THE 2017 VIRGINIA 4-H SHOTGUN CHAMPIONSHIP



Brushy Mountain Gun Club Gretna, Virginia September 23, 2017



200-target championship for Seniors
75 American Skeet, 50 American Trap, 75 Sporting Clays
100-target event for Juniors
25 American Skeet, 25 American Trap, 50 Sporting Clays

Entry Fee: \$50.00 Seniors \$26.00 Juniors <u>Registration Deadline: Entries must be received by September 10, 2017</u> No late entries accepted. Open only to enrolled 4-H members.

Awards

- High Overall for event

- Senior: 2nd to 10th High Overall Individual; 1st to 3rd Senior Team; 1st place senior in each event
- Junior: 1st to 3rd High Overall Individual; 1st to 3rd Junior Team; 1st place junior in each event
- Ladies' Awards: High Overall Senior Lady; High Overall Junior Lady

Sponsors Needed!

Do you know a potential sponsor in your county? If so, please refer to Sponsorship Form.

Check-in 7:30 to 8:15 AM with trapper meeting at 8:15AM Mandatory coaches & competitors meeting at 8:30 AM. Shooting starts promptly at 9:00 AM

Each club provides one experienced trapper to assist with event. (*Adult or senior 4-H member that is not a competitor*)

For flyer, match bulletin, sponsor sheet, and registration form go to www.4-h.ext.vt.edu/programs/nree/shootinged

Pittsylvania County 4-H will have lunch available for purchase

Brushy Mountain Gun Club 2000 Izaak Walton Road, Gretna, VA 24557 2017 Virginia 4-H Shotgun Championship Registration/Invoice (Registrations must be received by Sept. 10, 2017)

4-H Shooting Club:	Contact/Coach of Record:	
E-mail:	Phone ()	
Address:		
Designated Trapper(s) from your 4-H Club:		
Station Sponsor(s) secured by your 4-H Club:		

Participants Last name, First name	Birthdate	Jr/Sr	Male/ Female	Portfolio Completed (Yes/No)	Squad Preferences (5-member squads)	Entry Fee (\$50.00) Sr (\$26.00) Jr
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Sorry, no refunds! Total Amount Due: \$

Make club or personal check payable to VCE - Floyd and mail to Sharon Harris, 2638 North Creek Road, Appomattox, VA 24522.

Note to UAA's: If payment is being processed as a journal entry (transfer), the VCE - Floyd fund # is 999239 and the organization # is 061900. <u>Please scan and e-mail a copy of the journal entry to Sharon1rose@aol.com</u> or mail hard copy to the address above.

	Virginia 4-H Shotgun Championship September 23, 2017 Brushy Mountain Gun Club 2000 Izaak Walton Road, Gretna, VA 24557
Eligibility:	All competitors must be enrolled in the 4-H Shooting Education Program within the state of Virginia, as determined by the age turned between October 1, 2016 and September 30, 2017
	Juniors: Ages 9-13 Seniors: Ages 14-19
Course of Fire: Seniors	Three rounds of American Skeet (75 targets) Two rounds of American Trap (50 targets, 16 yard singles) Sporting Clays (75 targets) Combined total of 200 targets (non-registered)
Course of Fire: Juniors	One round of American Skeet (25 targets) One round of American Trap (25 targets) Sporting Clays (50 targets) Combined total of 100 Targets
Registration:	Registration deadline is September 10, 2017 . All entries must be received by this date, to be eligible to compete. There will be no Refunds and no walk-on entries allowed on the day of the shoot.
Squadding:	Entries will be squadded at time of pre-registration by management. Consideration will be taken for squad preferences as indicated on registration form.
Teams:	Teams will consist of four shooters with the highest combined scores for that county or club. If a club has a minimum of 8 shooters they may have a second team, 12 shooters three teams, etc. Juniors and Seniors will not be mixed on the same team. Each club provides one experienced trapper to assist - either an adult or senior 4-H member that is not a competitor.
Qualifications:	All participants must furnish proof that the 4-H Shotgun Portfolio has been completed prior to entering this event. For copies of the portfolio, go to the website listed on the event flyer. By entry in this event, the team coach is verifying that the youth entered are knowledgeable and proficient in the safe use of the equipment and the fundamentals of the event. Participants are expected to be familiar with the rules and conduct of the events in this competition. Coaching will not be allowed on the fields.

SKEET:

Event:	Standard NSSA (American) Skeet
	Seniors, 3 rounds (75 targets), Juniors, 1 round (25 targets) Doubles from stations 3, 4, and 5 – miss and out per NSSA rules.
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TRAP:

Event:	Standard ATA (American) Trap (16 yards)
Course of Fire:	Seniors, 2 rounds (50 targets), Juniors, 1 round (25 targets)
Ties:	Full 25 target rounds of 16-yard singles until ties are
	Broken (per ATA rules).

