

TEXAS 4-H YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

September 1, 2022

MEMORANDUM

TO: 4-H Shooting Sports Coach Candidates

FROM: Megan R. Shaffer
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4-H Youth Development

SUBJECT: 4-H SHOOTING SPORTS COACH CERTIFICATION TRAINING

Thank you for your interest in the District 8 Texas 4-H Shooting Sports Coach Training to be held November 11-12, 2023 in Stephenville. Your interest and dedication to working with 4-H youth is appreciated and applauded. Attached are the details regarding the training including the items you need to bring with you.

Register on 4-H Online – All participants must register on 4-H Online for the training at the following link: <https://v2.4honline.com/#/user/sign-in>

- \$140.00 – Includes the discipline training for Saturday, Lunch, Supper, Snacks, Curriculum, Green Injection

Please let my office know if you require additional information or if you have any special needs that we may accommodate during the training.

I look forward to working with you!

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SHOOTING SPORTS COACHES TRAINING

Schedule

AGENDA

Saturday, November 11, 2023

- 8:00 am Participant Check-in
- 9:00 am Discipline Trainings
- 12:00 noon Catered Lunch
- 1:00 pm Discipline Trainings
- 6:30 pm Catered Dinner
- 7:30 pm Instructors will finish up.
- 9:00 pm Adjourn

Sunday, November 12, 2023

- 8:00 am Check in with Instructors
- 8:30 am Discipline Trainings & Test
- 12:00 pm Wrap up & Adjourn

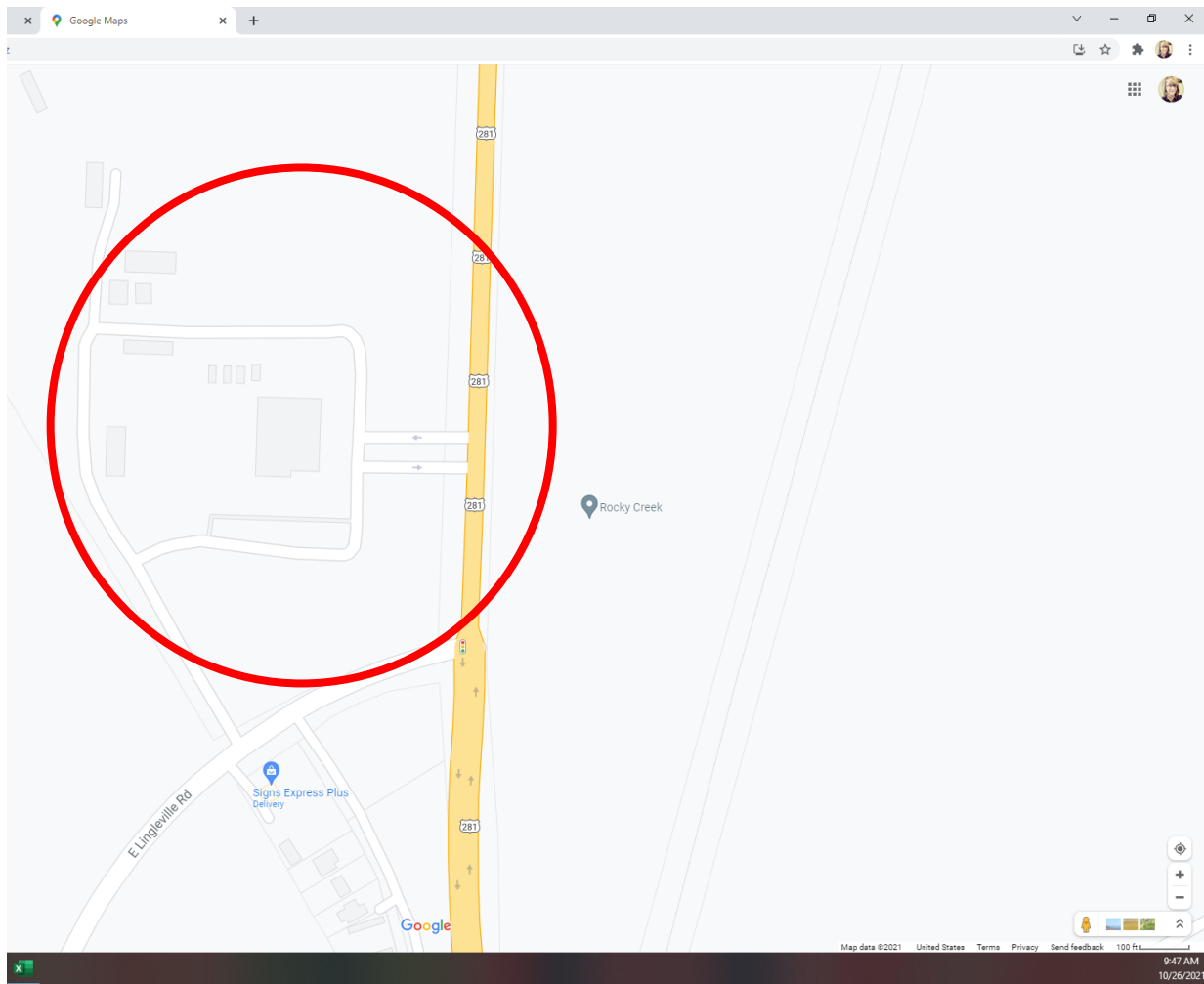
**The Green Injection (must be completed by every candidate) will be done online before or after your training. This will need to be completed no later than 5 days following the completion of your training. Instructions on how to access the training will be sent out via email.

