle ___ Shotgun ___ Pistol ___ (pistol is for youth ages 14 and up) (space for pistol is limited)

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Parent/Guardian Email _____

Parent/Guardian Phone: Home _____ Work _____ Cell _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____



PARENTAL PERMISSION

Waiver of Liability

(This form must be completed before the child can participate in any 4-H Outdoor Skills activities)

We, the parents (legal guardians) of _____ (Child's Name) grant permission for his/her participation in the 4-H Outdoor Skills program; and approve of the use of firearms, live ammunition, and/or archery equipment while participating under the supervision of a 4-H certified shooting sports leader. I understand that the shooting sports are potentially hazardous activities and certain risks are involved with this activity. These potential hazards include gunshot or archery wounds and can result in paralysis, loss of vision, limb, or life. I agree that participation in this activity is entirely voluntary and agree that I will not hold the 4-H project leaders, State 4-H staff, local extension staff, or the LSU AgCenter liable for any accidents.

I also understand that safety procedures and practice will be strictly adhered to and that our child (guardian) may be immediately expelled, without recourse, from the program as a result of horseplay, inattentiveness, inappropriate conduct, violation of safety rules, or failure to follow the range officer's directions.

I will abide by all safety procedures with the possibility of being expelled from the program if I do not follow these procedures.

Child Signature _____

Address _____

City, State, and Zip _____

Telephone _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____



OUACHITA PARISH 4-H SHOOTING SPORTS
RULES OF THE RANGE

1. Proper use of the firearm. This includes being with an adult, being safe, proper safety gear, correct ammunition, positive attitude, and use of a safe and properly cleaned firearm.
2. No running on the range.
3. No use of any drug that prevents the shooter from being safe, this includes use of drugs prior to going to the range. No use of illegal drugs is tolerated.
4. No loud or rude behavior.
5. No manners that is unbecoming of a lady or gentleman.
6. No vulgar language.
7. No unsafe acts with a firearm.
8. No lying, cheating, or stealing.
9. Safety gear will be worn while on the range by all persons all the time.
10. Only guns that have been approved by an instructor will be allowed on the range.
11. Use of alcohol, either prior to or on the range will not be allowed on the range.
12. Clowning or playing around, pranks or any acts deemed unsafe by the range officer or instructor will not be allowed.
13. Inability to follow instructions or procedures will not be allowed.
14. Please sign range papers or give the proper information at the range every time you shoot.
15. Never leave a firearm or ammunition unattended.
16. Intentionally breaking any of these or other range rules are ground for dismissal from the range without prior warning.

4-H'ers Printed Name: _____ Date: _____

4-H'ers Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Printed Name: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____



Ouachita Parish 4-H Shooting Sports Code of Ethics

Shooting Sports Participants

Mission Statement:

The 4-H Shooting Sports program strives to assist young people in personal development, in establishing a personal environmental ethic and in exploring life-long vocational and avocational activities through the use of experiential learning and positive interactions with youth and adult role models.

- All adult volunteers and youth engaged in the use of firearms and/or archery equipment will be advised of the basic range safety rules before shooting starts by the Level I or Level II instructors in charge.
- The Louisiana 4-H Shooting Sports programs will use 4-H club owned equipment, equipment loaned by industry or a support organization, and participants equipment that has been approved and inspected that day by the Level I or Level II instructor responsible for the training session.
- No re-loaded (hand-loaded) ammunition will be used in the Louisiana 4-H Shooting Sports Program, and the reloading of ammunition will not be taught.
- Competition will be developed as the need and interest grows.
- Participants will be recognized for skill levels attained in each discipline.
- A dress code will be enforced on the shooting range. No halter tops, tube tops, cut off blue jeans, jeans with holes, obscene T-shirts, baggy and loose clothing **will not** be accepted and permitted on the shooting range.
- Character Counts behavior is the only behavior accepted. No horse playing and obscene language will be allowed.
- I will respect the participants, volunteers and property associated with the 4-H Shooting sports program.
- I will conduct myself in a professional and ethical manner.

School: _____

Signature of 4-H'er: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date: _____