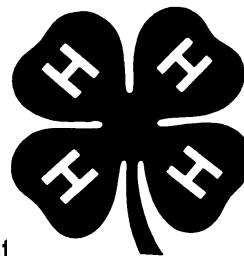


# 4-H Shooting Sports Leader Certification Workshop



**WHEN:** October 9-11

**Check In:** 6:00- 7:00 pm Friday, October 9 for – for those  
1<sup>st</sup> time participants and others needing to  
complete Volunteer Orientation requirement

Repeat participants) may check in:  
7:00- 10:00 pm Friday OR  
7:00-8:00 am Saturday  
Session concludes 3:15 pm – Sunday

**WHERE:** Camp Galilee, El Dorado Springs, MO

**COST: \$50-** includes 5 meals, overnight lodging (1 or 2 nights), and workshop materials

**PRE-REGISTRATION: Required by September 30.**

Registration is limited and will close when session is full or when the camp is full. All registrations accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.

The workshop will be composed of 16-20 hours of training. Twelve hours of that time will be for a specific discipline (project). Training will include covering the curriculum and lesson plans from the National 4-H Shooting Sports program, opportunities to teach to your peer group, and a range practicum. The philosophy and principles of working with 4-H youth is a critical part of the training.

**1<sup>st</sup> General Session - 7:15 – 9:30 session on Friday night.**

If you have never participated in one of the weekend 4-H leader workshops, you should attend the first general required session on Friday evening which begins at 7:15 p.m. Certification will not be granted if you do not attend this session. This requirement is only for first time participants. EXCEPTION: If you have completed the new and required Volunteer Orientation class in your county or region – you do not have to attend the Friday night session. You are strongly encouraged and welcomed to attend Friday night – but not required. However – if you do not attend Friday night, your SS certification is not valid – if you have not completed the Volunteer Orientation.

**Discipline Choices:** A participant must select only ONE of the following disciplines in which to receive training. It is suggested that leaders from a county coordinate efforts and cover as many different disciplines as possible. Discipline choices are:

**Rifle** (.22, BB, pellet)

**Archery**

**Pistol** (Air, Small bore)

**Shotgun**

**Muzzle loading**

**County Coordinator**

Class size in each discipline is limited. Please mark a second choice – if you are willing to be trained in another discipline. If you have no interest in a 2<sup>nd</sup> discipline – Do NOT mark a second choice.

**Lodging Notes:** This is a “church camp” setting(bunks in dorms/cabins) Men and female are housed separately. You will need to provide your own bedding. Participants have the option of making their own lodging arrangements in the nearby town, but there will be no cost reduction.

**Directions to Camp:**

Enter El Dorado Springs on Highway 54. Turn north on S. Park Street (stoplight). Stay on S. Park Street turning right on E. Broadway. Continue east as far as the road allows then turn left on Vernon Street. You will turn back to the right as soon as possible and will be at the gates of Camp Galilee.

**REQUIREMENTS:** A certified leader(instructor) must be at least 21 years of age. Volunteers 19-20 years of age may attend and may serve as Assistant Leaders- but will not be recognized as a Certified Leader(instructor). A certified instructor may not have any felony convictions, nor any game and fish law violations within the past two

years.

**MORE ABOUT COSTS:** County 4-H Councils are encouraged to assist volunteer leaders attending the Certification Workshop by providing for partial or complete sponsorship of the fee. Funds from the **National Wild Turkey Federation** and **Federal Cartridge Co.** are being used to reduce the cost to the volunteer. NWTFF contributes more than \$25 per person in support of the leader certification workshop.

**THINK COUNTY PROGRAM-** Suggested guidelines recommend that programs be “county” programs rather than “club” programs. One reason is that of leader recruitment. The best programs in Missouri are run as county programs. County programs allow leaders to specialize in a discipline rather than a leader having to cross certify in several disciplines in order to meet the needs of 4-H members. County programs also allow for coordination of resource development -cash or equipment. Instructors in county-wide programs are also less likely to “burn out”. In addition, a county program relies on several leaders and is therefore more easily maintained from year to year.

**ABOUT COUNTY COORDINATOR:** The coordinator position is a volunteer middle manager. He/she is responsible for the overall coordination and management of the county 4-H shooting sports program. Direct supervision is provided by the Extension professional or paraprofessional in charge of 4-H youth programs in the county.

