

**4-H SHOOTING SPORTS  
CODE OF CONDUCT**

As a participant in the 4-H Shooting Sports project, you represent Juneau County and 4-H to the public. You are expected to conduct yourself in a manner that brings honor to you, your family, and to 4-H.

**CONDUCT CODE:** You are responsible for knowing and following Shooting Sports rules, including Range rules, at all times. SAFETY, yours and others is paramount!

- a. Attend each scheduled program session. (If you are ill, or have a scheduling conflict that prevents attendance, inform the adult leader in charge beforehand.)
- b. Dress appropriately. Guidelines will be provided.
- c. Use 4-H appropriate language (no profanity), good manners, and exemplary principals of sportsmanship.
- d. Remain in the assigned program area at all times.
- e. Tobacco, alcohol, and use of non-prescribed drugs is illegal and prohibited by 4-H.
- f. Show respect for yourself and others at all times.
- g. Treat program areas, shooting areas, and vehicles with respect. You will be held responsible for damage, theft, or misconduct in which you participate.
- h. Assist other members of the group and include all youth in activities.
- i. Seek the best from yourself. Be proud of who you are and what you accomplish.

**CONSEQUENCES:** (for failing to follow Code of Conduct) You will:

- a. Explain your actions to the adults in charge.
- b. Accept the consequences of your actions.
- c. Have the adult in charge contact your parent/guardians, or UW-Extension personnel to see that action is taken.

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I have read and understand the 4-H Shooting Sports Code of Conduct and agree to follow them. I realize that failure to do so will result in a loss of privileges both now and in the future.

Member Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

As the Parent/Guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, I have read the 4-H Shooting Sports Events Code of Conduct and support the adults in charge in the performance of their responsibilities to see that appropriate behavior is maintained.

**[Parents/Guardians are encouraged to attend Shooting Sports events as a family.]**

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

[Feel free to make a copy of this form before returning it to the UWEX office.]

**PARENT or GUARDIAN INFORMATION**

Read, check off each item and sign as indicated.

**By signing this form I:**

- Recognize the dangers present in the Shooting Sports disciplines (archery, hunting, rifle, shotgun, muzzle loading, et.al) and its activities.
  - Believe that Juneau County's 4-H Shooting Sports Leaders and their assistants are dependable and will provide safe experiences.
  - Understand that during the course of Shooting Sports training, it may be necessary to position (touch or move) my child to demonstrate such topics as proper stance or correct shooting position.
  - Understand that requests for reasonable accommodation for disabilities or limitations should be made prior to participation in the Shooting Sports project. These project members may not be participating in the same way as other youth members.
  - Grant permission for my child to participate in the Shooting Sports educational project.
  - Knowingly and freely assume all risks involved in using Shooting Sports project equipment.
- \*Note: Participants are encouraged to provide their own equipment and be responsible for their own equipment, whenever possible.*
- Authorize the use of photographs or videos of my child, my family, and myself while attending or participating in the Shooting Sports program (for educational and media purposes).
  - Grant the UW Board of Regents and UW-Extension the right to use, publish, and copyright my image (including audio, moving image, or photograph) for educational programs, websites, and promotion of University programs.
  - Have read and reviewed the safety rules, range etiquette, behavior guidelines, and shooting sports Code of Conduct with my child and with the 4-H Leaders.
  - Consent to his/her release of 4-H volunteers, other participants, UW-Extension, UW-Extension staff/employees, University of Wisconsin, donors, and the organization providing and/or sponsoring the range/meeting facilities and/or the organizations' volunteers and equipment from any and all liabilities to his/her involvement in the 4-H Shooting Sports program.

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Parent/Guardian Signature

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Date

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Participant Signature

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Participant's Age