State 4-H Roundup Archery Rules

The Texas 4-H Roundup Archery Match will be held during Texas State 4-H Roundup. There will be one flight, with two lines. Each line will allow a maximum of 75 archers. Registration will be through 4-H Connect on the State Roundup event. **There will be no on-site registration or payment of any kind allowed at the events. Flights may not be added on-site, however withdrawals will be accepted.**

The contest will take place on Tuesday, June 6th, 2017 during Texas State 4-H Roundup beginning at 1:30 PM. Directions and other pertinent information for shooters and their parents will be posted on the Texas 4-H Shooting Sports webpage as well as emailed to participants.

The Texas 4-H Shooting Sports Program uses the current rules of the United States Olympic Archery governing body (World Archery - [http://www.worldarchery.org/HOME/Rules/Constitution-Rules](http://www.worldarchery.org/HOME/Rules/Constitution-Rules)) with some modifications to meet the objectives of the program or to increase the success rates of youth participating in the program. In 4-H events, 4-H rules and regulations supersede all other rules where differences exist. Coaches and parents, as well as archers, are encouraged to be familiar with these rules and those of related archery governing bodies. You can find the state 4-H archery rules at: [https://docs.google.com/file/d/0BzVRTVQGAc1hYTlDM0o4NXdmLUU/edit](https://docs.google.com/file/d/0BzVRTVQGAc1hYTlDM0o4NXdmLUU/edit)

For all 4-H events, the rules governing each will be posted with the event information and may vary in certain specifics. The event specific rules supersede any other rules.

**Range Director** will be Mr. Bill Coady, College Station, Texas

**Age Divisions:** Participants will compete individually within their age division determined as of August 31, 2014.

- Intermediate – 6th thru 8th grades
- Senior – 9th thru 12th grades

**Course of Fire:** The 18 meter course will be set up for both age divisions and will consist of 10 ends of 3 arrows each (30 arrows total; 300 points possible). Ties will be broken in the recurve, barebow and NASP divisions by numbers of “tens”, then by descending order. In the compound division, they will be broken by number of “x’s”, then “10’s”, then in descending order.

**Targets:** All archers will compete on the 40 cm FITA face. **Compound** archers will use inner 10x. The use of 3 Spot targets is the option of the shooter and must be declared with enough time to provide the appropriate target on the range. The match consists of standard FITA (Federation of International Target Archery) 40 cm targets (18 meter indoor round).
**Equipment Classes:** Barebow, Recurve, Compound Aided, Compound Unaided, and NASP (National Archery in Schools Program). Archers may only register in one equipment class.

- **Bare Bow** (longbow or recurve) – Bows may not be equipped with sights or sighting marks. Mechanical release aids are **not** permitted.
- **Recurve** – Bows may be equipped with a single sighting device, single pin; may not be equipped with string peeps or string marks for rear sights. Mechanical release aids are **not** permitted.
- **Compound Aided** – Bows may be equipped with magnified sights and stabilizers. Mechanical release aids are permitted.
- **Compound Unaided** – Bows may not be equipped with magnified sights or stabilizers. Bows may be equipped with single pin or multiple pin sights. Mechanical release aids are **not** permitted. **NO** peep sights will be allowed in this class.
- **NASP** – **Original** Genesis bows (NO Genesis Pros) with no sights or sighting marks and no stabilizers. Mechanical release aides are **not** permitted. Shooters must follow 4-H age divisions and match rules. This class is utilizing NASP equipment only (arrow size, nock locators etc.).

**Scoring:** Targets will be scored utilizing the double scoring system. Scores and totals of each end should be verified by each shooter before arrows are touched or removed from the target. This will be strictly enforced. Any question of scoring should be resolved before any arrow is touched or removed from the target.

**Awards:** Top three places in each bowclass will be given during the State Roundup award ceremony on Wednesday June 7th.

**Adult Representation:** All shooters at this event must be accompanied by an adult who is responsible for the 4-H shooter.

**Dress Code:** All shooters must wear closed toed shoes, and shirts must have sleeves. All other standard 4-H Dress Code rules apply.

**NOTE:**

**NO** Electronic devices of any sort will be permitted on the shooting line.