SPORTING CLAYS:

Event:	Sporting Clays course using standard NSCA targets.
Course of Fire:	75 targets (Seniors); 50 targets (Juniors).
Ties:	Each shooter will shoot three true pairs (station decided by
	management) with the highest total of hits determining the finishing
	order. If tied after the first station shooters will go to the next station
	(decided by management) and repeat until a winner is established.

OVERALL EVENT TIES:

Team Overall - Will be shot on Sporting Clays Range Each member of the team will shoot a true pair (as decided by management) from a station picked by management. The highest number of hits will rank the teams. If tied after first station continue to next station (decided by management) and repeat until a winner is established.

Individual Overall - Will be shot on Sporting Clays Range Each shooter will shoot three true pairs (station decided by management) with the highest total number of targets determining finishing order. If tied after first station continue to next station (decided by management) and repeat until a winner is established.

Equipment:

Shooters must furnish their own shotguns. Shotguns must be 12 ga. Or smaller and capable of shooting twice without reloading. Each Competitor must furnish their own ammunition (shot size $\#7 \frac{1}{2}$ or Smaller; target loads only). Factory Loads Only—no reloads!

No gun sharing allowed for squad members on trap. Eye and ear protection required.

Awards:

Individual Awards: (All events combined)

High Overall for event 2nd thru 10th place Senior Individual 1st thru 3rd place Junior Individual 1st place Lady (Senior) 1st place Lady (Junior)

Individual Awards (Each separate event)

1st place Senior and 1st place Junior

Team Awards: (All events combined)

1st-3rd place Senior Team 1st-3rd place Junior Team

Safety:

The safe conduct of the State 4-H Shotgun Championship is paramount. Anyone found carelessly handling firearms and/or acting in a manner, which could endanger him/herself or others, may be disqualified from the competition. Any match official may make the decision to remove a competitor from the firing line for actions, which he/she feels, are unsafe. The final decision on whether or not to disqualify an individual rests with the Match Director. Firearms must be in cases or gun racks at all times when not being used in competition. When being carried to or from the line, or while on the line but not actually firing, all actions must be open.

National Invitational: This event will be used as the first step to select the state shotgun team to compete at the 2018 National 4-H Championships

Information:

For more information please contact:

R.L. Harris Miles Barrik Ralph Lucia

home- 434-352-2467 cell 434-660-5020 804-640-7191 804 238-2816

Virginia 4-H Shotgun Championship

The Virginia 4-H Shooting Education Council would like to invite you to be a station sponsor for the 2017 Virginia 4-H Shotgun Championship. This event will take place at Brushy Mountain Gretna, Virginia on Saturday, September 23th. Each station sponsor will have an attractive sign placed at a shooting station and each sponsor will have his or her name printed in a flyer that every participant receives at registration.

This will be the tenth annual Virginia 4-H Shotgun Championship and the event will bring together the top 4-H shotgun shooters from across the state in a 200-target format that includes the major shotgun disciplines. The money raised from sponsorships will be used to support this event and to support a Virginia Development team that may attend the 2018 National 4-H Championships. Donated funds will be used to defray the cost of practice, registration fees, and travel expenses for the youth who make this team.

The youth that participate in the 4-H shooting programs across the state have fun learning and competing. At the same time, certified instructors and leaders teach life skills including self-confidence, personal discipline, responsibility, teamwork, self-esteem and sportsmanship. Our goal is to have these attributes carry over into the youths' daily lives. The program also promotes the safe and ethical use of firearms. It is our belief that firearm education reduces gun accidents.

For more information, please contact one of the following 4-H volunteers:

R.L Harris	Home	434-352-2467	Cell 434-660-5020
Miles Barrik	Cell	804-640-7191	
Ralph Lucia	Cell	804 238-2816	

To serve as a sponsor this year, please contact one of the above listed volunteer leaders or fills out the enclosed form and returns it to:

Sharon Harris 2638 North Creek Road Appomattox, VA 24522 Thank you for supporting the 4-H youth of Virginia!

2017 Virginia 4-H Shotgun Championship

Brushy Mountain Gun Club 2000 Izaak Walton Road, Gretna, VA 24557 Saturday, September 23, 2017

\$100 per Station for Sporting Clays, Skeet Station, Trap Station, or Trophies (Donations that can be used as door prizes also appreciated)

SPONSOR INFORMATION

Sponsor's Name:	
Contact's Name:	
Address:	
E-Mail:	
Phone Number:	
Name to be printed on Station Sign:	
Special Requests:	

If paying by check, please make payable to *VCE – Floyd* and put *VA 4-H Shotgun Team* in the memo line. Mail sponsor form and donation to:

Sharon Harris 2638 North Creek Road Appomattox, VA 24522

Proceeds to assist with the operation of the State Championship and to benefit the Virginia 4-H Shotgun Development Team that may be attending the 2018 National 4-H Championships. For more information, please contact one of the following:

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