

**The Texas 4-H Shooting Sports Program  
2008 Precision Air Rifle Postal League**

The Texas 4-H Shooting Sports Program is pleased to announce the **2008 4-H Precision Air Rifle Postal League**. All entries must be received in the Office **on or before 7 December 2007**. Send entries to: **Texas 4-H Foundation, PO Box 11020, College Station, Texas 77842-1020** with a check payable to the Texas 4-H Foundation (memo: Texas 4-H Shooting Sports) for the total entry fee. Entries postmarked **after 7 December** must include and **additional \$5.00 per shooter as a late fee**. Target labels will be generated and sent to the mailing address for the coach listed on the entry form. Labels must be signed across their face after being affixed to the target backs and prior to firing a record shot in the match. Once the targets are fired, they will be accumulated by the local match manager or coach and mailed back to the **Texas 4-H Office (7607 Eastmark Drive, Suite 101, College Station, TX 77840)** for scoring and tabulation. **All targets must be mailed on or before 9 May 2008.**

**Rules and Regulations for the 2008 Precision Air Rifle Postal League**

**Eligibility:** All 4-H members registered in the 4-H Shooting Sports Project and between the ages of 9 (or 8 and in the 3rd grade) and 18 on August 31, 2007, are eligible to participate in the 2008 Precision Air Rifle Postal League.

**Age Divisions:** If there are sufficient entries, four age division as listed below will be used. If not, the seniors may be merged into a single class.

<b>Juniors</b>	- <b>J</b> - eligible shooters 9 (or 8 and in 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade) to 10
<b>Intermediates</b>	- <b>I</b> - eligible shooters 11 - 13
<b>Seniors</b>	- <b>S1</b> - 14 - 15
	- <b>S2</b> - 16 to 18

**Entries:** Volunteer leaders or County Extension staff should complete the attached entry forms, listing the names of all contestants and mail them to **Texas 4-H Foundation, PO Box 11020, College Station, TX 77842-1020** before December 7, 2007.

**Entry Deadline:** December 7, 2007

**Match Fees:** The entry fee is \$6.00 per contestant. Please enclose one check payable for the entire amount with your entry form. Make check payable to:

**Texas 4-H Foundation.**

**Match Dates:** January 1 through April 30, 2008

**Match Type:** Individual competition only.

**General Rules:** 4-H Precision Air Rifle rules

**Rifles:** Any safe .177 caliber air rifle.

**Sights:** Metallic sights only.

**Firing Distance:** 10 meters or 32 feet 10 inches.

**Course of Fire:** **Juniors** and **Intermediates** will fire four (4) twenty (20) shot courses of fire (80 shots total)  
**Seniors (S1 and S2)** will fire four (4) forty (40) shot courses - a total of 160 record shots.

**Time Limits:** **Juniors** and **Intermediates** - 45 minutes per 20-shot course  
**Seniors** - 90 minutes per 40-shot course.

**Shooting Position:** This match is limited to **standing only**.

**Targets:** Official NRA AR 1/10 targets will be used

**Submitting Targets:** As soon as the last of the four matches is fired, the **County Agent, coach** or **contestant** must send all fired targets to **Attn: Janice Mohr, Texas 4-H Office (7607 Eastmark Drive, Suite 101, College Station, TX 77840)**. **DO NOT** write on or plug fired targets. **Plugged targets will be disqualified!**  
**Remember - MAY 9, 2008** is the target submission deadline! Scores submitted late will not be considered.

**Awards:** Each contestant completing the match will receive a Precision Air Rifle Postal League patch. In addition, each contestant completing the match will be considered for awards. Awards will be presented to the top individual shooters in each age division and class based upon the number of entries in that division, as illustrated below. Shooters wishing to opt out of the Lewis Class awards may do so by checking the A only box on the entry form. No awards will be given in any class with a single entry.

2 entries – 1 award	28- 36 entries – 6 awards	76- 85 entries – 11 awards
3- 6 entries – 2 awards	37- 45 entries – 7 awards	86- 95 entries – 12 awards
7- 11 entries – 3 awards	46- 54 entries – 8 awards	96-105 entries –13 awards
12- 18 entries –4 awards	55- 65 entries – 9 awards	106-115 entries – 14 awards
19- 27 entries –5 awards	66- 75 entries – 10 awards	116-125 entries – 15 awards

#### **Entry Form Instructions**

1. Volunteer leaders or County Extension staff should list all shooters on two copies of this form. Return one as an official Registration Form no later than December 7, 2007. Retain two copies for your records.
2. Check appropriate age classification and group shooters by age classification, placing **Juniors** first, **Intermediates** second, and **S1** and **S2** shooters in following order.
3. Enclose \$6.00 entry per contestant. (Include the additional \$5 per shooter late fee for any entry postmarked after December 7, 2007.)
4. Complete all information on the form including County Extension Agent and/or Coach, and the address, phone numbers, and e-mails of those to whom targets are to be sent. This must be a physical address.
5. Return all targets, fired or unused, before May 9, 2008.
6. Make additional copies of this form as needed. Be sure to keep a copy for your records!

**Age Classifications** - All ages as of August 31, 2007:

Junior	- 9 (or 8 and in 3rd Grade) - 10	Senior S1	- 14-15
Intermediate	- 11-13	S2	- 16-18

**Mail Entry Fees and Registration No Later than December 7, 2007 to:**

**Texas 4-H Foundation  
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PO Box 11020  
College Station, TX 77842-1020**