SHOOTING SPORTS COACHES TRAINING

Location *TENNATIVE*

Texas A&M Agrilife Research & Extension
1229 North US HWY 281
Stephenville, TX 76401

Please note that if you enter this address into a GPS or Google maps, it may not take you to the correct location. Please see the map for exact location. The Research Center is at the corner of Lingleville Highway (FM 8 & Hwy 281). Signs Express is directly across Lingleville Highway & Tractor Supply is across HWY 281.



SHOOTING SPORTS COACHES TRAINING

Lodging

Lodging is on your own at this training. Various lodging options are available in and around Stephenville. Suggested hotels are listed below.

LaQuinta
105 Christy Plaza
Stephenville, TX 76401
254-918-2444

<http://www.laquintastephenville.com/>

If you use the code "TX4H" you will get a 15% discount on your room rate and the Texas 4-H Foundation will receive some monetary support from LQ.

Hampton Inn
910 South Harbin Drive
Stephenville, TX 76401
254-918-5400

<http://hamptoninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/texas/hampton-inn-and-suites-stephenville-DALSVHX/index.html>

This will most likely be the most expensive hotel of the three.

There are other hotels in Stephenville, but I would bet these are probably the nicest. If they do not work, let me know and I will try to get you some more suggestions. They are all close to one another and our office. It does not make much of a difference as far as distance goes in getting to the office.

****Stephenville is a busy place! I would suggest making your hotel reservations early!****

SHOOTING SPORTS COACHES TRAINING

What To Bring As A Training Participant

Everyone attending should bring the following:

- Signed Waiver, Indemnification, and Medical Treatment Authorization Form (attached)
- Assistant Coach Acknowledgement Youth Form (if youth candidate; attached)
- 3-ring binder (2" or larger recommended)
- Writing materials and extra paper for notes
- Highlighters if you use them for stressed points
- Eye protection (shooting glasses or goggles) – recommended for archery, mandatory for all other disciplines
- Ear protection (plugs or muffs) – mandatory for shotgun, rifle, and pistol disciplines
- Comfortable outdoor clothing, including a cap or hat suitable for the prevailing weather and be prepared for inclement weather (remember this is November and it could be very warm or very cold)
- Sunscreen
- Range chairs if desired
- Water bottle (we will have a few snacks and water for you)
- Open mind ready to learn and share

Shotgun discipline participants:

- 20- or 12-gauge shotgun, any action type
- Ammunition pouch or vest
- 2 boxes of shells

Archery discipline participants:

- Bow, of any style
- Appropriate arrows, practice points only, no broadhead hunting points

Rifle discipline participants:

- .22 caliber small bore rifle, of any style, preferably bolt action
- 1 box of .22 ammunition

Pistol discipline participants:

- .22 caliber small bore pistol, of any style
- 1 box of .22 ammunition

Western Heritage discipline participants

- Single-action pistols and/or Lever-action Rifles
- .22 caliber only
- Dress for the part, if you choose

Muzzle Loading discipline participants

- Muzzle loaders, if you have them.

Hunting & Wildlife discipline participants

- There are no required supplies at this time.