Specific Coordinator Responsibilities:

1. Coordinate planning and delivery of the program
2. Schedule training, meetings, tours, and service projects
3. Communicate plans with members, parents, instructors, and extension staff
4. Recruit and supervise county instructors & volunteers
5. Develop resources
6. Promote the 4-H Shooting Sports program
7. Liaison with the local 4-H advisory committee, 4-H council, county Extension Council and UOE
8. Cooperate with staff in completing required paperwork, meeting state guidelines, state forms and deadlines.

A County Coordinator attending the workshop is strongly encouraged to participate in the Coordinator training - but is not required to. If it is in the best interest of a county to certify in a shooting discipline, the coordinator may opt to participate in the shooting discipline training this time and return for Coordinator training next time.

SS mini-grants are awarded only to counties with a “certified” county coordinator.

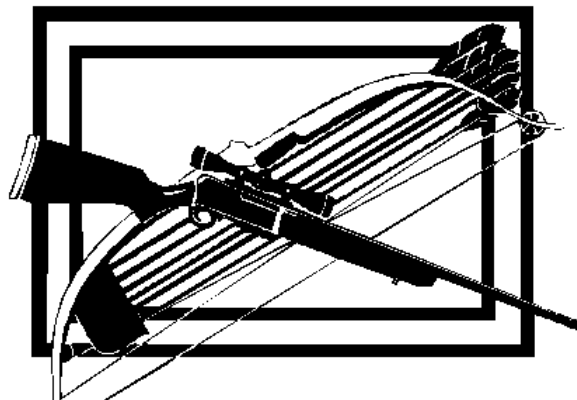
**Send Pre-registration by September 30 to:**

**Gerry Snapp  
4-H Youth Specialist  
810 Clark Hall  
Columbia, MO 65211  
573-882-5547**

Make checks payable to:

**Missouri 4-H Foundation**

**A letter of confirmation and further details will be sent after October 1. If not accepted, you will be notified immediately.**



**Pre-Registration Form**  
**4-H Shooting Sports Leader Certification Workshop**  
**October 9-11 2009**

First Choice: (circle one) **Rifle - Shotgun - Archery - Muzzle loading - Pistol – Coordinator**  
Second Choice: (circle one) **Rifle - Shotgun - Archery - Muzzle loading - Pistol – Coordinator**  
(if acceptable)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female Ethnicity: \_\_\_\_\_ Hispanic \_\_\_\_\_ Non-Hispanic

Race (Circle all that apply): White Black Alaskan/Native Am. Indian Asian Hawaiian/Pac. Island

**Arrival:** \_\_\_\_\_ Fri night or \_\_\_\_\_ Sat a.m.

If arriving Saturday, will you be there for breakfast Saturday morning (7am)? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ or No \_\_\_\_\_

**Lodging:** \_\_\_\_\_ At Camp: or \_\_\_\_\_ other (at home, motel, etc) \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Co. Coordinator \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Youth Specialist/YEA \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Insurance Company \_\_\_\_\_ Group No \_\_\_\_\_

In case of Emergency Contact: Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

1. Will you be bringing any type of medicine to this event? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Do you have any allergies? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Describe any special needs (medical, physical, or mental challenges) officials should be aware of in making this program safe and accessible for you.

Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Do you have any special dietary needs? Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Do you have any other restrictions or needs, not described above? \_\_\_\_\_

6. Last tetanus immunization date. \_\_\_\_\_

7. Name of family doctor \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #(office) ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ (home) \_\_\_\_\_

**4-H ACTIVITY/EVENT ACCEPTANCE FORM**

Educational events and activities are coordinated by the University of Missouri 4-H Youth Development Programs. All participants (adult and youth) must observe the following guidelines for conduct:

1. Participate fully in all sessions.
2. Show respect for property and facilities used during the activity and assume financial responsibility for any damage they cause.
3. Observe the established schedule, including Camp grounds rules and policies.
4. Appropriate and courteous behavior is expected. Swearing and obscene gestures are not permitted. All other participants, guests, chaperons, and visitors should be treated with respect and common courtesy.
5. This event should bring about a "natural high." No alcohol, stimulants, or non-prescription drugs will be allowed. No smoking inside buildings, cigarette butts are to be disposed of properly.

I understand and accept the responsibility for following the above guidelines, and understand that failure to do so will result in dismissal from the event or activity. Further, I accept financial responsibility for damages to property or materials, travel costs, and/or program costs which might result from violation of this agreement.

Both as to myself and my heirs and personal representatives, I release all 4-H officials, **volunteer instructors, County Extension Council, State 4-H staff, local extension staff, University of Missouri Outreach and Extension, or the Curators of the University of Missouri liable for any accidents** while attending or participating in this event. I will be bound by all rules and regulations while participating in said event.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_